

SOLUTIONS OF LANGUAGE BANK UNIT 4

4.1

1)

1 I can't stand it when all it does is rain for days on end.

2 I'd appreciate it if you could give me a little more notice next time.

3 It's no use just standing there. You'd better get on with it.

4 I find it hard to believe that the summer is here already.

5 It appears that the police have video footage of the incident.

6 It's pointless arguing with her when she's in that kind of state.

7 I'll leave it to the others to decide what time we should meet.

8 I've always made it clear that my family has to take priority over my work.

2)

1 It's pointless crying about the situation now.

2 It's essential to be trustworthy in this profession.

3 It seems (that) he has misplaced his keys.

4 We owe it to them to be hospitable to them as they were welcoming to us.

5 It's no wonder she wasn't very enthusiastic when she had heard the talk before.

6 I find it easy to keep abreast of the latest news online.

4.2

1)

1 has been providing

2 had been living

3 will have been

4 have been running

2)

1 Yes. The workers have been marching since 8.00 this morning.

2 They had been talking throughout the whole lesson.

3 Yes. This time next year she will have been working here for forty years.

4 Yes. It's 8.00. They will have arrived by now.

5 He seems to have forgotten how to play!

6 That's right. She had only been working there for two months when the company closed.

4.3

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