

Unit 2 Short Test 2A

Grammar

1 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 I saw the man _____ (jump) in front of the cyclist. He was angry and wanted to stop him, but it was a dangerous thing to do.
- 2 One thing that makes me angry is _____ (have) to listen to other people's very loud phone conversations.
- 3 _____ (live) abroad for a year was fun, but I'm glad to be back home now.
- 4 If you have a problem at school, why not _____ (talk) it over with a teacher?
- 5 Have you tried _____ (turn) the key in the opposite direction? Perhaps it will open if you do that.

Mark: ____ / 5

2 Circle the correct form to complete the sentences.

- 1 I don't remember **see** / **to see** / **seeing** Claire at the party, but she's just texted to say she had a great time there.
- 2 I don't mind going for a coffee, but I'd rather **go** / **to go** / **going** home.
- 3 Paula didn't mean **take** / **to take** / **taking** your bag. She did it by accident.
- 4 We'd better **ask** / **to ask** / **asking** permission from a teacher before we go for lunch.
- 5 Sally keeps **ask** / **to ask** / **asking** me to go shopping with her on Saturday, but I don't really want to go.

Mark: ____ / 5

Vocabulary

3 Complete the sentences with preposition and noun phrases. Use a noun from below and add the correct preposition.

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- 1 I left my bag on my desk in one of the classrooms _____, and had to take the bus back to school to get it.
- 2 _____ Jim got back from the school trip, all the shops were closed.
- 3 We were nervous about the match against the school we hated. There wasn't a prize, but our pride was _____.
- 4 The school trip was _____ because the teacher who was in charge was ill.
- 5 We were _____ that the exam would only test grammar. But when we opened the exam paper, we had a nasty surprise.

Mark: ____ / 5

4 Complete the text with the words below. There is one extra word.

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Cybercrime

All over the world, governments and police forces are finding it harder and harder to
¹ _____ cybercrime. While the number of ² _____ crimes, such as shoplifting,
and ³ _____ crimes, such as muggings and murders, are either staying the same, or
only rising slightly, cybercrime is on the increase. The more sophisticated criminals become,
the tougher it is to stop them, and certain areas of cybercrime, such as identity theft and credit
card fraud, are currently very common. Indeed, we are in the middle of a crime
⁴ _____, and if we don't try to stop this form of crime now, it will only get even more
serious. Naturally, governments are putting a lot of money and resources into crime
⁵ _____. In particular, they are trying to stop cybercrimes that threaten the security of
countries, or of their financial institutions. It is a difficult task, and one that will take a long time.

Mark: ____ / 5

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