# ANSWER KEY

## GRAMMAR – 15 pts

1 – has	6 – but	11 – few
2 – the	7 – of	12 <b>–</b> a
3 – a	8 – to	13 – In / This
4 – and	9 – not	14 –on / along
5 – not	10 – had	15 – to

#### VOCABULARY - 10 pts

1 – A	visitors	6 – A	grumbling
2 – C	hectic	7 – B	terrible
3 <b>–</b> B	yelling	8 – B	out
4 – A	Later	9 – A	mumbling
5 – C	sobbing	10 – A	dull

## **READING COMPREHENSION – 10 pts**

1 – B	6 – B
2 – A	7 – A
3 – C	8 – D
4 – A	9 <b>–</b> C
5 – D	10 – D

## LISTENING COMPREHENSION - 5 pts

- 1 B
- 2 F
- 3 A
- 4 C
- 5 D

# ROLEPLAY

## Teacher – Friend

You are going to have an important job interview and you need some advice. Luckily, you have a friend who is an expert on *how to get the job of your dreams*.

You need some advice on

- What clothes you should wear
- If you can ask questions
- How much you should talk
- How to use your body in a good way
- If you can smile or be more serious
- What the right amount of politeness is
- How to respond properly or show disagreement or misunderstanding

You start!

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## ROLEPLAY

#### Student – Friend

Your friend needs some advice because he/she is going to have an important job interview. You are an expert who can help a lot because you work in a personal relationship office.

# LISTENING TAPESCRIPT (Please read twice.)

## Speaker 1:

I read quite a lot but I can't really say I prefer one sort of thing to another. I like to flick through the celebrity magazines, like *Hello*, to see how people who are rich and famous actually live and see the sort of clothes they wear. I feel a bit guilty because it's useless stuff really, you don't actually get anything out of it. I do read fiction as well but if it's a bit difficult, I have this bad habit of looking at the last chapter to find out what happens, then it doesn't seem worth reading to the end... and I have a look at the newspapers most days, though it might be just the headlines or to find out what's on TV.

## Speaker 2:

Well, I read a lot but I don't really go for fiction, I tend to prefer non-fiction like real-life crime... gangland stuff and so on. In the future, I'd like to become a criminal psychologist, trying to find out what makes people commit crimes – so I guess that's how I got interested in reading about that kind of thing. And for the last few months I've been really into biographies. At present I'm halfway through a book called *Raging Bull* by Jake La Motta. It's about a crazy boxer – they made a film of it with the same name starring Robert De Niro in the lead role. It's a great film.

## Speaker 3:

A lot of my friends won't read anything if it was written more than five or ten years ago. They say old books aren't worth reading really, but I don't agree. I mean, if people have kept on buying them and reading them for 50 or 100 years, they can't be that bad. Of course, it depends on the book. Some of them can be a bit complicated and hard to read, but it's worth carrying on to the end. I read *Jane Eyre*, which was written over a hundred years ago, and it's wonderful. And of course *The Lord of the Rings* was written over 50 years ago and that's a masterpiece, even better than the film.

## Speaker 4:

I really started getting into reading with the *Harry Potter* books... actually I still enjoy them, but nowadays I mostly read science fiction, writers like Terry Pratchett; I like his books because they are all connected, they are all set in the same universe called Discworld, so you can get to know it better and better as you read more books. The last book I read was called *Solaris* – I can't remember the author's name – about a planet which is completely covered by water and it turns out to be... Well, I won't tell you the end. It's actually a great book, although it was really depressing. It's been made into a film but I don't think I'll be going to see it.

## Speaker 5:

When I was small, my parents used to read to me a lot, especially at bedtime. I used to like reading comics and books with lots of pictures like the *Asterix* series. Nowadays, I actually prefer reading to watching movies. You've got more time to think, you can get into the ideas more deeply. I work in the music business, which is great but it can be stressful and I find a good novel just helps me to escape from everything for a while. I suppose I'm a reading addict... I usually have several books on the go at any one time. And as well as that, I like reading music magazines to keep up with what's going on in the music world.

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# PICTURE STORY

Come up with a story based on the picture.



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