PREPARATION FOR THE TEST

1. Complete the sentences with the appropriate adjectives:
   
a) Donald’s got a lot of girlfriends because he is so **handsome**.
b) My grandfather is **obese**, so he has to go on a diet.
c) You need to be **critical** to be a good actor.
d) Helen is very **shy** and she doesn’t like going to the parties very much.
e) **Miserable** people don’t usually have many friends because they never pay for anything.
f) Be **careful** when you do the question seven. It’s a bit difficult.
g) Tom is very **funny**. He always makes me laugh.
h) Susan is so **cheerful**. She’s always smiling.
i) Jim is very **honest**. He always tells the truth.

2. Complete the dialogue with the correct form of the verbs in brackets:

   **Gerry**  Hi, Kate.  I (not see) you recently. ______________ (you be) on holiday?
   **Kate**  Yes. We ______________ (get back) last night. It was a complete nightmare!
   **Gerry**  Oh, no! Why?
   **Kate**  ______________ (you ever go) camping?
   **Gerry**  Yes, I ______________ (go) once when I was ten. We ______________ (have) a really good time.
   **Kate**  Well, our holiday was a disaster! We ______________ (pack) everything into the car and we ______________ (put) the tent on the roof rack.
   **Gerry**  Yes, there’s always so much equipment to take.
   **Kate**  Well, we ______________ (drive) along the motorway when we suddenly ______________ (hear) a strange noise. We ______________ (look), and part of our tent ______________ (bang) against the window.
   **Gerry**  What ______________ (happen)?
   **Kate**  We ______________ (hear) another loud noise and the tent ______________ (fly) off the roof of the car!
   **Gerry**  That’s scary.
   **Kate**  Of course, Dad ______________ (stop) the car. All our equipment ______________ (lie) on the motorway and the cars ______________ (try) to go round it! It was really dangerous. We couldn’t pick up the things because the cars ______________ (go) too fast. So the police closed the motorway!
   **Gerry**  No!
   **Kate**  Yes. We weren’t very popular. And Mum ______________ (decide) that we’re never going to go camping again.

3. Make sentences using the prompts:

   Example:  I/not see/her/since/last/year
            I haven’t seen her since last year.

   a) It/be/the/first/time/I/eat/caviar. ______________________________________
   b) The/last/time/I/see/Fren/be/ages/ago. ______________________________________
   c) You/go/to/the/concert/on/Friday? ______________________________________
   d) My/stereo/stop/work/last/night. ______________________________________
   e) No one/manager/to do/it/yet. ______________________________________
   f) I/only/just/finish/the/exam/in/time/yesterday. ____________________________
   g) I/know/them/since/my/schooldays. ______________________________________
4. What’s wrong with the items? Complete the sentences:

a) I bought this radio yesterday, but the instructions are ____________.
b) The remote control for the TV isn’t working because the batteries are ____________.
c) He can’t open the bottle because the top’s ____________.
d) How could you use that __________ key to open the door?
e) It’s not possible to eat such things! These sausages are ____________.
f) This hairdryer doesn’t work properly! There is nothing surprising in this – it isn’t ____________.
g) How can I temporarily fix __________ window glass?
h) He can’t drive his car – it was __________ in an accident.

5. Read the following text. Are the statements true or false:

The Mayflower - A famous journey

The Mayflower was a very big ship that brought wine to England from the Mediterranean in the early 1660s. It then took furs and cloth back to France. At that time a lot of goods were traded in this way. But the Mayflower is not famous because of its trading journeys – it’s famous because of a group of people who travelled on it to America in 1620. Almost half of these people were Pilgrim Fathers. They were part of a special religious group who didn’t agree with the main religion in England at that time. They decided to travel across the ocean to America so that they could practice their religion freely.

The Pilgrim Fathers arranged to use the Mayflower for this long journey. They planned to send back fish, fur and wood from America when they arrived in the new land.

In fact, two boats set off from Southampton on August 5th 1620, the Mayflower and the Speedwell. However, the Speedwell developed problems and the ships had to go back to land to try to find someone to repair her. This wasn’t possible, and in the end all the passengers had to board the Mayflower. The Mayflower finally left Plymouth on September 16th with 102 passengers, including 31 children. There were also 34 men in the crew.

The journey was very difficult. There wasn’t much space, and the ship was also hit by several very bad storms. In addition, there was also disease on board. However, only one passenger and one crew member died.

Finally, on November 9th, they saw land. This first landing place wasn’t a very good place for a settlement. There was no fresh water and the area was inhabited by unfriendly American Indians. Eventually, they found a suitable place to settle with fresh water and good farm land. During the winter the travelers stayed on the Mayflower and waited for the spring to build their new homes. Unfortunately, disease killed many of them, and when they finally left the ship on March 21st, 1621, only about 50 people were still alive. However, the settlement they founded became very important, and the story of the Pilgrim Fathers has a special place in the history of the United States of America.

a) The Mayflower took people from the Mediterranean to the USA. _______false____
b) The Pilgrim Fathers were prisoners looking for freedom. __________
c) The Mayflower took fish, fur and wood to the USA. __________
d) Another ship, the Speedwell, couldn’t make the journey because of problems. __________
e) The Pilgrim Fathers settled in the first place that they saw in the USA. __________
f) The settlers didn’t do any building during the winter. __________
g) Most of the passengers on the Mayflower died. __________
ANSWER KEY

1. b) overweight; c) confident; d) shy; e) mean; f) careful; g) funny; h) cheerful; i) honest.

2. haven’t seen; have you been; got back; have you ever gone; went; had; packed; put; were driving; heard; looked; was banging; happened; heard; flew; stopped; was lying; were trying; were going; decided.

3. a) It is the first time I have eaten caviar. (Nakon fraze This is the first time ili It’s the first time neophodan je Present Perfect. Ukoliko je u prvom delu rečenice Past Simple, onda u drugom delu rečenice mora biti Past Perfect. npr. It was the first time I had eaten caviar.)

   b) The last time I saw Ann was ages ago.
   c) Did you go to the concert on Friday?
   d) My stereo stopped working.
   e) No one has managed to do it yet.
   f) I only just finished the exam in time yesterday.
   g) I have known them since my schooldays.

4. a) missing; b) dead; c) stuck; d) bent; e) burnt; f) plugged in; g) cracked; h) damaged.

5. b) false c) true d) true e) false f) false g) true