

SOLUTIONS OF LANGUAGE BANK

2.1

A)

1 've been looking/'ve just bought

2 've done/'ve been running

3've been trying/ 've decided

4 's hurt/'s been fighting

5 've eaten / 've been eating

B)

1 have you been teaching?

2 a) have you been collecting? b) have you collected?

3 have you thought that?

4 a) have you been saving? B) have you saved?

5 have you had it?

6 have you known her?

2.2

A)

1 My cat's being operated on this afternoon.

2 He'll be caught sooner or later.

3 Kim was burnt badly in the fire.

4 They don't mind being woken up in the middle of the night.

5 Someone could get hurt if you don't take care.

6 I've been asked to give a speech to the whole school.

7 She's expected to be at her desk by 9 a.m. every day.

8 Employees' emails are sometimes monitored by their supervisor.

B)

2 was found

3 was discovered

4 put

5 has been arrested

6 is believed

7 being separated

8 might be given

2.3

B: Are you? I'm really against it.

A: Well, the way I see it, with uniforms everyone's the same, rich or poor.

B: I take your point, but they can be very expensive, especially as children get bigger.

A: I know what you mean, but kids' clothes are expensive anyway.

B: Fair enough, but having uniforms deprives kids of individual expression.

A: I agree to some extent, but uniforms, provide a sense of belonging.

B: I'm not so sure. Lonely kids don't feel any less lonely just because they have a uniform on.

A: Maybe not, but I'm still not convinced.