

ANSWER KEY

Grammar

- 1
1 had had
2 arrived
3 had asked
4 sat/had been sitting
5 had been waiting

- 2
1 would tell
2 used
3 didn't use to do
4 used to be
5 was working

- 3
1 when
2 used
3 would
4 always
5 had

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

Vocabulary

- 5
1 earn
2 long hours
3 qualification
4 promotion
5 set up

- 6
1 stressful
2 dangerous
3 unemployed
4 flexibility
5 personal

- 7
1 A
2 C
3 A
4 C
5 D

- 8
1 given
2 undergraduate
3 applied
4 keep
5 sign

Reading

- 9
1 B
2 C
3 A
4 D
5 A
6 D

- 10
1 B
2 D
3 D
4 C
5 B
6 A

- 11
1 expression
2 desperately
3 tricky
4 complex

Use of English

- 12
1 applied
2 down
3 had
4 were
5 for
6 with
7 was
8 would
9 doing
10 been

ANSWER KEY

Listening

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- 1 T
- 2 F
- 3 NM
- 4 F
- 5 NM

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- 1 on business skills
- 2 different challenge
- 3 buying and selling
- 4 good with figures
- 5 in New York

Writing

15**Students' own answers****Marking criteria**

Use the marking criteria below to give a score out of 12.

- 11–12** All content is relevant, accurate, appropriate and structured without prompting.
- 9–10** All content is relevant, mainly accurate and appropriate without prompting.
- 7–8** No more than one irrelevance, mainly accurate, rarely inappropriate without prompting.
- 5–6** No more than one irrelevance, minor inaccuracies, sometimes inappropriate without prompting.
- 3–4** Several irrelevancies, noticeable inaccuracies, often inappropriate without prompting.
- 1–2** Many irrelevancies, mainly inaccurate, mostly inappropriate without prompting.
- 0** Too little or too incomprehensible to mark.

Speaking

16**Students' own answers****Marking criteria**

Use the marking criteria below to give a score out of 12.

- 11–12** Full contribution without prompting. Basic and some complex structures, accurate and well-organised. Pronunciation mostly clear.
- 9–10** Full contribution without prompting. Adequate contribution. Basic and some complex structures, generally accurate and well-organised. Pronunciation mostly clear.
- 7–8** Adequate contribution without prompting. Basic structures, generally accurate and some organisation. Pronunciation mostly clear.
- 5–6** Adequate contribution with some prompting. Basic structures, generally accurate and some organisation. Pronunciation mostly clear.
- 3–4** Limited contribution even with prompting. Basic structures, often inaccurate but some organisation. Pronunciation mostly clear.
- 1–2** Very limited contribution even with prompting. Basic structures, mostly inaccurate and little organisation. Pronunciation not always clear.
- 0** Contribution too small or too incomprehensible to mark.