**Midterm Test**

**Vocabulary Comprehension**

A

1. c

2. e

3. h

4. f

5. g

6. a

7. b

8. d

B

1. litter

2. allergic

3. materialistic

4. in a rush

5. particular

6. down-to-earth

7. bit by bit

8. Fins

**Grammar Practice**

A

1. every

2. a few

3. comfortable enough

4. was cleaning

5. I’d forgotten

B

1. What did the article say?

2. Can I ask where you’re from?

3. Who would you like to speak to?

4. I’d like to know whether the library is open.

5. His feet hurt because he had been walking for hours.

C

1. meet 🡪 meeting

2. live 🡪 lived

3. did leave 🡪 left

4. boy 🡪 boys

5. had 🡪 have

**Listening Comprehension**

1. false

2. false

3. true

4. true

5. false

*[Lesson 4 Track 8—first half]*

***Pete*** Hi, Claire. How’s it going?

***Claire***Oh, hi Pete! I was just, um… Yeah, I’m fine thanks. And you?

***Pete***Great. Couldn’t be better. So how was Christmas?

***Claire***Oh, you know, just a quiet one… with, er, Dave and the kids. They loved your presents, by the way – thank you very much.

***Pete***Oh, good. Glad they liked them.

***Claire***And you? Did you have a nice time at Mum and Dad’s?

***Pete***Yes, actually. Shame you couldn’t come.

***Claire***Yes, well… we just decided that this year it might be nice to… you know, just the four of us.

Anyway, it’s great you had a nice time with them.

***Pete***Yeah, I always do. Ate too much – as usual! Drank too much – as usual! I think I put on a couple of pounds at least.

***Claire***Well you don’t look it.

***Pete***Yeah, well… I’m trying to cut back a bit now.

***Claire***You mean you’re on a diet?

***Pete***Nah, nah, not a diet, just, you know, cutting back on the carbs.

***Claire*** So are you all right with…

***Pete***Oh yeah. I can have lunch. Just watching what I eat a bit.

***Claire*** Right. Well, um, shall we have a look at the menu?

**Practice for Speaking**

1. make up my mind

2. What if we

3. would we great if

4. how do you feel about

5. could work

6. time like the present

**Reading Comprehension**

1. false

2. true

3. false

4. true

5. false

**Writing**

Student’s own answers

**Final Test**

**Vocabulary Comprehension**

A

1. g

2. h

3. e

4. f

5. c

6. d

7. a

8. b

B

1. hilarious

2. caterer

3. sooner or later

4. people person

5. claim

6. frantic

7. go to pieces

8. ecstatic

**Grammar Practice**

A

1. plenty of

2. hadn’t stayed

3. She’s

4. to make

5. starts

B

1. I’d like to know what we’re doing tomorrow.

2. Marie was taking a shower when her guests arrived.

(When her guests arrived, Marie was taking a shower.)

3. You should write a note so that you don’t forget.

4. Do you think you could give me some advice?

5. Take a bottle of water in case you get thirsty.

C

1. you’ll🡪 you

2. else🡪 or else

3. can🡪 could

4. I 🡪 I’d

5. must🡪 must have

**Listening Comprehension**

1. false

2. true

3. false

4. false

5. true

*[Lesson 11 Track 23—first half]*

***Kim***Hey Raj, how’s things?

***Raj***Not that great, actually.

***Kim*** How come?

***Raj***Well, we graduate in just eight weeks’ time, and I’m worried, to be honest. I haven’t found anything.

***Kim***What? You mean a job?

***Raj***Yeah, I’m looking, but there’s nothing out there… and you know… Anyway, enough about me. How’s your job search going?

***Kim***Well… actually, I’ve been offered something by a major company. I’m seeing them tomorrow to sign the contract, actually.

***Raj***Really? Which company?

***Kim***Sorry. I can’t tell you until I have the contract.

***Raj***OK. I’ll ask you again tomorrow, then.

***Kim***All right. I just know you’re going to be impressed when you hear. They’re based in California.

***Raj*** California!

***Kim***Yup. With luck, I could be in America by

November.

***Raj*** Well, good for you, mate.

***Kim*** Thanks. I’m all a bit shocked by it actually.

***Raj***I can imagine. Anyway, I’ve decided I’m going to work for a charity somewhere.

***Kim***Good call.

**Practice for Speaking**

1. do me a favour

2. I’m afraid

3. Never mind

4. I’m up for that

5. up to you

6. all right with me

**Reading Comprehension**

1. false

2. true

3. true

4. false

5. true

**Writing**

Student’s own answers