

INTERMEDIATE ANSWER KEY

UNIT 1

1

1 foreign 2 jargon 3 native 4 skill
5 fluency, accuracy 6 mother tongue
7 learning strategies 8 bilingual

2

1 boss 2 employee 3 team-mates
4 fiancé 5 members 6 classmates

3

1 nieces/nephews
2 nieces/nephews
3 side
4 stepmother/stepfather
5 stepmother/stepfather

4

1 (go) well
2 (take) responsibility
3 (get) a cold
4 (do) a hobby

5

1 do 2 go
3 do (*take* and *get* also possible)
4 goes 5 go 6 get 7 go 8 take

6

1 be prepared
2 doing some research
3 show enthusiasm
4 Dress smartly
5 arrive on time
6 shake hands
7 avoid eye contact
8 Speak clearly
9 answer briefly

7

a cold, a mess, a mistake, on a diet, a train

8

1-2: a good job/business
3-4: a course/an exam
5-7: your best/badly/nothing
8: 120kph
9-10: your hair/your nails
11-12: athletics/yoga
13-15: the shopping/the washing/
the ironing

9

1 do your best
2 doing, 120 kilometres per hour
3 do your hair 4 do the washing
5 do an exam 6 doing the ironing
7 do business 8 do nothing
9 do your nails 10 do a good job
11 did badly 12 do a course
13 do athletics 14 done yoga

10

Across

3 go for a meal
7 stepmother
9 ex-husband
10 partner
12 mother tongue
13 godfather
15 slang
17 get a cold
18 stepson

Down

1 go on a diet
2 pupil
4 favour
5 brother-in-law
6 retired
7 send references
8 experiment
11 dress smartly
12 master
14 go blind
16 do a hobby

UNIT 2

1

docudrama, disaster movie, science fiction,
action film, romantic comedy, biopic,
period drama, crime film, psychological
thriller, fantasy, mystery

1 fantasy 2 science fiction 3 period
drama 4 romantic comedy
5 docudrama 6 disaster movie
7 crime film 8 psychological thriller
9 action film 10 biopic 11 mystery

2

1 at 2 on 3 on 4 in 5 for 6 on
7 on 8 on 9 by

3

1 along 2 around 3 through 4 past
5 between 6 Opposite 7 next to

4

1 crash 2 destroyed 3 strike 4 violent
5 attacked

5

1 armed robbers 2 forced 3 gunpoint
4 eye witness 5 raised the alarm
6 arrested 7 escape

6

1 say 2 tell 3 say 4 say 5 tell 6 tell
7 told

7

on

8

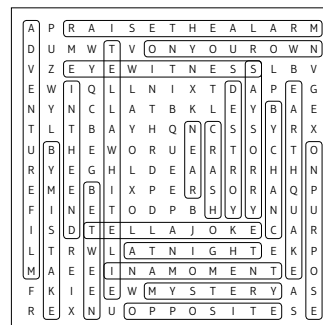
1 on the whole 2 on a cruise 3 on DVD
4 on the internet 5 on an island
6 on sale 7 on display 8 on board
9 on purpose 10 on fire

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1 on sale 2 on display 3 on DVD
4 on the internet 5 on the whole
6 on fire 7 on purpose 8 on an island
9 on board 10 on a cruise

10

1 tell a joke 2 say sorry 3 at night
4 by mistake 5 on your own
6 near 7 crash 8 mystery
9 adventure film 10 between
11 eye witness 12 by chance
13 opposite 14 destroy
15 tell a white lie 16 raise the alarm
17 on purpose 18 in a moment
19 earthquake 20 in the end



7

- 1 get 2 got, wrong 3 getting worse
4 get to 5 got in touch with 6 get ill
7 get on with 8 got to know 9 get
10 get used to 11 got rid of
12 got a new job 13 get a fine
14 gets bored

8

Across

- 2 rat race
3 in the near future
4 get ill
7 a dark horse
13 hit the nail on the head
15 recognise
17 the last minute
18 multitask
19 get to
20 get started

Down

- 1 meet a deadline
4 got the date wrong
5 waste time
6 in ten years' time
7 a piece of cake
8 prioritise
9 in hot water
10 realise
11 get a letter
12 window shopping
14 distracted
16 likely

UNIT 4

1

- 2 risk taker +/-
3 indecisive -
4 hard-working +
5 think, box +
6 good communicator +
7 motivated +
8 competitive +/-
9 ambitious +

2

- 1 aggressive 2 keen 3 punctual
4 independent 5 moody 6 bright
7 reliable

3

- 1 flexible hours 2 outdoor job
3 physical job 4 deal with problems
5 responsible for 6 answer phone enquiries
7 advise clients 8 office job
9 nine to five 10 organises

4

- 1 work job 2 hearing listening
3 Correct 4 forgotten left
5 remember remind 6 Correct

5

- 1 currently 2 career 3 miss 4 borrow
5 actually 6 lend

6

- 1 e 2 g 3 d 4 f 5 h 6 a 7 c 8 b

7

- 1 interview 2 compete 3 work
4 salary 5 run 6 charge 7 fire 8 idea

8

- 1 a, e 2 b, e 3 a, f 4 d 5 b 6 c

9

- 1 worked as/been working as
2 works in/worked in/s working in
3 worked for/at
4 work in
5 working on
6 working with

10

- 1 worked his socks off
2 out of work
3 worked her way up
4 doesn't work
5 worked through
6 working towards
7 work out
8 workout

11

Across

- 2 absolutely furious
7 easy-going
9 freezing
10 interview
11 punctual
13 remind
14 ambitious
15 update
17 work for yourself
18 delicious
19 currently
20 wonderful
21 risk-taker
22 think outside the box

Down

- 1 moody
3 sensible
4 career
5 fascinating
6 borrow
8 get fired
12 work long hours
14 awful
16 enormous

UNIT 5

1

- 1 d 2 h 3 a 4 f 5 b 6 e 7 c 8 g

2

- 1 plug 2 run 3 reboot 4 connection
5 press 6 injections 7 break down
8 operation 9 switch 10 do

3

- 1 investigate (research)
2 inquire (look into)
3 respond (reply)
4 research (investigate)
5 debate (discuss), argue (quarrel)
6 discuss (talk about)
7 wonder (question)

4

- 1 messy 2 hopeless 3 peaceful
4 lovable/lovely 5 responsible
6 homeless 7 painful 8 effective

5

- 1 education 2 imagination
3 responsibility 4 happiness
5 employment 6 improvement

6

- 1 order 2 print 3 recharging
4 crashed 5 fixing 6 work 7 making
8 sorting it out

7

- verbs
-ition, -ation, -ion, -tion

8

- 1-3: connection, exhibition, invention
4-6: celebration, location, operation
7-9: addition, organisation, preparation
10-12: application, description, explanation

9

- 1 operation 2 location 3 exhibition
4 explain 5 invention 6 apply
7 addition 8 connect 9 prepare
10 description 11 organise
12 celebration

10

Across

- 6 commercial
aeroplane
8 loneliness
12 vaccination
14 motorbike
15 immigration
16 quarrel
17 electricity
19 reception
20 stupidity

Down

- 1 explosive
2 debate
3 weakness
4 depression
5 lovable
7 look into
9 peaceful
10 kindness
11 antibiotics
13 creativity
18 improvement

UNIT 6

1

- 1 exhausted 2 frightening
3 embarrassed 4 satisfying 5 annoying
6 relaxing 7 worried 8 confusing

2

Possible answers

- 1 excited, astonished
- 2 disappointed, frustrated, depressed, astonished
- 3 disappointed, frustrated, depressed, astonished
- 4 depressed
- 5 tired
- 6 fascinated, astonished
- 7 frightened
- 8 fascinated, astonished
- 9 disgusted

3

Relationships: chat up, get on (with), go off, settle down

Clothes: dress down, dress up, take off, try on

Technology: click on, log off, scroll up, shut down

4

- 1 put, off 2 look after 3 cut off
- 4 takes after 5 call off 6 work out
- 7 check out 8 let, in

5

- 1 gets 2 watch 3 jump 4 cut
- 5 holding 6 raise 7 do

6

- 1 pass 2 get
- 3 offered (also possible: *given*)
- 4 get 5 get 6 buy 7 split up (also possible: *divorce* and *break up*) 8 lose

7

- 1 i 2 b 3 l 4 f 5 j 6 g 7 c 8 h
- 9 d 10 k 11 a 12 e

8

- 1-7: show up, break up, end up, go up, keep up, sign up, tidy up, catch up
- 8-12: add up, give up, take up, hang up, tidy up

9

- 1 catch up 2 go up 3 ended up
- 4 show up 5 keep up 6 give up
- 7 signing up 8 taking up 9 tidy up
- 10 hang, up 11 add up 12 break up

10

Across

- 2 disappointed
- 7 astonished
- 10 fascinated
- 12 call off
- 13 worried
- 14 stand out
- 17 put off
- 19 dress down
- 20 look after

Down

- 1 settle down
- 3 satisfied
- 4 raise money
- 5 log off
- 6 split up
- 8 interesting
- 9 embarrassed
- 11 scroll up
- 15 lose money
- 16 get engaged
- 18 fill in

UNIT 7

1

- 1 for 2 at 3 on 4 - 5 to 6 in 7 at

2

- 1 got an 'A'
- 2 come first
- 3 got a medal
- 4 on the winning team
- 5 be nominated
- 6 be on a shortlist
- 7 be a runner-up
- 8 win an award

3

- 1 e 2 h 3 g 4 c 5 a 6 b 7 d 8 f

4

- 2 Martin's working on an interesting project at the moment.
- 3 I want to be an author. I'm going to write about my childhood growing up in Kenya.
- 4 I don't like trying new things. I like to stick to what I know.
- 5 We're doing a fun run tomorrow. You should take part in it too. It's fun!
- 6 It's not easy to cope with being a new mother. It's very stressful.
- 7 The postal workers are protesting about their poor salaries again.
- 8 Eating too much sugar can lead to problems with your teeth.

5

- 1 expert 2 ability 3 aptitude
- 4 talented 5 skilful 6 gifted

6

- 1 certificate 2 online course 3 PhD
- 4 apprenticeship 5 distance learning
- 6 qualification 7 driving licence
- 8 degree

7

of

8

- 1 positive/neutral 2 negative

9

- 1 jealous of
- 2 sick/tired of
- 3 aware of
- 4 ashamed of
- 5 full of
- 6 guilty of
- 7 fond of
- 8 proud of
- 9 capable of
- 10 typical of
- 11 afraid/nervous of
- 12 sick/tired of
- 13 terrified of, nervous/afraid of

10

- 1 medal 2 rely on 3 belong to
- 4 ability 5 complain about 6 useless
- 7 qualification 8 aptitude
- 9 win an award 10 shortlist
- 11 nominated 12 gifted
- 13 high achiever 14 apprenticeship
- 15 degree

The question is *Are you qualified?*

UNIT 8

1

- 1 e 2 b 3 g 4 d 5 h 6 f 7 a 8 c

2

- 1 borrow 2 lend 3 helpful 4 popped
- 5 unfriendly 6 gossip

3

- 1 jam 2 main 3 park 4 centre 5 mall
- 6 shop 7 high 8 estate

4

- 1 Correct 2 coffee cup 3 post office
- 4 sun cream 5 sewing machine
- 6 Correct 7 Correct
- 8 high-heeled shoes

5

- 1 corporate websites
- 2 news sites
- 3 travel sites
- 4 personal homepage
- 5 photo sharing website
- 6 social networking sites
- 7 Dating sites
- 8 search engine
- 9 wiki

6

- 1 put your feet up
- 2 excuse the mess
- 3 make yourself at home
- 4 have a seat
- 5 help yourself
- 6 be my guest

7

- 1 k, well-dressed
- 2 a, middle-aged
- 3 f, part-time
- 4 j, second-hand
- 5 l, old-fashioned
- 6 n, hand-held
- 7 e, first-floor
- 8 m, duty-free
- 9 h, good-looking
- 10 d, half-price
- 11 b, out-of-date
- 12 i, up-to-date
- 13 g, easy-going
- 14 c, left-handed

8

Student's own ideas

9

- 1 part-time 2 good-looking
3 second-hand 4 easy-going
5 first-floor 6 old-fashioned
7 left-handed 8 half-price
9 duty-free 10 up-to-date
11 middle-aged 12 well-dressed
13 out-of-date 14 hand-held

10

Across

- 1 changing room
6 semi-detached house
7 nosy
8 tennis court
10 coffee machine
11 rating site
12 possessions
14 have a seat
16 sports centre
17 bookshop
18 disturb
19 excuse the mess
20 sun cream

Down

- 2 get on my nerves
3 wiki
4 language barrier
5 postcode
9 running shoes
13 search engine
15 helpful

UNIT 9

1

- 1 movements 2 revolutions 3 advances
4 invention 5 development 6 spread
7 progress 8 turning point

2

- 1 invaded 2 inventor 3 founders
4 colonise 5 politician 6 discovered
7 democratic 8 developed

3

- 1 d 2 e 3 f 4 g 5 b 6 c 7 a

4

- 1 c 2 d 3 a 4 b 5 f 6 e 7 h 8 g

5

- 1 have 2 come 3 give 4 make
5 have 6 come 7 give 8 make

6

- 1 inspirational 2 original 3 brave
4 influential 5 charismatic
6 innovative

7

1-9: make the bed/a complaint/
a difference/an effort/a mistake/money/
a noise/a note/friends

10-13: make something clear/
something difficult/somebody angry/
somebody happy

14: make up your mind

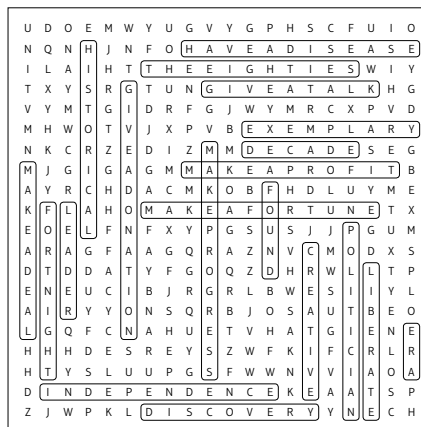
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- 1 make a mistake
2 make a noise
3 make somebody angry
4 make a note
5 make an effort
6 make friends
7 make a complaint
8 make up your mind
9 make somebody happy
10 make a difference
11 make money
12 make the bed
13 make something clear
14 make something difficult

9

- 1 make a note
2 made a mistake
3 make money
4 make up your mind
5 making a noise
6 make a difference
7 make, angry
8 made, clear
9 make friends
10 make an effort
11 make, happy
12 make the (my) bed
13 make, difficult
14 make a complaint

10



UNIT 10

1

- 1 organic 2 processed 3 double-glazed
4 packaging 5 recycled 6 secondhand
7 on standby 8 insulated

2

- 1 d 2 f 3 g 4 b 5 c 6 a 7 e

3

- 1 un 2 re 3 mis 4 over 5 dis 6 re
7 mis 8 dis

4

- 1 irresponsible 2 inability 3 immature
4 irrelevant 5 ex-girlfriend
6 inadequate 6 impossible

5

- 1 warned 2 offer 3 suggest 4 refused
5 promised 6 offered 7 invited
8 explained

6

- 1 passport 2 window seat
3 hand luggage 4 priority boarding
5 checked 6 proceed 7 aisle seat
8 board

7

- 1-4: undo, undress, unlock, unpack
5-14: unable, uncomfortable,
unemployed, unexpected, unfit, unlikely,
unlucky, unnecessary, unpleasant, untidy
disabled, inexpensive, dislike, impossible

8

- 1 able 2 uncomfortable 3 unemployed
4 lock 5 untidy 6 undo 7 unlucky
8 necessary 9 unpack 10 undress
11 unfit 12 likely/possible
13 unexpected 14 unpleasant

9

Across

- 3 pre-prepared
4 natural resources
6 irrational
10 immobile
11 unreal
13 unbelievable
15 protect
16 global warming
17 ex-boss
18 x-ray machine
19 inadequate

Down

- 1 check in
2 factory smoke
5 impolite
7 industrial waste
8 harmful
9 pollution
12 passport photo
14 luggage
19 invisible