Unit 4 Extra practice

1 Vocabulary innovation collocations
Unscramble the words to complete these collocations to do with innovation.

1 detnr spot a ____________
2 deen fill a ____________
3 rokathgrubeh make a ____________
4 geats take an idea one ____________ further
5 lehew reinvent the ____________
6 adie have a bright ____________

2 Vocabulary phrasal verb come
Match these phrasal verbs with come (1–6) with their meanings (a–f).

1 come across a encounter
2 come up with b find by chance
3 come up against c happen
4 come off d is a question of
5 come down to e succeed
6 come about f think of

3 Language focus past modals
Choose the correct option to complete the sentences.

1 They’re an hour late. I think their train must have been / should have been delayed.
2 I couldn’t find my new memory stick, so I needn’t have used / had to use my old one.
3 I’m not sure why the company is going to move offices. They might have needed / can’t have needed more space.
4 Their holiday was a disaster: they had nowhere to stay and not enough money. They should have thought / might have thought it through more carefully before they left.
5 Their car is still outside, so they must have left / can’t have left yet.
6 The restaurant was empty when we got there; we needn’t have reserved / should have reserved a table.

4 Idioms partitives
Choose the correct option to complete these partitive expressions.

1 a stroke of hope / luck
2 a drop of paper / water
3 a flash of disappointment / inspiration
4 a glimmer of evidence / hope
5 a sheet of paper / water
6 a hint of disappointment / luck
7 a shred of evidence / inspiration
5 Language focus probability

Look at these sentences. What do the expressions of probability mean? Choose the correct option (a or b).

1 I should pass my exams.
   a I expect I will pass my exams.
   b I don’t think I will pass my exams.

2 He definitely won’t pass his driving test.
   a He will pass his driving test.
   b He won’t pass his driving test.

3 It might rain later.
   a It is certain to rain later.
   b It is possible that it will rain later, but it’s not certain.

4 If the company’s profits don’t increase, they may well have to close down.
   a It’s probable that the company will have to close down.
   b The company will definitely have to close down.

5 The prototype is unlikely to be finished this month.
   a The prototype probably won’t be finished this month.
   b The prototype probably will be finished this month.

6 The likelihood is that the new model will become very popular.
   a It’s not certain that the new model will become popular.
   b It’s very probable that the new model will become popular.

6 Word focus give

Complete the expressions with give using these words.

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1 A: Have you had time to give the proposal some _______________?
   B: Yes, and I think it’s a really good idea.

2 A: I’m so disappointed not to get the job.
   B: Well, I’m sure you gave your _______________ at the interview.

3 A: I’m finding my new course really difficult.
   B: Give it some _______________. It’ll start to get easier soon.

4 A: Yannick is really worried about his new job.
   B: I know. I think he should just give it a _______________ and see what happens. What’s the worst that can happen?

5 A: What did you think of that meeting?
   B: Great! Although I’m really surprised they gave the project the go _______________, given that the profit margins were very small.

6 A: You’re taking ages to upload those documents. Are you nearly finished?
   B: Give me a _______________! I’ve just set up a new system on my computer and it’s taking longer than usual.