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Learning vocabulary

1.1 Match the collocations.

10 marks

Example *rich...vocabulary.*

rich a sense a train palace a phrase set

at a loss common a remarkable **vocabulary** sides for words

to coin a subtle to take coincidence sense

a royal to express difference of humour an opinion

1.2 Match the organs of the body with their functions.

5 marks

Example liver **b** a pumps blood round your body
 1 lungs b cleans the body and produces bile
 2 intestines c digestion of food starts here
 3 heart d remove waste and produce urine
 4 kidneys e you breathe with these
 5 stomach f long tubes which take food through the body

1.3 Choose the correct answers to the questions.


5 marks



Example Which letter in *subtle* is silent? **(b)** / t / l



- Which noun is only used in the plural? *scissors, fish, crumbs*
- Which word does NOT mean a grammatical part of speech? *noun, verb, adjective, text*
- Which word does NOT have a silent letter? *lamb, answer, express, debt*
- In which word does *ch* sound like *k*? *church, chemist, child, chicken*
- Which of these words is more formal than the others? *to alight, to feel gutted, awesome, to bug someone*


1.4 Complete the labels.

5 marks

Example  circle

1  r _ _ _ _ _ 4  s _ _ _ _ _

2  s _ _ _ _ _ 5  c _ _ _

3  c _ _ _

1.5 Put the words from the box in the correct columns.

10 marks

~~TV~~ blogs audio books magazines songs DVDs
 tweets encyclopedias recipes podcasts comics

things you can read	things you can watch / listen to
	TV

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Organising a vocabulary notebook

2.1
 10 marks

Decide if each underlined word or phrase is: a noun, a verb, an adjective, a fixed phrase or a collocation.

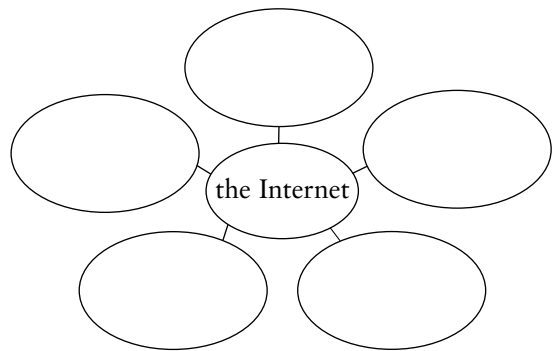
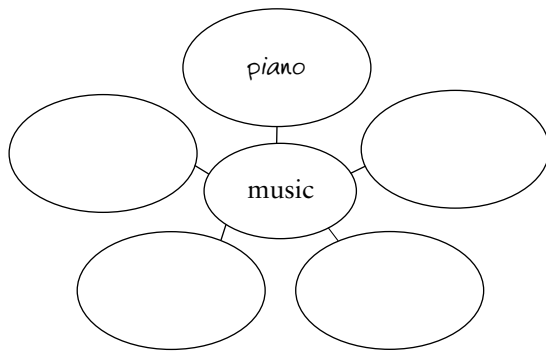
Example I love spicy food. *adjective*

- 1 George can sit there strumming his guitar for hours on end.
- 2 We had a very productive meeting yesterday.
- 3 No one here earns a particularly high salary.
- 4 Are you in a hurry to leave?
- 5 I don’t know Fatima well – she’s just a casual acquaintance.
- 6 Do you prefer classical or pop music?
- 7 You can buy fresh farm produce every day at the market.
- 8 After the long day’s trek through the rainforest, I soon fell into a deep sleep.
- 9 Our journey here was an absolute nightmare!
- 10 You can count on Eli to help out in an emergency.

2.2
 9 marks

Put the words and expressions from the box into the most appropriate network.

~~piano~~ blog the web cello identity theft folk social network
 a track upload a video release an album



2.3
 8 marks

Are these pairs of words synonyms or antonyms? Write S (synonyms) or A (antonyms).

Example pleased, glad S

- | | |
|----------------|---------------------------|
| 1 mild, spicy | 5 cold, chilly |
| 2 win, gain | 6 supply with, deprive of |
| 3 urban, rural | 7 spam, junk mail |
| 4 stop, cease | 8 rush, dash |

2.4
 8 marks

Complete the word formation table.

noun	verb	adjective
product, <u>produce</u>
.....	practical
politics,
.....	informative

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Using your dictionary

3.1 These words are written in the IPA. Write the usual alphabet versions.

10 marks

Example /ðæt/ *that*

1 /ə'mʌŋ/

6 /'pɑ:swɜ:d/

2 /tʃɜ:tʃ/

7 /'mʌðə/

3 /'næʃənəl/

8 /'fæsmeɪtɪŋ/

4 /θɜ:'ti:n/

9 /edʒʊ'keɪʃənəl/

5 /'pleɪzə/

10 /ə'slɪ:p/

3.2 Which words are being defined?

9 marks

Example words with similar meanings *SYNONYMS*

1 a kind of verb that must have an object

2 how words characteristically go together

3 how a word is said

4 the word used to talk about which syllable has the most emphasis when a word is said

5 a kind of verb that doesn't need an object

6 a short form of a longer word

7 words with opposite meanings

8 a word used before a noun, noun phrase or pronoun, connecting it to another word, e.g. *with*, *in*, *from*9 a word like *and*, *although* or *because* that connects two parts of a sentence

3.3 Underline the stressed syllables in these words.

6 marks

Example elegant

1 extract (noun)

4 lifestyle

2 supply

5 record (verb)

3 thermometer

6 record (noun)

3.4 Correct the mistakes in these sentences.

10 marks

Example I found the film absolutely ~~fascinated~~. *fascinating*.

1 The accused man denied to steal the car.

2 The college will supply you of a coursebook.

3 I suggest you to revise the first three units of this book before the test.

4 You shouldn't make such hurtfull remarks.

5 When are you going to get round to tidy your bedroom?

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Guessing and explaining meaning

4.1 Explain the meanings of the underlined words / phrases.

10 marks

Example The city centre is now a car-free zone. *cars are not allowed*

- 1 How can you be so cold-hearted?
- 2 The company has decided to discontinue its de luxe range.
- 3 Kate is up to her ears in work at the moment.
- 4 It was a scene of unimaginable devastation.
- 5 There was a large anti-government demonstration at the weekend.
- 6 I use my bread-maker almost every day.
- 7 They said they hadn't received my email and asked me to resend it.
- 8 The island has been uninhabited for some years now.
- 9 Both the bride and the groom are experiencing some pre-wedding nerves.
- 10 The creatures wake in March after a three-month period of hibernation.

4.2 Match the underlined words in the sentences to the most likely meanings in the box.

5 marks

type of flower	type of bird	type of tool	type of movement
type of laughing	type of food		

Example I'd like a large macaroon to have with my coffee please. *type of food*

- 1 The teacher looked up when she heard the girls at the back of the class tittering.
- 2 Jake used a big saw to cut down the tree.
- 3 There were some tall delphiniums in the border next to the garden gate.
- 4 As I watched, the snake slithered into the long grass.
- 5 The noise made me look up and I saw a colourful woodpecker perched on a high branch of a tall pine.

4.3 What do these compound nouns mean?

10 marks

Example a bicycle helmet *a helmet for a cyclist to wear*

- | | |
|------------------|-----------------------|
| 1 a glasses case | 6 a butter dish |
| 2 a cat basket | 7 an ice cream maker |
| 3 a teaspoon | 8 a computer magazine |
| 4 a bus lane | 9 a bottle opener |
| 5 a footstool | 10 a streetlight |

4.4 Complete the sentences with words based on the words in brackets.

10 marks

Example A ~~bi-monthly~~ report is one which comes out every two months. (month)

- 1 Simon's being very with everyone today for some reason. (rat)
- 2 After such a long absence, I found the town almost (recognise)
- 3 The fields were full of carefully crops. (tend)
- 4 People from that area are well-known for their, with many surviving until 90 or 100. (long)
- 5 We have to the old gas cooker and they'll take it away when they deliver the new one. (connect)
- 6 people think it is bad luck to walk under a ladder. (superstition)
- 7 The average human is increasing in most countries. (span)
- 8 Payne's last novel was as he died before writing the final chapter. (finish)
- 9 Emily has a nut allergy so she can only eat cakes or biscuits if they're (nut)
- 10 I think you should the card before sending it, as you've made several spelling mistakes in it. (write)

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Countries, nationalities and languages

5.1 Do these places need *the* in front of them? Put *the* or – .

10 marks

Example France

- | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 United Kingdom | 6 Canada |
| 2 Australia | 7 USA |
| 3 Arctic | 8 Poland |
| 4 Philippines | 9 Argentina |
| 5 India | 10 United Arab Emirates |

5.2 Make nationality / cultural identity adjectives from these countries.

10 marks

Example Pakistan *Pakistani*.....

- | | |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Japan | 6 Iraq |
| 2 Brazil | 7 Denmark |
| 3 Ireland | 8 Turkey |
| 4 Bangladesh | 9 Iceland |
| 5 Korea | 10 Thailand |

5.3 Correct the mistakes in these sentences.

10 marks

Example She went to ~~the~~ Russia on holiday.

- I think she married a French.
- Do you speak any Arab?
- My sister was born in the Central East, in Jordan to be precise.
- I plan to learn some Greece before I go to live in Athens.
- Stand in this queue if you have an European passport.
- I'd love to visit the Antarctica.
- I met some very nice Finnish and Swedish on holiday.
- Amsterdam is the capital of Netherlands, even though The Hague is the seat of government.
- Columbus sailed across the Atlantic to Caribbean.
- We had a wonderful holiday in the Switzerland mountains.

5.4 What do we call ...

5 marks

Example ... a person who comes from Israel? *an Israeli*

- ... someone who only speaks one language?
- ... someone who speaks many languages?
- ... the language you learnt from your birth?
- ... different forms of the same language?
- ... a person who comes from Cyprus?

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