

Unit 7 Standard Test A ★ ★

Listening

1 [1.09] Listen to the interview. Choose the correct words. (10 marks)

- 1 Alan Jones is in the news because he has **hidden / discovered / stolen** some treasure.
- 2 Mr Jones is **a builder / an archaeologist / a farmer**.
- 3 Last week, Mr Jones decided to **renovate / destroy / locate** an old building.
- 4 When Mr Jones noticed something on the ground, he thought it was **something very old / a piece of plastic / a valuable coin**.
- 5 When he first looked at the necklace, it was **dirty / broken / ugly**.
- 6 When archaeologists excavated the area where the necklace was buried, they found **a few coins / nothing else / some other valuable objects**.
- 7 The jewellery **is being restored / has been restored / doesn't need to be restored**.
- 8 Soon, all the jewellery will be **sold / given back to Mr Jones / displayed to the public**.
- 9 Mr Jones **has discussed / is going to discuss / isn't going to discuss** the value of the jewellery with experts.
- 10 At the moment, Mr Jones wants to **go back to work / visit the museum / talk to an expert**.

Vocabulary

2 Complete the phrases with the words in the box. There are two words you do not need. (5 marks)

industrial lanes line ruins space stadium venue

- 1 railway _____
- 2 sports _____
- 3 ancient _____
- 4 bike _____
- 5 green _____

3 Complete the words. (10 marks)

- 1 The l_____ facilities in this town are good. There's a skatepark and a swimming pool.
- 2 The worst thing about my city is the heavy t_____. There are too many cars!
- 3 P_____ walkways are for people on foot. Cars aren't allowed to use them.
- 4 In the summer, we sometimes go to the open-air c_____ in the evening to watch a film.
- 5 This park is for everyone in the city. It's a p_____ space.
- 6 The thief didn't find the jewels. They were h_____ under the floor.
- 7 This castle was b_____ 500 years ago.
- 8 Our school is l_____ near the park.
- 9 An expert e_____ the coin, and told me it was very old and valuable.
- 10 You can't visit the venue any more. It was d_____ in a fire last year.

Language focus

4 Complete the sentences using the correct passive form of the verbs in the box. (14 marks)

find invite make renovate sell take write

- 1 Our school has a small shop. Pens and notebooks _____ there.
- 2 Have you _____ to Martin's birthday party?
- 3 Have you read this funny email? It _____ by my cousin.
- 4 This old Roman vase is very valuable. It _____ of gold.
- 5 These photos _____ by my brother when we were on holiday.
- 6 This old building looks terrible right now, but it will _____ next year.
- 7 I lost my phone yesterday morning, but luckily it _____ by one of my friends.

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5 Write passive questions about the discovery of some coins. Use the prompts. (6 marks)

that treasure / find / an archaeologist / ?

Was that treasure found by an archaeologist?

1 where / those old coins / discover / ?

2 what / they / make / of / ?

3 been / examine / an expert / ?

6 Choose the correct words. (5 marks)

1 I can't drink this coffee. There's

enough / too much / plenty sugar in it.

2 It's raining today. There are only **a few / a little /**

too many people in the park.

3 I can't buy a ticket for the concert. I haven't got

lots / enough / little money.

4 I didn't pass the exam, because I made

enough / too many / a little mistakes.

5 English is very popular in my country.

Too much / Enough / Lots of people speak it.

Reading

City life: a teen gives his opinions

What do you think of your city, David? It's OK. I like living here, but there are plenty of things that could be improved.

What do you like about the city? The best thing is that there are lots of green spaces. I like cycling, so it's good to have places where I can ride my bike safely.

Do you ever cycle in the city centre? No, never – there are too many cars and buses, and it's dangerous. It would be good if the amount of traffic in the city centre could be reduced, but I don't think that will happen. There are a few people who only use public transport, but most people love their cars!

Apart from the traffic, what don't you like about the city? The main problem is that there aren't enough things for young people to do. I've heard that a skatepark might be built sometime – that would be brilliant, but it hasn't happened yet. We need somewhere to listen to music, too. We need a music venue where we can see live bands.

What else could be improved? There are some good leisure facilities, but they're too expensive. For example, there's a modern sports stadium – it was only built two years ago – but tickets cost £25. That's too much for most young people.

What other leisure facilities are there? There's an old swimming pool in my neighbourhood, but that's closed at the moment. They're renovating it, and work will be finished in a few weeks. I haven't seen the new pool, but I've been told it's really cool and modern. I'm looking forward to going there. I hope it doesn't cost too much!

7 Read the interview. Complete the sentences.

Write two words. (10 marks)

1 There are plenty of _____ in the city where it's safe to go cycling.

2 Some people in the city use public transport, but most people prefer to use _____.

3 David would like more things for _____ to do in the city.

4 The sports stadium _____ two years ago.

5 David _____ the new swimming pool yet.

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Communication

8 Complete the description of two photographs.

(5 marks)

These pictures show two different places. In the first picture, there's lots of traffic. It ¹I _____ like London, but I'm not ²s_____. By ³c_____, the second picture shows a small town. It ⁴c_____ be an old photo, because there aren't any cars or buses. I prefer the second photo, ⁵b_____ there are more green spaces.

Writing

9 Write a description of your school. Use some of the phrases in the box and the plan to help you.

Write 80–100 words. (10 marks)

built in ... located in ...
It's next to / between / across from ...
Look up / down / left / right, and you'll see ...
around under inside between

Paragraph 1: Say where your school is located.

Paragraph 2: Describe the school and its buildings.

Paragraph 3: Talk about some of the places in the school.

Total marks:

Listening _____ / 10 Vocabulary _____ / 15
Language focus _____ / 25 Reading _____ / 10
Communication _____ / 5 Writing _____ / 10
TOTAL _____ / 75