

1 Read the text about Joana's graduation trip and fill in the gaps with the missing words. There are extra words, be careful! (1 POINT)

CARRY-ON BAG - CASH - FIRST-AID KIT
HIKING BOOTS - MEDICATION - PASSPORT - SANDALS
PLANE TICKET - ID - SUITCASE - SWIMSUIT
VACCINATION - CREDIT CARD - TRIP - COLLEGE - BOOK

Joana was so excited about her graduation trip, she just graduated from high school and wants to make the most of it before getting ready to go to college. She packed her carry-on bag carefully, nothing could go wrong or be forgotten on this trip.

On the way to the airport she was already holding her plane ticket, it was a national trip so she didn't need a passport, but she also needed her ID to prove that the ticket was really hers.

When she got there she realized that things were very expensive, and she thought: "it's a good thing I brought my credit card, my cash won't be enough". Even so, she prepared herself for all the activities the next day, for the trail in the morning she took her hiking boots, for the afternoon in the pool her swimsuit.

And it was just the beginning of the trip, many things would happen...

2 Choose the correct modifier to complete the sentences. (1 POINT)

- a) The movie was much / very better than I was expecting.
- b) That park is by far / much more the best in town.
- c) It was by far / much the nicest of all the hotels we stayed at.
- d) The party was much / one of better than I'd expected.
- e) That was easily / a little the best fish I've had for ages.
- f) I'm one of / by far the oldest students in my class.
- g) He earns much / many more money than I do.
- h) He's driving a lot / easily more carefully since he got points on his license.
- i) Mandarin is easily / one of the most spoken languages in the world.
- j) She is easily / one of the most beautiful girl I've ever seen.

3 A Choose the correct words, Two are correct and two incorrect. (0,5 POINT)

- a) Hang up your **books**, **coat**, **trash**, **phone**.
b) Take out the **groceries**, **trash**, **garbage**, **yard**.
c) Turn off the **lights**, **garbage**, **TV**, **toys**.
d) Pick up your **lights**, **things**, **books**, **cats**.
e) Put away your **clothes**, **microwave**, **dog**, **groceries**.

B Write responses to these requests. Use **it** or **them**. (0,5 POINT)

- a) Pick up your book: **Ok. I'll pick it up.**
b) Please put the clean clothes away: **All right. I'll put them away.**
c) Clean up the rooms: **Ok. I'll clean them up.**
d) Please turn off the tv: **All right. I'll turn it off.**

4 Complete the sentences with the past perfect form of the verbs in brackets. (1 POINT)

- a) He **had lived** (live) in Germany before she went to Brazil.
b) After I **had eaten** (eat) the birthday cake, I began to feel sick.
c) If we **had listened** (listen) to her, we would have got the best place in the theater.
d) Ingrid didn't arrive there until after I **had left** (leave).
e) When I **had finished** (finish) lunch, I called him.

5 Write requests to the following situations. **The answers of the students may vary according to the expressions they decide to use.** (1 POINT)

- a) You need an eraser and your classmate has one. What do you say?

Could you lend me an eraser? / Could I borrow your eraser?

- b) You just got home from the supermarket and you have lots of shopping bags to take home. What do you say?

Could I trouble you to help me with these bags?

- c) You are studying in your room but can't concentrate because your family is too noisy. What do you say?

Would you mind not making so much noise? I'm trying to study.

d) You want to travel on vacation with your family, but you think your boss won't give you this time off. What do you say?

Could I possibly take some time off so I can travel with my family?

e) You will be late for dinner because you needed to work overtime, and you promised you would cook, but you won't be able to do that! What do you say?

Would it be too much trouble for you to cook the dinner? I have to work late.

7 Fill in the gaps with the words given on the right. Pay attention, some can be repeated.

(1 POINT)

a) **A:** How much is this smartwatch?

B: I don't know, it was a gift.

b) **A:** How old is your mother?

B: She is seventy.

c) **A:** How many friends have you got?

B: A lot, I'm very popular.

d) **A:** How often do you work out?

B: Three times a week.

e) **A:** How well do you speak French?

B: I am fluent.

e) **A:** How long have you been studying English?

B: 2 years.

f) **A:** How long does it take you to get home from work?

B: It usually takes 30 minutes.

g) **A:** How tall is your father?

B: He is a basketball player, his height is 6'11.

LONG
WELL
MUCH
MANY
TALL
OFTEN
OLD

8 Rewrite the sentence using reported speech, next to the phrase there will be the name of the person that said each sentence.

a) **Stephenie:** - I wrote my essay yesterday.

She said she had written (or wrote) her essay the day before.

b) **Maria:** - I've brought a delicious cake for us.

She said she had brought a delicious cake for us (or them).

c) **Alan:** - The students need to study harder, they aren't getting good grades.

He said the students needed to study harder, they weren't getting good grades.

d) **Lissa**: - My cousin washes his car every week.

She said her cousin washed his car every week.

e) **James**: - I will travel to China next year.

He said he would travel to China the following year.

- 9** Five sentences have been removed from the text below. For each question, choose the correct answer. (1 POINT)

The Crime of the Century

When the Mona Lisa was stolen from the Louvre in Paris in 1911 it caused a sensation and left the art world and police puzzled as to how it had been taken and who had carried out the crime. It also helped make the work of art probably the most famous painting in the world.

At first, the police suspected artists who didn't like classical works of art of carrying out the crime. The poet Apollinaire was arrested and questioned for a few days. (1)...**E**....

However, the true thief was an Italian man named Vincenzo Peruggia. He had a criminal record and had found work in the Louvre for a time. On the day the crime took place, he entered the museum along with other museum employees wearing the same white smock. (2)...**B**.... He then took the painting off the wall and left the building with the work of art wrapped in his white smock.

Peruggia kept the painting for two years in his Paris apartment before eventually contacting an Italian art dealer, offering to return the painting to Florence for a reward. (3)...**D**.... He argued he was returning the painting to its rightful home.

He was finally arrested after passing the painting to the dealer. However, many Italians saw his actions as those of a national hero. (4)...**C**.... The painting was indeed shown off around Italy before it was eventually returned to Paris and the Louvre.

(5)...**A**.... However, after being stolen and finally returned, it became more well known, its popularity grew and, as we know now, made the Mona Lisa smile famous around the world.

- A Previously, the painting had been admired by experts.
- B He waited until there was nobody in the gallery.
- C Because of this, he only went to prison for a short while.
- D He said that he was doing his duty as a proud Italian.
- E Even the great Pablo Picasso was thought by some to be guilty.

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Relative clauses. Choose the best answers.

(1 POINT)

a) I know a great restaurant ... we can get lunch. that who where**b)** The movie ... we saw last week won three awards. who when which**c)** The people ... names are on the list will stay here. whose that where**d)** Food ... is imported from other countries is expensive. that where when**e)** My home is a place ... I can come and relax after work. who where whose**f)** My grandfather remembers the time ... there was no television. where which when**g)** The cookies ... you baked yesterday were really delicious. whom which when**h)** Can you find the teacher ... you talked to this morning? where who whom**i)** I visited my uncle ... lives in a different country. who which when**j)** I want to borrow the book ... you bought last month. whom when that