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A2 Progress test 2 B (Units 4–6)

Milestones in English

1 ▷ Listen to the radio interview with an entrepreneur. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- 1 Diana Dickerson's company does research about business. _____
- 2 Diana was a researcher after she left university. _____
- 3 Diana designed the computer programme for her business with a colleague. _____
- 4 Diana doesn't work in an office building. _____
- 5 Diana says she has a typical working day. _____

2 points for each correct answer

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2 ▷ Listen again. Complete the sentences with one word.

- 1 Diana's business writes reports for big _____.
- 2 Diana has eight _____.
- 3 She didn't expect her business to be so _____.
- 4 Diana thinks that needing to work in an office is an _____ idea.
- 5 Diana says she is looking forward to _____.

2 points for each correct answer

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A2 Progress test 2 B (Units 4–6)**3** Choose the correct answer (a, b or c) to complete the text.**Career Spotlight: Ayla, fashion designer and blog writer, age 25**

I studied fashion at ¹ _____ university in Istanbul. After I graduated, I ² _____ get a job because I didn't have any work experience. Two years ³ _____, I decided to work for myself and ⁴ _____ my own company. And now ⁵ _____ clothes and accessories online. I think my shop is very successful ⁶ _____ I make interesting items and I work very ⁷ _____ – sometimes 12 or 13 hours a day. I also love writing about fashion on my blog. At the moment, ⁸ _____ my first online magazine article, too. I have a small office in my apartment. ⁹ _____ a desk, but there isn't a personal computer on it – I work with a tablet. Tablets are better because you can take ¹⁰ _____ when you travel.

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| 1 a the | b – | c an |
| 2 a couldn't | b could | c can't |
| 3 a last | b in | c ago |
| 4 a started | b opened | c made |
| 5 a I'm sell | b I sold | c I'm selling |
| 6 a but | b and | c because |
| 7 a hard | b hardly | c harder |
| 8 a I write | b I wrote | c I'm writing |
| 9 a There | b There is | c There are |
| 10 a them | b they | c their |

2 points for each correct answer

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A2 Progress test 2 B (Units 4–6)**4 Read the text. Match the headings 1–4 to paragraphs A–D.**

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| 1 The buildings of Ephesus | 3 Where it is and what you can see there |
| 2 Suggestions for tourists | 4 A city with an interesting history |

The ancient city of Ephesus**A** _____

The ancient city of Ephesus is near the city of Izmir in the west of Turkey. People do not live there now, but thousands of tourists visit it every year. There were many beautiful buildings in the city and you can still see parts of a lot of them.

B _____

In the past, Ephesus was very important for business in the Mediterranean because it was near the sea and boats could visit it easily. During its long history many peoples lived there. In the Roman period, Ephesus had a population of over 250,000. This made it one of the largest cities in the Mediterranean at the time. But in the 15th century, people left the city and went to live in other places. Finally, many of the buildings were destroyed and people took the stones to make new buildings in other cities.

C _____

At the end of the 19th century, archaeologists began to research Ephesus and repair some of its most important buildings. Now, visitors can walk around Ephesus and imagine what it was like in the past. There are many interesting buildings including the ancient baths where people washed and a beautiful library. There is also a huge theatre. It has seats for 25,000 people and is called 'The Great Theatre'. The sound is very good. From the back of the theatre, you can clearly hear someone speaking quietly from many metres away.

D _____

Travel guides suggest tourists visit Ephesus in the morning or the late afternoon because it can be very hot in the middle of the day. There are many tourist shops where visitors can buy postcards and books about the city's rich and interesting history.

2 points for each correct answer

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5 Read the text again. Choose the correct answer (a or b) to complete the sentences.

- 1 Thousands of people _____.
a live in Ephesus today
b visit Ephesus each year
- 2 The city became important for business because _____.
a it was close to the sea
b it had a large population
- 3 In the Roman period, _____ people lived in Ephesus.
a 25,000
b 250,000
- 4 People left Ephesus in the _____.
a 15th century
b Roman period
- 5 You don't have to speak very _____ in the Grand Theatre.
a quietly
b loudly
- 6 It's not a good idea to visit Ephesus _____.
a in the morning
b in the middle of the day

2 points for each correct answer

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6 Write your own biography. Write 60–70 words.

In your biography, you should include information about:

- yourself and your family
- your education in the past
- your studies now

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SPEAKING

Student B

7 Work with a partner. Ask for and give opinions. Student A starts.

- Read the sentence below to your partner and ask for his/her opinion.

A messy room is better than a tidy room.

- Agree or disagree with your partner and say why.

Progress test 2 total

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