

Grammar

1

Example answers

- 1 usually sleep about six or seven hours (a night)
- 2 go on holiday once a year
- 3 don't check them at the weekend
- 4 am reading the Life of Pi by Yann Martel
- 5 is having lunch
- 6 isn't working / is broken at the moment

2

- 1 Swimming
- 2 to come
- 3 waiting
- 4 to take
- 5 must
- 6 don't have to
- 7 can't
- 8 have

3

- 1 It's better than nothing.
- 2 She is not as old as me.
- 3 It's the most expensive dish on the menu .
- 4 The tree is as tall as a house.
- 5 Coffee is much cheaper than tea.
- 6 January is the coldest month.
- 7 It's not the best time to visit.
- 8 I'm feeling much better now.

4

- 1 was watching
- 2 heard
- 3 went
- 4 opened
- 5 looked
- 6 was lying
- 7 did not want
- 8 left

5

- 1 much
- 2 A lot, any
- 3 a few
- 4 some
- 5 the
- 6 many
- 7 a little

6

- 1 I'll help
- 2 are you doing
- 3 I'll answer
- 4 I'm meeting
- 5 are you going to explain
- 6 I'm going to stop
- 7 I'll catch
- 8 I'm going to go

7

- 1 a and b
- 2 b
- 3 b
- 4 thought, found, knew
- 5 a and d
- 6 ____ Brazil has one of THE fastest growing economies in the THE world.

Vocabulary

8

- 1 do
- 2 do
- 3 go
- 4 play
- 5 play
- 6 go
- 7 go

9

- 1 racquet
- 2 courts
- 3 join
- 4 win
- 5 beat
- 6 prize

10

- 1 commuters
- 2 by
- 3 traffic
- 4 rush
- 5 works
- 6 take
- 7 In
- 8 get

11

- 1 in
- 2 at, on
- 3 In
- 4 at, in

12

- 1 b
- 2 d
- 3 f
- 4 a
- 5 e
- 6 c

13

- 1 middle
- 2 child
- 3 pensioner
- 4 adult
- 5 career

Functions

14

- 1 well
- 2 sore
- 3 Let
- 4 feel
- 5 temperature
- 6 should

7 ache

- 8 playing
- 9 to
- 10 at
- 11 doing

15

- 1 drop
- 2 Here
- 3 receipt
- 4 change
- 5 return
- 6 credit
- 7 platform
- 8 check
- 9 passport
- 10 many
- 11 on
- 12 aisle

16

Example answers

- 1 Can I help (2 points)
- 2 'm calling (1 point)
- 3 to cancel (2 points)
- 4 going (1 point)
- 5 would love (2 points)
- 6 'm going (1 point)
- 7 would be (2 points)

17

Example answer

It could be something you ate or it could be that the food was very different. Try eating plain food for a few days. If it continues, you should see a doctor.

18

Example answers

- 1 Gustaf phoned. Please call him back.
- 2 Thanks for getting tickets. See you outside theatre at 7.
- 3 On train. Arrives 4.15. Will walk to meet you.
- 4 Jasmine can't come to meeting. Please take notes for her.

19

- 1 was walking
- 2 was shining
- 3 were sitting
- 4 heard
- 5 ran
- 6 came
- 7 saw
- 8 was waving
- 9 took
- 10 jumped
- 11 pulled

Speaking

Do speaking tasks in pairs and allow approximately four minutes per task (two minutes each). Give the tasks to the students five minutes before the interview to give them time to prepare. Mark the students on their ability to speak clearly and accurately with a good pronunciation. Give extra marks for natural expression and a good range of vocabulary.

Score

maximum total points = 200

total points without Speaking = 170