

1 Complete the table.

Verb	Person	Activity
		dancing
	builder	
		painting
act		
play		

2 Put the dates in the correct order from the start of the year.

- a 24th November _____
- b the fifteenth of April _____
- c 6th May _____
- d 8th August _____
- e the twelfth of March _____
- f 1st January _____

3 Complete the sentences with *on*, *in*, *from* or *to*.

- a There is a festival in Barcelona on Sunday.
- b Mother's Day in Japan is _____ May.
- c The park opens _____ the spring.
- d The Chinese New Year is _____ 12th February.
- e I always go to the gym _____ Saturdays.
- f My boss is on a business trip _____ 9th June _____ 2nd July.

4 Complete the sentences with the correct verb.

- a A Does Daniel work in a team?
B No, he _____. He _____ on his own.
- b A _____ you enjoy your course?
B Yes, I _____. It's really interesting.
- c A _____ the team have a lot of work today?
B Yes, they _____. They _____ a busy schedule.
- d A How many hours _____ Eileen study a week?
B She _____ for about eight hours.
- e A Where _____ you usually study?
B I usually _____ at home.

5 Read the text and answer the questions.

Litang is a town in Sichuan Province in China. It is famous for its horse festival, which takes place each year in August. The Kham people come to the festival from all over Tibet. They stay in tents during the festival and have horse-riding competitions during the day. In the evening, there are dances and everyone wears their best clothes. A lot of tourists come to the festival and it is very important for the local economy.

- a What is Litang famous for? _____
- b When does the horse festival take place? _____
- c Where do people stay? _____
- d What sort of competitions do they have? _____
- e Who comes to the festival? _____

6 Complete the suggestions.

- a My _____ is to organize a concert.
- b What _____ putting a poster on the college noticeboard?
- c We _____ invite our friends and family.
- d Why _____ we ask Carl to help with the music?

7 Complete the text about a family's plans with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

My family is meeting ^a (meet) in London next week for my mother's birthday. My brother _____ ^b (come) from Canada and my sister _____ ^c (fly) over from Australia. Unfortunately, my other sister _____ ^d (not come) because she _____ ^e (move) house that week. We _____ ^f (have) a big party in a hotel and then we _____ ^g (go) on holiday together for a few days. It'll be great!

8 Complete the invitations and responses.

- a A Would you like to come to a party tomorrow?
B I'd _____ to _____.
- b A Would you like to _____ to the cinema this evening?
B I'd _____ to. What time shall we meet?

1 Write the opposites of the words.

- a expensive cheap
- b heavy _____
- c big _____
- d easy _____
- e long _____
- f wide _____

2 Read the camera reviews. Write sentences comparing the two cameras.

- a _____
- b _____
- c _____
- d _____
- e _____

Delta XS**Price** £159**Size** 100 mm x 35 mm**Weight** 600 g

- Very good quality photos
- Easy for beginners and advanced users

BK480**Price** £340**Size** 70 mm x 28 mm**Weight** 230 g

- Good quality photos
- Only for advanced users

3 Complete the sentences with *little*, *less*, *few* or *fewer*.

- a We have a little time before the train arrives.
- b There are a _____ chocolates in the tin.
- c I have _____ assignments than Gina. She has five and I have two.
- d There is _____ money in the bank this month than last month.

4 Write the superlative form of the adjectives.

- a comfortable the most comfortable
- b cheap _____
- c cosy _____
- d modern _____
- e robust _____
- f good _____
- g simple _____
- h suitable _____
- i traditional _____

5 Complete the shopping dialogue with the correct words.

- Assistant** Can I help ^a you?
- Customer** Yes. I _____ ^b a smart jacket for work.
- Assistant** How about this black one?
- Customer** Mmm. I think this blue one is _____ ^c. Can I _____ ^d it on?
- Assistant** Yes, of course.
- Customer** It's a bit small. Do you have a _____ ^e size?
- Assistant** I'm sorry, but this is the _____ ^f size we've got in blue, but we do have your size in black.
- Customer** OK, well, I'll _____ ^g the black one, then.
- Assistant** How _____ ^h you like to pay?
- Customer** By cash, please.

1 Put the quantifiers from the box in the correct order from 100% to 0%.

a few	a lot of	everyone	most
nearly all	no one	not many	some

2 Complete the names of the life events.

- a h _ v _ _ b _ by
- b g _ t m _ rr _ _ d
- c l _ _ v _ _ n _ v _ rs _ ty
- d r _ t _ r _ fr _ m w _ rk
- e g _ t _ dr _ v _ ng l _ c _ nc _

3 Complete the text with the past form of the verbs in brackets.

Paul left ^a (leave) school in 2007. He ^b (spend) the summer working as a van driver, and then he ^c (go) to university to study Accountancy. He ^d (have) a placement with a record company, which he ^e (enjoy). He ^f (graduate) in 2010, and ^g (start) work for a music company. After two years, he ^h (decide) to set up his own accountancy company. He also ⁱ (meet) Katie and in 2014 they ^j (get) married. Now he teaches Accountancy in a college in Sydney.

4 Use the information opposite to answer the questions about Richard Rogers.

- a Where was he born?
He was born in Florence.
- b What did he study in London?

- c When did he graduate from Yale University?

- d Who did he marry in 1973?

- e What did he design between 1989 and 1995?

- f How many prizes did he win?

Dates Events

1933	Born in Florence, Italy
1954–9	Studies Architecture at Architectural Association, London
1962	Graduates from Yale University, USA
1971–7	Works with Renzo Piano to design Pompidou Centre, Paris
1973	Marries Ruth Elias, his second marriage. They have two children.
1977	Forms Richard Rogers Partnership
1989–95	Designs the European Court of Human Rights, Strasbourg, France
2000–7	Wins Japan Art Association's Praemium Imperiale Prize, Stirling Prize for his work on Madrid airport, and Pritzker Architecture Prize

5 Write a short paragraph about Richard Rogers. Use the past simple and time markers.

6 Complete the exchanges.

- a A Did you enjoy the concert?
B Yes, I enjoyed it very much.
- b A _____ it very expensive?
B No, it was only \$20.
- c A _____ you have anything to eat?
B Yes, we had a pizza.
- d A _____ you get home late?
B A little late. We got home by 12.00.
- e A _____ you tired this morning?
B Yes. I got up quite late!

7 Complete the conversation tips.

- a Don't do all _____.
- b Make your conversations _____.
- c Be friendly and _____.
- d Make eye contact when the other person _____.
- e Change topics _____.
- f Ask _____.

1 Match the verbs with the phrases.

- | | |
|------------|-------------------|
| a take | first |
| b come | playing piano |
| c win | an exam |
| d get | a race |
| e be | a good score |
| f practise | good at something |

2 Complete Amir's description of his training programme.

feedback	improve	monitors
records	session	targets

My trainer watches me do a training session ^a. She _____ ^b my performance. Then she gives me _____. ^c She also gives me suggestions about how to _____. ^d She sets _____ ^e for the next performance and she _____ ^f the results.

3 Complete the advice about learning to drive with *can*, *must* or *should*.

- a You must _____ have a licence to drive a car.
- b In the UK, you _____ take a driving test when you are 17 years old.
- c You _____ drive carefully in wet weather.
- d You _____ pass your test without an instructor, but you probably _____ take some professional driving lessons.
- e You _____ keep to the speed limit.
- f You _____ stop driving when you feel tired.

4 Read the text and answer the questions on the following page.

Lance Armstrong is an American. He was a professional cyclist and won the Tour de France seven times between 1999 and 2005. But, in 2012, a blood test showed that he took drugs to improve his performance. He lost his titles and he cannot take part in any professional cycling competitions. He also lost a lot of money because companies did not want to use his name in adverts. People say he damaged the sport of cycling, but he says that other cyclists also took drugs and that he was unlucky.

a Who is Lance Armstrong?

b What did he do wrong?

c What was the result?

d How does he feel about the situation now?

5 Complete the questions with *be going to*.

a What / do tomorrow?

What are you going to do tomorrow?

We're going to watch Novak Djokovic play tennis.

b Where / go on holiday?

I'm going to go to Greece.

c Who / give the presentation?

I think Mike is.

d When / come back?

They are going to come back on Saturday.

6 Put the requests and offers in the correct order.

a the break / make / you / could / for / some / coffee / ?

Could you make some coffee for the break?

b prepare / I / presentation / PowerPoint / shall / a / ?

c you / would / me / like / some / to / copies / make / ?

d chairs / get / John / help / could / you / some / ?

e the door / start / shall / close / I / we / before / ?

1 Put the stages of the problem-solving process in the correct order (1-7).

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|-------------------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|
| a take action | _____ | e explore the problem | _____ |
| b evaluate the solution | _____ | f select an option | _____ |
| c identify the problem | _____ | g look at options | _____ |
| d set aims | _____ | | |

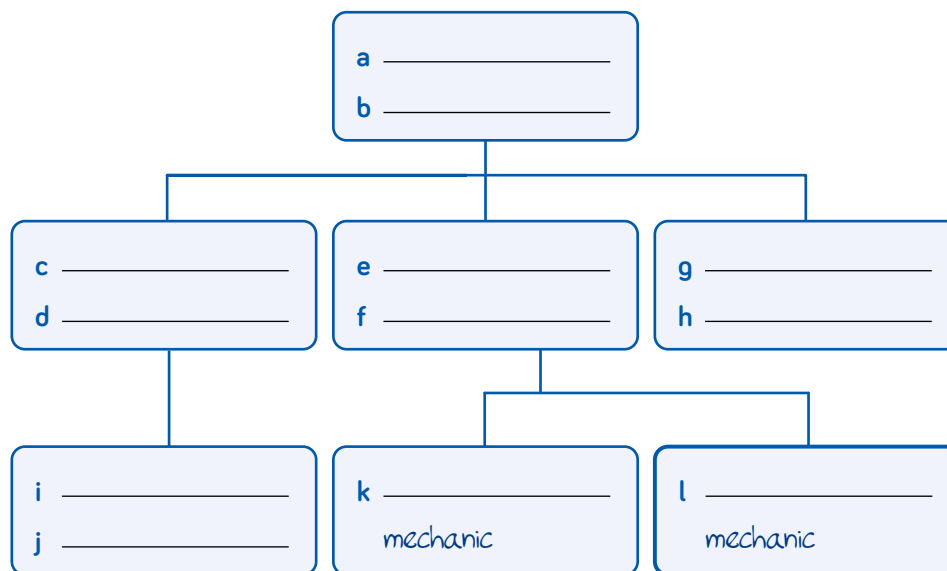
2 Read the company description and complete the chart.

The Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Grovelands Garage is Mike Taylor. Three people report to him: Cassie Knight, Derek Reeve and Georgina Newson.

Cassie is the Finance Manager and she has an assistant, Paul Walsh.

Derek is the Services Manager. He deals with customers and manages two mechanics: Ian Porter and Jeff Barnes.

Georgina is the Sales and Marketing Manager. There is no one in her team at the moment.

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

- a I worked in the London offices this week, but usually I work (work) in Manchester.
- b Karen _____ (talk) to a customer at the moment.
- c I usually go to the library to study, but today I _____ (study) at home.
- d Graham _____ (study) French History at University. At the moment, he _____ (read) about the French Revolution.
- e I'm a temp. I _____ (work) for a design company.
- f Oli _____ (take) the bus to college each day.

- 4** Complete the text about Greg and Martine's holiday. Use *too*, *enough* or *wasn't enough* and a suitable adjective.

Our holiday was OK, but we had a few problems. There was a lot of traffic on the airport road, so we arrived at the airport too late^a to get good seats on the flight. Our suitcase was _____^b so we paid extra. The hotel was OK, but our bed wasn't _____^c for two people so I slept on the sofa. The music from the night club next door was _____^d so we didn't sleep well. I think it was _____^e – it cost \$150 a night with no food. The weather was quite good though, and it was _____^f to go swimming. The town was attractive, but it was _____^g from the hotel. It took an hour to walk there. Luckily, the flight home was fine!

- 5** Write the questions to the answers about Greg and Martine's holiday.

a Where did you go?

We went to Bermuda.

b _____

We stayed in an expensive hotel.

c _____

Because it's a beautiful island.

d _____

We stayed for a week.

e _____

It cost \$900 each.