

Unit 2 Short Test 1B

Grammar

- 1 Complete the text with the correct past continuous affirmative and negative forms of the verbs below. There are two extra verbs.

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Last weekend my family decided to go for a picnic in the park. At 9 a.m., Dad ¹ _____ things in the car, and my brother and sister ² _____ for the dog. Mum ³ _____ the sandwiches. Everyone was busy, but I ⁴ _____ them. In fact, I ⁵ _____ anything because I was still in bed!

Mark: ___ / 5

- 2 Look at the dialogues and complete the questions. Use the past continuous.

Sue My sister was busy in the kitchen all afternoon.

Gina What ¹ _____ ?

Sue She was cooking the food for the party.

Jan I was at school on Saturday afternoon.

Ben What ² _____ there at the weekend?

Jan I was practising for the school play.

Jen Mum and Dad were on a plane when they met.

Sally Really? Where ³ _____ to?

Jen They were flying to Paris!

Elliot I saw Lisa at the weekend. She was walking on the beach.

Ruby Oh, who ⁴ _____ with?

Elliot Two girls, but I don't know their names.

Joe Sorry I didn't come out last night. I was writing a story.

Harry What ⁵ _____ a story about?

Joe It was a story about some vampires.

Mark: ___ / 5

Vocabulary

3 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 1 The children can go into the lake here because the water's very **deep** / **shallow**.
- 2 The boat went quite close to the **cave** / **waterfall**, but we didn't get wet.
- 3 It took us five hours to cross the **desert** / **shore**. I took some great photos of the sand.
- 4 My friend wants to climb Everest and two other high **mountains** / **cliffs** in Asia.
- 5 The trees in this forest are very **low** / **tall**, so I think they're really old.

Mark: ___ / 5

4 Complete the sentences with the prepositions below. There is one extra preposition.

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- 1 I dived _____ the water to see the fish.
- 2 It was difficult to climb _____ the steep cliff, but Gary got to the bottom.
- 3 I walked _____ the door and saw all my friends.
- 4 That bridge goes _____ the river.
- 5 We didn't go _____ the cave because it was very dark.

Mark: ___ / 5

Total: ___ / 20