

**GRAMMAR**

**I. Complete the article by putting the verbs in brackets into the correct forms.**

As far back as I remember I **1.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**be, never**) happy. Last year **2.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**be**) the worst for me. I **3.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**must do**) things I didn't like. And now I **4.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**go**) to Paris tomorrow for half a year. Yes, it **5.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**sound**) fascinating, I know, but it **6.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**not make**) me happy. I **7.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**live**) with my uncle Fred who is very strict. I **8.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**must do**) so many things that I don't like to do that I really **9.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**hate**) the idea of going there. When I am grown up, I **10.** \_\_\_\_\_ (**not must do**) anything I don't like.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 pts

**II. Fill in the correct article 'a/an', 'the' or write 'Ø' for no article.**

11. I live in \_\_\_\_\_ Great Britain.
12. My grandfather was \_\_\_\_\_ M.P. (Member of Parliament).
13. \_\_\_\_\_ potatoes are expensive this year.
14. Have you seen \_\_\_\_\_ dress I bought this morning?
15. \_\_\_\_\_ most of the pupils arrived late.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 5 pts

**Total \_\_\_\_\_ / 15 points**

**V O C A B U L A R Y**

**I. Come up with the correct words to fit these definitions:**

1. A TV show about nature, history, science and so on. \_\_\_\_\_
2. A serious TV show about imaginary people and events. \_\_\_\_\_
3. A funny TV show about imaginary people and events. \_\_\_\_\_
4. A TV programme on which contestants compete for prizes. \_\_\_\_\_
5. A report by the media about the day's events. \_\_\_\_\_
6. A TV show where the host asks guests about different topics. \_\_\_\_\_
7. If a film's story comes from a novel, it's \_\_\_\_\_ on a novel.
8. A mystery movie is sometimes called a \_\_\_\_\_.
9. All of the actors and actresses are called the \_\_\_\_\_.
10. What's on in the movie \_\_\_\_\_?

**II. Write the opposites next to the words below:**

11. go - \_\_\_\_\_
12. light - \_\_\_\_\_
13. front - \_\_\_\_\_
14. amateur - \_\_\_\_\_
15. sharp - \_\_\_\_\_
16. above - \_\_\_\_\_
17. deposit - \_\_\_\_\_
18. innocent - \_\_\_\_\_
19. take - \_\_\_\_\_
20. wonderful - \_\_\_\_\_

**Total \_\_\_\_\_ / 10 points (0.5 for each)**

**READING COMPREHENSION**

Read the story and then answer the questions below. Circle YES or NO or write the appropriate words.

**First News Reader ‘Over the Moon’ after Spending Day with Veteran NASA Astronaut**

An eight-year-old from Harrogate had his dreams come true recently as he got to interview veteran NASA astronaut James F Reilly. Oliver Grattoni-May won a competition run by Attraction Tickets Direct, who arranged for Oliver and his whole family to travel to London for the interview.

During the day Oliver was filmed interviewing Reilly and asked dozens of questions to find out everything he’d ever wanted to know about space travel. Oliver was presented with his very own NASA jump suit and a goodie bag including space ice-cream and a coin made from the metal flown on one of the Apollo space missions. He also got to take home a giant Apollo model, which now has pride of place in his school, Ashville College in Harrogate.

Oliver’s mum, Katharine, said that this had been a dream come true for Oliver and that he had “been inspired by his experience and in believing in his dreams because sometimes they do come true!”

Reilly is visiting the UK to promote the Kennedy Space Center Visitor Complex – the world’s most authentic space attraction. The competition was organised and hosted by Attraction Tickets Direct.

James F Reilly has spent more than 850 hours in space, has completed five spacewalks, three Space Shuttle missions and multiple visits to the International Space Station. During these missions, he has collectively travelled more than 14 million miles and orbited the earth more than 550 times.

1. Mr Reilly invited Oliver and his family to London. YES / NO
2. Oliver filmed the veteran astronaut all day. YES / NO
3. Oliver visited the Kennedy Space Center. YES / NO
4. It was Oliver’s dream to win the competition. YES / NO
5. Did Oliver get any souvenirs? YES / NO
6. Mr Reilly was in space three times. YES / NO
7. Which words in the text mean ‘very delighted’? \_\_\_\_\_
8. Some exciting things were provided in a \_\_\_\_\_.
9. How many times has Mr. Reilly flown around the earth? \_\_\_\_\_
10. Where can you admire the Apollo model? \_\_\_\_\_

**Total \_\_\_\_\_ / 10 points**

**LISTENING COMPREHENSION**

**I. You will hear a funny story twice. Decide on and circle the right answers – letters a), b), c) or d) for each statement.**

**1. She put on her \_\_.**

- a) bonnet                                      b) clothes                                      c) hat                                      d) bag

**2. She found a \_\_.**

- a) grave                                      b) soup                                      c) bone                                      d) gate

**3. She was awakened by a \_\_.**

- a) mouse                                      b) voice                                      c) cat                                      d) bone

**4. What frightened her?**

- a) The time.                                      b) A cupboard.                                      c) A voice.                                      d) A head.

**5. At last she shouted:**

- a) HATE IT!                                      b) KEEP IT!                                      c) TAKE IT!                                      d) GET IT!

**II. Write only one word in each gap in the text below according to the story.**

And when this **6.** \_\_\_\_\_ got into the **7.** \_\_\_\_\_,  
she saw a **8.** \_\_\_\_\_ bone on a **9.** \_\_\_\_\_ for  
her **10.** \_\_\_\_\_.

**Total \_\_\_\_\_ / 5 points (0.5 for each)**

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