A1 – MOCK EXAMINATION

SECTION I
CHOOSE THE CORRECT ALTERNATIVES TO COMPLETE THE SENTENCES.

1. Where ______ for a holiday next summer?
   a) do you like going
   b) would you to go
   c) would you like to go

2. Look at that child running along the top of the wall! He _____ off!
   a) ’s going to fall
   b) fell
   c) falls

3. He ______ to the gym every Friday evening.
   a) is usually going
   b) usually goes
   c) goes usually

4. I booked my train ticket yesterday. I ______ at the station in your town at nine o’clock next Saturday.
   a) arriving
   b) ’m arriving
   c) arrived

5. He ______ her yesterday.
   a) doesn’t ring
   b) not rang
   c) didn’t ring

SECTION 2
CHOOSE THE CORRECT ALTERNATIVE TO COMPLETE THE SENTENCE.

1. He got _____ his car and drove to the station.
   a) into
   b) on
   c) off

2. She isn’t ______. I think she’s his cousin.
   a) sister’s Mike
   b) Mike sister’s
   c) Mike’s sister

3. He’s ______ he was because he found a good job last month.
   a) more happy than
   b) the most happy that
   c) happier than
4. Where are Sam and Joe? I can’t see ______ people in the room.
   a) a
   b) any
   c) some

5. There’s ______ in the fridge if you are thirsty.
   a) an orange juice fresh
   b) some fresh orange juice
   c) the juice fresh orange

SECTION 3
PUT THE SENTENCES INTO THE CORRECT ORDER.

1. did / much / jacket / leather / How / cost / your / black
   How ____________________________?

2. not / hobbies / for / much / time / got / has / her / She
   She ____________________________________________.

3. when / jogging / He / like / windy / cold / and / doesn’t / it’s
   He ____________________________________________.

4. April / They / 21st / on / Mexico / for / of / the / leaving / are
   They ____________________________________________.

5. does / son / pool / take / the / she / her / to / often / swimming / How
   How ____________________________________________?

SECTION 4
CHOOSE THE CORRECT ANSWER OR RESPONSE.

1. Excuse me. Where can I catch the number 23 bus?
   a) It’s going fast.
   b) Yes, it’s going to the town centre.
   c) The bus stop is over there on the corner.

2. Thank you very much.
   a) You’re welcome.
   b) Please.
   c) Excuse me.

3. Have you got this sweater in a larger size, please?
   a) I’m sorry. This is the largest we’ve got.
   b) It’s a small sweater.
   c) I’ve got some large trousers.

4. What’s the weather like today?
   a) I don’t like it.
   b) Cold and wet!
   c) I’m not going out.
5. How long does it take to get to the airport?
   a) It’s a short distance.
   b) Twenty minutes, or an hour if there’s a lot of traffic!
   c) You can go by taxi.

6. (on the phone) Can I speak to Carol, please?
   a) I am Bob.
   b) She has a shower.
   c) She’s having a shower. Can you call back later?

7. Is Sheila coming to the party on Saturday?
   a) No, I’m not.
   b) No, I don’t think so.
   c) Yes, it’s Sheila’s party on Saturday.

8. What’s on television tonight?
   a) My mother’s favourite soap opera. I’m going out!
   b) It’s on the small table.
   c) The cat’s sitting on the chair.

SECTION 5
COMPLETE THE QUESTIONS WITH THE CORRECT ALTERNATIVES.

1. X: _____ his car when he goes to town?
   Y: In the new multi-storey car park in the centre.
   a) Who he parks
   b) Where is he park
   c) Where does he park

2. X: _____ in her free time?
   Y: Relaxing!
   a) What does she like doing
   b) What does she like do
   c) How she does

3. X: _____ any bread for sandwiches?
   Y: Not much. Buy some when you go out, please.
   a) Is it
   b) Is there
   c) Are they

4. X: _____ here?
   Y: Only two.
   a) How time can you to stay
   b) How many days can you stay
   c) What days do you can stay

5. X: _____ any brothers or sisters?
   Y: Only one sister.
   a) Does she have got
   b) Has she got
   c) Has got she
Y: Of course, here you are.
a) Can I to use
b) Am I use
c) Could I use

7. X: _____ at the station yesterday?
Y: At three o’clock. His train was late.
a) What time does he go
b) When is he going
c) What time did he arrive

SECTION 6
Complete the dialogue with the correct alternatives.

Julie: Hi Tom! 1___________ and your family?

Tom: Hello Julie. My little son had 2_________ last week but he's better now. You are very suntanned! Did you go to a 3___________ place for a holiday this Christmas?

Julie: Yes, we all went to Australia to see my parents! They live near Sydney. Don’t forget that it’s summer there now. We had fantastic 4_________. My parents live 5_________ and we went to a 6_________ practically every day. We had our Christmas lunch there.

Tom: You’re very lucky. I'd love to go to Australia! 7_________ did you stay?

Julie: Three weeks.

Tom: I know you have a dog. Who looked 8_________ it while you were away?

Julie: My mother-in-law. She loves dogs and often 9_________ with our little dog, Scruffy, when we are busy and don’t have time to take him. She says she enjoys the exercise.

Tom: Oh! Here's my bus! Bye! 10_________ soon.

Julie: Bye!

1.  a) How do you  b) How you go  c) How are you
2.  a) a bad cold   b) cold bad   c) colder
3.  a) sunshine   b) sunny   c) sun
4.  a) time   b) weather   c) climate
5.  a) in coast   b) in the sea   c) on the coast
6.  a) sandy beach  b) stormy beach  c) sea
7.  a) How time   b) How long   c) How long time
8.  a) after   b) for   c) on
9.  a) walking   b) goes walk   c) goes for a walk
10. a) We see   b) Do you see   c) See you
SECTION 7
Read the text and answer the questions.

Sue and John live in a small quiet town in Essex in the UK. Sue worked in a library three years ago but now she’s a housewife. Her husband, John, is a university teacher. They got married twenty five years ago and have three children; two boys and a girl. Their daughter is a secondary school teacher. She's married and John and Sue’s first grandson was born four months ago. His name is Jude and he’s a beautiful, happy baby.

Their sons aren't married. They are still at university. The oldest, Thomas, wants to be a doctor and his brother, Mark is studying engineering. Their house isn't very big but it's got two gardens. Sue grows only flowers in the small front garden and has flowers and vegetables in the large back garden. She loves gardening and spends a lot of time outside when the weather is fine. John likes gardening but in spring and summer he prefers to go to the river to fish in his small boat. Sue doesn’t like fishing and when she goes in the boat with John, she always takes a good book to read.

Sue and John have another hobby. They love dancing, but not modern dancing. They dance old British folk dances. They also wear traditional costumes when they are dancing. There are twelve people in the Folk Dancing Club. Some dance and some play old musical instruments. It is very interesting and Sue and John enjoy Tuesday and Thursday evenings when they go to practise. At carnival time, or at festivals, they dance in public. They dance in villages and towns all over the UK and sometimes in other countries too. Last year they went to Germany to dance at a beer festival. At the moment they are practising hard because next spring they are going to perform in Venice!

1. Sue and John’s village isn’t very busy.
   a) True
   b) False
   c) Doesn’t say

2. Sue works in a library and John is a university teacher.
   a) True
   b) False
   c) Doesn’t say

3. Sue and John have got a son. His name’s Jude.
   a) True
   b) False
   c) Doesn’t say

4. Jude is four months old.
   a) True
   b) False
   c) Doesn’t say

5. Thomas and Mark are not going to finish their studies for many years.
   a) True
   b) False
   c) Doesn’t say
6. Their house ____.
   a) is large
   b) has got two big gardens
   c) has a flower and vegetable garden at the back

7. Which is correct?
   a) John doesn’t like gardening. He only likes fishing.
   b) Sue loves gardening and fishing.
   c) When Sue and John go in the boat, Sue doesn’t catch fish.

8. Sue and John ____.
   a) dance modern dances
   b) like folk dancing
   c) always wear traditional costumes

9. They go to their club ____.
   a) twice a week
   b) when they are interesting
   c) to dance in public

10. They ____.
    a) only dance in the UK
    b) only dance in the UK and Germany
    c) are preparing for a performance in Venice

Now check your answers against the answer sheet!

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