



Nro. De Control :

LEVEL 6

PART 3 - USE OF ENGLISH

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Estimated time needed: 40 minutes

Exercise 1

- Read the text below and think of the word which best fits each space. Use only **one** word in each space.

One of Japan’s biggest problems is overpopulation in relation to the limited amount of land it has. The Japanese, though, have come up with an unbelievable solution to **(1)** problem: when you run out **(2)** islands, simply build more.

The project is known **(3)** *Ocean Communication City* and will **(4)** Approximately \$ 200 billion. Kiyohide Terai, **(5)** is Japan’s leading expert on new technology, is the man behind the idea.

Ocean City, different **(6)** any real island, will be a four-level platform. It will cover an area of nine square miles, about 75 miles out to sea from Tokyo. The biggest advantage is that it will be very stable even in the event of an earthquake. As many as one million Japanese citizens will be able **(7)**live there.

It is hoped that the project will have been completed by the beginning of the 21st century. **(8)** addition to homes, **(9)** will be a business and financial centre, shops, places of entertainment, parks and outdoor activities **(10)** will include 400 tennis courts. The island will have an airport and a system of hovercrafts. These will provide connections to the mainland.

If the project is a success, other cities like this will be built in the future.

Exercise 2

- Complete the second sentence so that it has similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. **Do not change the word given.** You must use between two and five words, including the word given. There is an example at the beginning (0).

11 Mary wishes she had bought a dog.

regrets

Marya dog.

12 Susan didn't give John an invitation to her party, so he didn't go.

invited

If John to Susan's party, he would have gone.

13 The water was so cold that they couldn't swim.

Impossible

The cold water to swim.

14 Somebody should teach him some manners.

was

It's some manners.

15 Can I stay at your place when I come to Athens?

put

Can you when I come to Athens?

16 He didn't know anything about astronomy but he was willing to learn.

knowledge

He didn't astronomy but he was willing to learn.

17 Monica isn't nearly as interested in tennis as Joan is.

more

Joan is much Monica is.

18 Do you mind me opening the window?

if

Would you the window?

19 You can't go to Australia without a visa.

long

You can go to Australia a visa.

20 Smoking in the library is forbidden.

allowed

You in the library.

Exercise 3

- For questions **21-30**, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of each line to form a word that fits in the space in the same line.

SPICE UP YOUR LIFE

Are you looking for more (0) in what you cook, but **VARY**

Have to survive on a (21)budget ? Finding new recipes **LIMIT**

Which are both (22) and nutritious is a constant challenge **TASTE**

faced by most new and (23)housekeepers, who are **EXPERIENCE**
beginners to the art of cooking.

This easy – to – use cookbook will give you the (24)you need **INSPIRE**

To create something both special and (25) **EXPENSE**

The author, Karen Shelley, is a (26) in cooking. **SPECIAL**

She is also very well-known for her occasional (27) on the **APPEAR**

Television programme “Let’s Cook”. Her very (28)career **SUCCESS**

As a cook is reflected in this book.

If you happen to be looking for (29) to add some more **SUGGEST**

(30) to your cooking, we strongly recommend this book. **EXCITE**

KEY TO USE OF ENGLISH . LEVEL 6.

Exercise 1: 1. this / the 2. of 3. as 4. be / cost 5. who 6. from 7. to 8. in 9. there 10. which

Exercise 2:

1. Mary regrets not having bought a dog.
2. If John had been invited to Susan's party, he would have gone.
3. The cold water made it impossible for them to swim.
4. It's about / high time he was taught some manners.
5. Can you put me up when I come to Athens ?
6. He didn't have any knowledge about astronomy but he was willing to learn.
7. Joan is much more interested in tennis than Monica is.
8. Would you mind if I opened the window ?
9. You can go to Australia as long as you have a visa.
10. You are not allowed to smoke in the library.

Exercise 3: 1. limited 2. tasty 3. experienced 4. inspiration 5. inexpensive
6. specialist 7. appearance 8. successful 9. suggestions
10. excitement

Exercises 1 & 3: 0.50 points each

Exercise 2 : 1 point. each