

TEST

Unit 66

57 Speaking

57.1

Complete the statements with the most appropriate verb. Put the verb into the correct form.

10 marks

beg	boast	complain	confess	grumble	murmur
insist	scream	stutter	threaten	urge	

Example: 'There's a mouse. I can't stand mice,' she ~~screamed~~.

- 'I'll contact my lawyer if you lay a finger on my daughter,' he
- 'I c-c-c-can't h-h-help you,' Bob.
- 'I'm far better than the other students in my class,' Gill
- 'You really must be here by 8,' the teacher.
- 'I read your diary,' he
- 'You're the most beautiful girl in the world,' he in her ear.
- 'My glass is dirty,' she
- 'Please, please, lend me the money,' he
- 'I don't want to do my homework,' the child.
- 'Just have one more try. You're nearly there,' his mother.

57.2

The verbs in the previous sentences could be replaced with 'said + an adverb'. Use *said* + the most appropriate adverb from the box below to replace the verbs in exercise 1. Make any necessary changes to word order.

10 marks

angrily	crossly	desperately	encouragingly	fearfully	firmly
furiously	guiltily	nervously	proudly	softly	

Example: 'There's a mouse. I can't stand mice,' she *said fearfully*.....

57.3

Fill the gaps with a preposition and the appropriate form of the verb in brackets.

12 marks

Example: Will Sue ever stop boasting *about winning*..... first prize? (win)

- The girl's father insisted her home before midnight. (get)
- I really object people in my house. (smoke)
- They are always grumbling to work on Sundays. (have)
- The accused has never confessed the murder. (commit)
- He begged me money and then begged me him find somewhere to live. (help)
- John complained his boss about his colleague sacked. (be)

57.4

Pair the verbs on the left with the verbs that are very close in meaning on the right.

8 marks

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| 1 argue | a whisper |
| 2 beg | b stammer |
| 3 complain | c admit |
| 4 confess | d disagree |
| 5 murmur | e moan |
| 6 groan | f encourage |
| 7 maintain | g plead |
| 8 stutter | h grumble |
| 9 urge | i declare |

Your score

/ 40

TEST

Unit 67

58 The six senses

58.1 People have five physical senses – sight, hearing, taste, touch and smell. Which of those senses do each of these verbs or adjectives go with?

10 marks

Example: aromatic smell

aromatic	bitter	deafen	glimpse	grasp
peer	pungent	quiet	spicy	stink
			stink	tap

58.2 Use all the words in the boxes to make ten statements.

10 marks

Example: Alice has won a holiday in Bali. She feels very excited.

1 Alice has won a holiday in Bali. She		very pleasant.
2 Anna is going on a diet. She's slim but she says she		too sweet.
3 Do you think he's going to be sick? He		so soft.
4 Have you heard about their trip to Nepal? It	feels	very exciting.
5 Here comes the bride! She	looks	fat.
6 I haven't met Jill's new teacher yet but she	smells	a bit tasteless.
7 I love stroking the cat. It	sounds	so fragrant.
8 I love this rose. It	tastes	wonderful.
9 No one has lived in this house for ages. It		rather green.
10 They've put too much chocolate in this cake. It		musty.
11 This soup needs more salt and pepper. It		very excited.

58.3 Match the phenomena on the left with an example of it on the right.

5 marks

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| 1 déjà vu | a experiencing any of the phenomena in this exercise |
| 2 intuition | b dreaming about an accident before it occurs |
| 3 premonition | c thinking about a friend a second before she rings you |
| 4 sixth sense | d walking into a place and feeling you've been there before |
| 5 telepathy | e sensing why a close friend is upset |

58.4 Fill the gaps by choosing the best verb. Put the verb in the correct form.

15 marks

Example: The old lady sat stroking her cat. (handle/stroke/knock/tap)

- I a terrible accident on my way to work. (glance/peer/stare/witness)
- The old man the little boy on his head. (grab/grasp/pat/handle)
- Every few minutes the girl at her watch. (glance/glimpse/observe/witness)
- You'll have to on the door as the bell doesn't work. (finger/knock/pat/stroke)
- Please the ornaments carefully when dusting them. (finger/grasp/handle/press)
- When you finish your phone call, be sure the red button. (grab/knock/pat/press)
- She at the map as if she needed new glasses. (gaze/notice/observe/peer)
- They lovingly into each other's eyes. (gaze/glimpse/observe/see)
- The child the last cake and ran out of the room. (grasp/knock/snatch/stroke)
- The police the suspect's house. (notice/observe/stare/witness)

Your score

/ 40