

ACTIVIDADES NO PRESENCIALES 4º ESO B y D

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OS HE PREPARADO OTRAS ACTIVIDADES PARA HACER EN CASA, EN ESTA OCASIÓN OS MANDO TAMBIÉN LAS RESPUESTAS PARA QUE HAGÁIS VUESTRA PROPIA AUTOEVALUACIÓN.

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VAMOS BIÉN DE TIEMPO EN CUANTO A LOS CONTENIDOS Y SÓLO QUEDAN 2 PUNTOS GRAMATICALES QUE LOS DAREMOS A LA VUELTA. SI SE ALARGARA OTRA VEZ LA SITUACIÓN, EN EL PRÓXIMO BLOQUE OS MANDARÍA LA EXPLICACIÓN GRAMATICAL.

NO OS AGOBIÉIS, YA SÉ QUE TENÉIS MUCHAS OTRAS TAREAS, PERO ES IMPORTANTE QUE NO DEJÉIS EL INGLÉS DE LADO, PENSAD EN ELLO COMO ALGO AGRADABLE .

MUCHO ÁNIMO !!!

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## 1 Reading

### 1 Read the review and circle the correct answers

Three million viewers tuned in last night to watch the new TV show, *The Best Candidate*. In this show, four people who are up for a challenge compete against each other to win a large cash prize and the opportunity to start their own business. The candidates also have to work together to complete tasks and projects, and are judged on their performance.

The first candidate, Robert, was not popular with the others. He wanted to do everything his own way and was not willing to listen to anyone else. He explained that he was an assertive person and expressed some very loud opinions. However, Robert needs more self-awareness. He doesn't have respect for others, and this is going to be a big problem for him.

Jake and Lisa worked very well together. There was a strong sense of cooperation between them and, from the beginning, they acted like partners. When Robert was difficult, Jake used his excellent skills of active listening and conflict resolution. Lisa is a creative thinker. She had some very interesting ideas that no one else thought of.

But the strongest candidate was Karen. She was the most organized person on the programme, and she showed a great ability for time management. She was also the best one at managing money. Her problem-solving abilities saved the team from failing two tasks. I'm looking forward to seeing her performance next week.

Check out *The Best Candidate*, Mondays at 8pm on Channel 17.

- 1 How many million watched *The Best Candidate*?
  - a) two
  - b) three

- c) four
- 2 Who was the least self-aware person on the show?
  - a) Robert
  - b) Jake
  - c) Lisa
- 3 What was special about Jake and Lisa?
  - a).They were both creative thinkers.
  - b) They were both good listeners.
  - c) They cooperated with each other.
- 4 What kind of ideas did Lisa have?
  - a) strong ones
  - b) excellent ones
  - c) interesting ones
- 5 Who was the best at money management?
  - a) Lisa
  - b) Karen
  - c) Robert
- 6 How did Karen save the team?
  - a) through problem-solving
  - b) through time management
  - c) through conflict resolution

**2 Read the review again and answer the questions.**

- 1 The first paragraph says the candidates are “up for a challenge”. What does this mean?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Why does the reviewer say that Robert doesn't have respect for others?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3 How did Jake help the team?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Who is the most likely candidate to win? Why?  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Grammar**

**1 Use the information to write full sentences with the first conditional.**

- 1 If I / enough money / I / Portugal this summer. (have / go)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Unless you / us directions, / we / where you are. (give / not know)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3 If they / hard / they / all their exams. (work / pass)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Unless I / enough time, / I / another language. (have / not learn)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 5 If you / 'sorry' / she / to you. (not say / not talk)  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 6 Unless she / to him, / she / how he feels. (speak / not know)  
\_\_\_\_\_

7 If you / me at my car, / I / you a lift. (meet / give)

8 Unless we / them, / they / to the concert. (ask / not come)

**2 Complete the sentences with the correct second conditional form of the verbs in brackets.**

1 If she lived closer to the town centre, she \_\_\_\_\_ (meet up) with her friends more often

2 If I had a pet, I \_\_\_\_\_ (look after) it very well.

3 What would you do if you \_\_\_\_\_ (win) a million pounds?

4 If I were you, I \_\_\_\_\_ (discuss) the situation with him.

5 What would you do if you \_\_\_\_\_ (hear) two of your friends arguing?

6 If I \_\_\_\_\_ (have) more friends, I'd invite them to my birthday party.

7 If I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Japan, I'd notice how differently the people there communicate.

8 If everyone smiled more often, the world \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a much happier place.

**3 Complete the sentences with the correct third conditional form of the verbs in the box.**

go	have	not be	see	tell	not lose	understand	meet
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1 If I \_\_\_\_\_ him the truth, he would have forgiven me.

2 If you had caught the bus, you \_\_\_\_\_ late for dinner.

3 If he hadn't been so busy, he \_\_\_\_\_ out last night.

4 She \_\_\_\_\_ more people if she had stayed at the party.

5 If I \_\_\_\_\_ enough money, I would have bought pizza for everyone!

6 If he had listened more carefully, he \_\_\_\_\_ the issue.

7 You would have liked the film if you \_\_\_\_\_ it with us.

8 I would have contacted you if I \_\_\_\_\_ your number.

**2 Reading**

**1 Read the article and circle the correct answers**

A holiday almost turned into disaster for a British family. The Thompson family from Warrington in Cheshire had booked into a brand new holiday cottage in Carmarthen, Wales, for two weeks. 'We'd spent a wonderful first day enjoying the gorgeous scenery,' said Mum, Sarah. 'By the time we got back to the cottage, we were all exhausted.' Sarah decided to have a shower while her husband, Pete, made a snack for their two children, Jack and Katie. 'We'd already eaten in Carmarthen,' said Pete, 'but the children said they were starving ... you know what kids are like!'

What Pete Thompson did not know was that some electrical appliances in the kitchen were not safe. After he had made beans on toast for the children, he brought it to them in the garden where they were playing. He was sitting outside with them when, suddenly, he heard his wife's terrified screams. Thompson immediately jumped up and, seeing flames, realized that the cottage was on fire. He rushed to the door but, by the time he got there, the fire had spread.

Fortunately, a neighbour had already dialled 999, and firefighters arrived within minutes. They swiftly put the fire out and rescued Sarah. She was frightened, but not hurt, and didn't need any first aid from the paramedics.

They later learned that the toaster had caught fire, and quickly set the rest of the kitchen ablaze. "This was certainly an unforgettable holiday," said Pete. "Luckily, Sarah's fine now. She's a survivor!"

- 1 What kind of holiday home did the Thompsons book?
  - a) a big one
  - b) an old one
  - c) a new one
- 2 Did they like the local scenery?
  - a) They didn't really notice it.
  - b) Yes, they liked it very much.
  - c) The article doesn't say.
- 3 Back at the cottage, the children said they were \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) tired
  - b) bored
  - c) hungry
- 4 Why couldn't Pete go into the house?
  - a) He had to stay with the children.
  - b) The door seemed to be locked.
  - c) The fire had already spread.
- 5 Who rescued Sarah?
  - a) a neighbour
  - b) firefighters
  - c) paramedic
- 6 How was Sarah when the paramedics first arrived?
  - a) frightened
  - b) hurt
  - c) fine

**2 Read the article again and answer the questions.**

1 Where was the holiday cottage situated?

\_\_\_\_\_

2 What important fact didn't Pete know?

\_\_\_\_\_

3 Why was Sarah terrified?

\_\_\_\_\_

4 How did the fire start?

\_\_\_\_\_

**Grammar**

**3 Complete the sentences with the present simple passive form of the verbs in brackets.**

1 Class prizes \_\_\_\_\_ (give) for the most innovative ideas.

2 The best invention \_\_\_\_\_ (feature) in the school magazine

3 In Europe, driverless cars \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) on the roads yet.

4 A major science exhibition \_\_\_\_\_ (hold) in London.

5 Most of the world's top innovations \_\_\_\_\_ (develop) in Asia.

6 Millions of e-readers \_\_\_\_\_ (sell) all over the world every year.

**4 Complete the sentences with the past simple passive form of the verbs in the box.**

develop   find   combine   blame   invent   build
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- 1 Satellite broadband \_\_\_\_\_ to be unsuitable for many people.
- 2 The first space station \_\_\_\_\_ in 1971.
- 3 Signal failures \_\_\_\_\_ for the high-speed train crash.
- 4 The first driverless cars \_\_\_\_\_ in the United States.
- 5 The first bioplastics \_\_\_\_\_ 30 years ago.
- 6 3D printing \_\_\_\_\_ with CT scanning to recreate fossils.

**5 Write questions in the passive for these answers.**

- 1 When \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
E-readers were invented in 1998.
- 2 In which countries \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Desalinated water is used in the Middle East and North Africa.
- 3 How often \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
The Science Fair is held every year.
- 4 When \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Driverless cars will be released in the UK soon.
- 5 What materials \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
Smart materials are used to make these headphones.
- 6 When \_\_\_\_\_ ?  
The prizes were awarded last week.

**3 Reading**

**1 Read the advice column and circle the correct option.**

Are you going to study English abroad this summer? Then this week's advice column is for you!

Studying English abroad is a very exciting opportunity, but you might feel worried about some of the details. After all, it can be difficult to leave home, and most of you will be going away from home for the first time. But, take heart ... we have lots of useful advice!

Firstly, where are you going to stay? We recommend that you spend lots of time with native English speakers. Staying with a family is an excellent way to improve your English and make great friends for life! Contact the school or college where you'll be studying. Many schools will arrange something for you. Just ask!

It's very important to make new friends. You're going to feel lonely sometimes—it's completely natural and normal—and you might miss home, but having friends will make the experience easier and more fun. Check the website for information about clubs and societies. And our top tip: also check main social networking sites to see if there are any groups set up by other students.

Secondly, you'll need to know how to find your way around your new town. Spend some time looking at maps and finding out what public transport is available. That way, you won't waste time when you first arrive.

You won't be busy all the time, so take a break to go sightseeing in your new town, or to go backpacking with your new friends. Try to set enjoyable goals for yourself, for example: *next weekend, I'm going to plan a picnic in the mountains.*

Finally, always find a balance between work and play and enjoy yourself!

- 1 Students going to study abroad might be excited and also \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) scared
  - b) worried
  - c) tired
- 2 This will be the first time for most people to leave \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) school
  - b) abroad
  - c) home
- 3 Which of these statements is true?
  - a) The school will help you stay with a family if you ask them.
  - b) The school usually helps you to set up your bank account.
  - c) The school will explain which bus you can get to the shops.
- 4 It's not \_\_\_\_\_ to feel lonely while studying abroad.
  - a) normal
  - b) unusual
  - c) natural
- 5 You can find out about clubs and societies through the school's \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) email list
  - b) magazine
  - c) website
- 6 What does the article suggest you do to avoid wasting time?
  - a) look at maps and find out about the public transport available
  - b) go sightseeing
  - c) make lots of new friends
- 7 The article says it's important to \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a) work all the time
  - b) enjoy yourself
  - c) go on lots of picnics

**2 Read the advice column again and answer the questions. Write full sentences.**

- 1 What does "take heart" mean (second paragraph)?

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2 What is the advice column's top tip?

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3 How can students find a balance between work and play?

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## **ANSWER KEY**

### **READING 1**

- 1      1      b  
         2      a  
         3      c  
         4      c  
         5      b  
         6      a

2 Possible answers:

- 1 It means being willing to take on a difficult situation and try to deal with it successfully.  
2 Robert doesn't have respect for others because he is not willing to listen to them or try other ways of doing things. He also shouts his own opinions.  
3 Jake helped when Robert was difficult. Because Jake is good at actively listening, he managed Robert's behaviour and resolved conflicts within the team.  
4 Karen will probably win because she seems to have more skills and abilities than the others. Being organized and managing time and money are extremely important life skills, but also having the skill of problem-solving makes her the strongest candidate.

### **Grammar**

- 3 1 If I have enough money, I'll go to Portugal this summer.  
2 Unless you give us directions, we won't know where you are.  
3 If they work hard, they'll pass all their exams.  
4 Unless I have enough time, I won't learn another language.  
5 If you don't say 'sorry', she won't talk to you.  
6 Unless she speaks to him, he won't know how she feels.  
7 If you meet me at my car, I'll give you a lift.  
8 Unless we ask them, they won't come to the concert.
- 4 1 'd meet up  
2 'd look after  
3 won  
4 would discuss  
5 heard  
6 had  
7 went  
8 would be
- 5 1 had told  
2 wouldn't have been  
3 would have gone

- 4 would have met
- 5 'd had
- 6 would have understood
- 7 had seen
- 8 hadn't lost

## READING 2

- 1 1 c
- 2 b
- 3 c
- 4 c
- 5 b
- 6 a

- 2 1 The holiday cottage was situated in Camarthen, Wales.
- 2 Pete didn't know that some electric appliances in the kitchen were not safe.
- 3 Sarah was terrified because the fire started when she was in the bathroom.
- 4 The fire started because the toaster caught fire.

## Grammar

- 3 1 are given
- 2 is featured
- 3 aren't seen
- 4 is held
- 5 are developed
- 6 are sold

- 4 1 was found
- 2 was built
- 3 were blamed
- 4 were developed
- 5 were invented
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- 2 In which countries is desalinated water used?
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- 4 When will driverless cars be released in the UK?
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## READING 3

- 1 1 b)
- 2 c)

- 3 a)
  - 4 b)
  - 5 c)
  - 6 a)
  - 7 b)
- 2 1 "Take heart" means cheer up, or be encouraged.  
 2 Check social networking sites to see if other students have set up any groups.  
 3 Students should take breaks and set enjoyable goals.

## VERB TENSES PRACTICE SHEET

**A) Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the past simple or the past continuous.**

My friends and I (1) ..... (enjoy) my birthday party when suddenly the lights (2) ..... (go) out. I (3) ..... (think) that my brother (4) ..... (try) to scare everyone. I (5) ..... (shout), 'Switch the lights on!' but nothing (6) ..... (happen). While we (7) ..... (wait) in the darkness, somebody (8) ..... (scream). Suddenly, I felt scared!

**B) Complete the passage with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Present Simple, Present Continuous, Past Simple or the Past Continuous.**

Today, it .....( 1 ).....(seem) that everyone recognises the paintings of Vincent Van Gogh. However, few people.....( 2 ).....(know) the sad details of his difficult life. Van Gogh was born in 1853 in a small village in the Netherlands. He drew pictures when he was a boy, but .....( 3 ).....(not consider) art as a career. When he was 16 years old, he ... ( 4 )..... (go) to work for a company which bought and sold art. He had periods of deep depression, which .....( 5 ).....(affect) his work, and as a result, the company ....( 6 ).....(dismiss) him 1876. Van Gogh then .....( 7 ).....(teach) in England and later .....( 8 ).....(give) Bible lessons in Belgium. He finally decided to become an artist. Between 1880 and 1890, while he .....( 9 ).....(produce) his famous paintings and drawings, he suffered from frequent periods of depression. On 27 July 1890, when he was 37, he .....( 10 ).....(shoot) himself. He died two days later.

**C) Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.**

- She wasn't born in Coruña, but she ....( 1 )...(move) here when she was two. - Sharon ....( 2 ).....(think) about your idea at the moment. - I ....( 3 ).....(write) in my diary every day. - That little boy ....( 4 ).....(not enjoy) the pony ride. Look, he is crying! - ( 5 ).....(they / know) my address? Perhaps we should call them. - Mark .....( 6 ).....(bring) soft drinks to yesterday's meeting. - .....( 7 ).....(the wind / frighten) you last night? - Yesterday at nine, I .....(8)..... (have dinner) at home. - Halle Berry .....( 9 )..... (marry) Kevin Grant last year. - .....( 10 ).....(you / pay) the phone bill yesterday?

**ANSWER KEY:**

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