

revision 1

Vocabulary

1. Choose the correct answer.

1. A large crew / crowd / passer-by has been gathering all morning to greet the team when their plane lands.
2. The president emerged / pursued / gossiped in public for the first time since the scandal began.
3. Some rock guitarists in the 60s and 70s were spoilt / lavish / notorious for their drug use.
4. I can't believe I'm finally meeting you! You've been my heiress / role model / fiancée for years!
5. My friends and I enjoy debating controversial / instant / wealthy issues.

2. Complete the e-mail by forming collocations with the correct form of the verbs catch, take, or go and the words below.

abroad • everyone by surprise • sight of wild • anyone's eye • a photo

Hey Sue,

You'll never guess who I ¹ last week. Hugh Jackman! He ² when he walked into the shop, but nobody ³ Everyone acted really calmly. He looked at a few shirts, tried not to ⁴, and then left. But before he did, I managed to ⁵ of him with my mobile (I'm sending the picture with this e-mail). Now aren't you sorry that you ⁶ for the summer? Write soon!

Love,

Lynda

3. Complete the sentences by adding a suitable suffix to the words in brackets.

1. The children watched in (amaze) as the magician performed his (impress) tricks.
2. This summer, there are free (culture) events in the park, including a modern dance (perform).
3. The young (music) appeared on chat shows as part of a (public) tour to promote his new CD.

Grammar

4. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Present Perfect Continuous or Past Perfect Continuous.

1. Linda's very tired. She (not get) enough sleep lately.
2. You look great! you (work out)?
3. They (go out) for two years when they decided to get married.

5. Rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets. Use gerunds or infinitives. Do not change the original meaning of the sentences.

1. I don't think that I locked the door. (remember)
2. At the top of the hill, we paused and admired the view. (stopped)
3. Don't eat any more of the biscuits! (stop)

6. Complete the sentences. Do not change the original meaning of the sentences.

1. I read all afternoon. Then I fell asleep on the sofa.
After
2. When did you start to follow a vegetarian diet?
How long

Writing

7. Complete the passage with the connectors below.

for example • moreover • despite
such as

Sallie Larson loves her job, ¹ its dangers. This Hollywood stuntwoman has performed hundreds of difficult stunts ² running through fire and jumping from a moving car.
³, she's designed safety equipment.
⁴, she created new seat belt and helmet designs that are widely used during stunts.