

Key to the Tests

Test 1

A 1 d 2 b 3 b 4 d 5 c

B 1 C (contained)
2 C (prefers)
3 D (put £20 in)
4 D (show it to me **OR** show me it)
5 C (made all the young people happy)

C 1 begins in November
2 include fever
3 catch the flu
4 give it
5 sneezes

D 1 Nick admitted to one of the detectives that he had taken the cash box.
2 The police persuaded us that it was too dangerous and we were convinced.
3 The frog suddenly turned into a prince after the princess kissed him.
4 He told us that two hours wouldn't (**OR** won't) be enough to finish the job.
5 Someone painted the wall white yesterday.

E 1 were ready
2 seemed quite satisfied
3 stood alone
4 is better
5 became clear

Test 2

A 1 c 2 a 3 d 4 b 5 a

B 1 D (is having) 4 A (make)
2 A (used to) 5 C (had put)
3 C (knew)

C 1 was walking 5 saw
2 thinking 6 whispered
3 were looking 7 wasn't wearing
4 had decided 8 hadn't changed

D 1 By the time we sell the car, we will have spent £300 on repairs.
2 This is the first time I have (**ever**) had to think about my health.
3 Juliet has been working (**or** has worked) here for about six years.
4 It's even worse than I thought it would be.
5 It was Christmas when I (**last**) talked to my parents.

E 1 is ... happening 7 have created
2 have been 8 lets
3 be experiencing 9 holds
4 had 10 Will ... keep
5 believe
6 have ... been changing
OR have been ... changing

Test 3

A 1 d 2 a 3 a 4 c 5 a

B 1 A (may)
2 D (ought not to be)
3 D (would)
4 C (can)
5 A (had)

C 1 may not be familiar
2 can be used
3 must be paid
4 won't be required
5 will be charged

D 1 Students are not allowed to park here. (**OR** Students are not permitted to park here.)
2 His trip may have been cancelled at the last minute.
3 She didn't enjoy having to get up at five o'clock every morning.
4 He couldn't have committed the crime, according to the report.
5 This shirt shouldn't have been (**OR** ought not to have been) put in the washing machine.

E 1 might*
2 couldn't
3 was able to
4 would
5 be able to
6 would*
7 be willing to
8 had to
9 should
10 was ... going to
**1 and 6 can be exchanged.*

Test 4

- A** 1 b 2 a 3 d 4 c 5 a
- B** 1 C (did he ask) 4 C (do they)
2 D (no longer take) 5 B (not an)
3 D (didn't you)
- C** 1 Aren't 3 no 5 Can't
2 what 4 I'm not
- D** 1 Not only was the room cold, but it was also very damp.
2 Who did your sister say she gave the money to?
3 What does Andreas think has been stolen?
4 She said, 'Why don't you (OR Why not) take the train instead of driving?'
5 They asked me what his name was and where he lived.
- E** 1 Nothing
2 never
3 no
4 What ... YZ-23
5 Why ... Leisure
6 Who ... Somebody else
7 Did ... Yes
8 which ... London
9 Where ... New York
10 How ... None

Test 5

- A** 1 d 2 a 3 c 4 c 5 c
- B** 1 C (married)
2 D (crashed)
3 B (with a special key)
4 C (being repaired OR which were being repaired OR which had been repaired)
5 B (was OR is located)
- C** 1 is experienced
2 was believed (OR considered)
3 were bitten by (OR had been bitten by)
4 could be cured by
5 was ... recommended by
6 is ... considered (OR believed)
7 may (OR might) be said
- D** 1 There's a saying that Rome wasn't built in a day.
2 The tests have been collected and the answers (have been) checked.
3 Death is more likely to be caused by a bee sting than a snake bite these days.
4 There were reported to be serious problems with the new design.
5 We weren't given instructions or shown what to do. (OR We were given no instructions ... OR We weren't given any instructions ...)
- E** 1 n 3 o 5 h 7 i
2 b 4 c 6 l 8 e

Test 6

- A** 1 d 2 b 3 c 4 b 5 b
- B** 1 B (are > is)
2 D (the tennis)
3 B (a research)
4 C (pairs of trousers)
5 C (device's > devices)
- C** 1 The 5 the 9 an 13 the
2 a 6 - 10 - 14 -
3 the 7 the 11 - 15 the
4 the 8 a 12 - 16 the
- D** 1 Yesterday, a masked man robbed a woman outside a (OR the) post office.
2 In business news, the Bank of England is raising (OR will raise) interest rates by 1.5 per cent (OR %).
3 Yesterday's news of the murder of a priest in Kent (has) shocked the community.
4 Reviewers have criticized a new account of Scottish history by an English writer.
- E** 1 the middle of the century
2 The urgency of the challenges
3 the authors of the report (OR the report's authors)
4 Sims' (OR Sims's OR The Sims) organization
5 the health of the earth (OR the earth and the health of)
6 the group's latest report
7 the world's population (OR the population of the world)
8 the destruction of the environment

Test 7

- A** 1 c 2 c 3 b 4 c 5 c
- B** 1 D (some of their friends)
2 C (either colour OR either of the colours)
3 C (a little information OR some information)
4 A (all of them OR they all)
5 A (most of Europe)
- C** 1 a lot of 3 some 5 the
2 both 4 neither 6 a little
- D** 1 Not many people are willing to help others.
2 Half the report (OR Half of the report) has been written already.
3 No explanation was given (to us) for the delay.
4 All of us want to live forever.
- E** 1 a great deal of 6 Most of
2 many 7 88 per cent
3 more 8 51 per cent of
4 little 9 twice
5 no 10 most

Test 8

- A** 1 d 2 b 3 b 4 c 5 c
- B** 1 B (with her)
2 C (the other)
3 D (she tastes it)
4 B (regarded it as an opportunity)
5 B (a knife was discovered)
- C** 1 do something 3 someone else
2 them myself 4 do it
- D** 1 It should have been useful having wealthy parents, but they didn't actually support her.
2 They don't like each other. (OR They don't like one another.)
3 I'm sure there will be someone at the airport to meet you.
4 It would not be a good idea to go swimming out in the ocean by yourself.
5 There were said to be thousands of people affected by the rail strike.
- E** 1 she 5 anyone 9 one
2 me 6 ours 10 anywhere
3 myself 7 that 11 it
4 him 8 himself

Test 9

- A** 1 c 2 b 3 b 4 a 5 c
- B** 1 D (six feet deep)
2 B (some soldiers who were afraid)
3 C (I usually drink)
4 A (remove 'very')
5 B (Italians)
- C** 1 already ... never 4 Eventually ... easier
2 just ... further 5 Suddenly ... short
3 longer ... reading 6 round black
- D** 1 Everyone thought the event was well-organized and exciting.
2 The earlier you leave here, the quicker you'll get there.
3 Mark is not as good a cook as David.
4 I'm looking for a fairly long green woollen scarf.
- E** 1 only 6 young
2 earlier 7 Japanese
3 yet 8 coloured
4 acutely 9 certainly
5 pleased 10 far

Test 10

- A** 1 a 2 a 3 c 4 d 5 c
- B** 1 C (instead of)
2 C (on every day)
3 B (in)
4 D (over)
5 D (out of OR in)
- C** 1 away 3 to 5 out of
2 from 4 in 6 for
- D** 1 During August this building will be closed for renovation.
2 Besides shopping, what else did you do when you were in Rome? (OR Besides shopping when you were in Rome, what else did you do?)
3 Apart from the apple I gave you earlier, haven't you eaten anything else today?
4 Without more financial support we won't be able to do much.
- E** 1 By 5 towards 8 of
2 past 6 with 9 along
3 At 7 into 10 across
4 under

Test 11

- A** 1 d 2 c 3 b 4 a 5 d
- B** 1 A (learning)
2 D (refused to help)
3 B (to wait)
4 A (visiting)
5 D (of doing)
- C** 1 assumed to be
2 heard ... sneeze (OR sneezing)
3 remembered ... telling
4 allowed to go
5 smell ... burning.
- D** 1 A place to park is sometimes hard to find.
2 Is it really necessary to keep all these old files?
3 It would be a mistake for him to buy a new car now.
4 Amy still remembers being bitten by a dog when she was very young.
5 The boy denied having done anything wrong. (OR The boy denied doing anything wrong.)
- E** 1 trying 6 to keep
2 to look (OR to have kept)
3 to do 7 starting
4 to regain 8 losing
5 stopping 9 putting
10 going

Test 12

A 1 b 2 d 3 b 4 c 5 a

B 1 D (would be able)
2 C (agreed with me)
3 C (encouraged her not to quit)
4 A (inquired about whether)
5 B (offered to bring **OR** offered to bring us)

C 1 tell 5 hadn't spoken
2 asked 6 replied*
3 explained* 7 pointed out
4 hadn't said 8 talk (**OR** talked)

*3 and 6 can be exchanged

D 1 Mrs Dalloway said she would buy the flowers herself.
2 She asked Henry if he had left (**OR** left) his keys in the door.
3 There was an announcement that the strike was over.
4 His only comment was that he would return the following day (**OR** the next day **OR** the day after).
5 His statement that he wouldn't do it surprised us.
6 I remember one time when my aunt told me not to talk with my mouth full. (**OR** ... my aunt told me that I mustn't (**OR** shouldn't) talk with my mouth full.)
7 They invited me (**OR** us) to stay at their house.

E 1 (that) he would be here by eight o'clock
2 if she knew where Rob was
3 (that) she thought he had gone out about half an hour earlier
4 apologized (**OR** said that he was sorry)
5 that he had forgotten that he had promised to take his mother into town that morning

Test 13

A 1 c 2 d 3 a 4 d 5 b

B 1 A (That Amber ... **OR** The fact that Amber ...)
2 D (which > that)
3 A (I heard **about** that)
4 B (like that > like it that **OR** like the fact **OR** like it)
5 B (remind ~~that~~ > remind us **OR** me **OR** you, etc. that)

C 1 idea of **how** categorization works
2 we take it for granted **that** categories have
3 and **that** all members of a given category
4 we see **that** it is
5 it is not surprising **that** we hold

D 1 He didn't conceal the fact that his parents weren't English.
2 It has always been a big mystery to me why anyone would want to jump out of a plane and put their trust in a parachute.
3 Our expectation was that no one would be there.
4 Bridget was sorry that her comments had upset Mark's mother.
5 Despite the fact that these apples don't look very nice, they're delicious.

E 1 noticed (that) 6 That emotion
2 know if 7 rule out that
3 reason to when 8 view that
4 argue (that) 9 feel (that)
5 concedes that 10 unfair that

Test 14

A 1 a 2 b 3 c 4 d 5 b

B 1 C (who, because that is not used in a non-defining clause describing a person)
2 C (along which something slides)
3 C (that **OR** no relative pronoun, because when is not used after 'every time')
4 C (which made, because reduced relatives are not used for sudden actions)
5 D (all that, because a quantifier used as a pronoun takes that, not which)

C 1 whose 4 What
2 that **OR** which 5 which
3 where **OR** in which

D 1 Elizabeth is the name from which Betty is derived. (**OR** Elizabeth is the name (that/which) Betty is derived from.)
2 India is where her parents were born. (**OR** India is the place/country where/in which her parents were born.)
3 Hemingway is the author whose short stories I liked best.
4 Whatever I do, her parents will never like me.
5 I was at the first lecture during which he talked about humanism. (**OR** I was at the first lecture, when/where/in which he talked about humanism.)

E 1 (that is/which is) often told to children
2 who sells a cow
3 (which/that) his mother thinks are worthless
4 which grow very quickly
5 (that is/which is) called a beanstalk
6 where (**OR** in which or above which) he discovers a giant
7 from whom he steals some things (**OR** that/who he steals some things from)
8 suspecting (**OR** who suspects) something is wrong
9 which he then cuts down
10 who is chasing him

Test 15

- A** 1 b 2 a 3 d 4 d 5 c
- B** 1 A (was) 3 C (had) 5 C (if only)
2 D (will) 4 B (will get)
- C** 1 if 4 go 6 will
2 will 5 work 7 lived
3 take/have
- D** 1 Unless someone is willing to help, the party is not likely to (OR will not) happen.
2 If only she had been wearing (OR had worn) a crash helmet, she would (OR might OR could) have escaped injury.
3 Even though she could be very difficult, I still loved her.
4 Whether you like the idea or not, we're leaving tomorrow.
OR Whether or not you like the idea, we're leaving tomorrow.
5 I'm sorry, but if the traffic hadn't been so bad, I wouldn't have arrived late.
- E** 1 if they just stop working
2 if your printer won't print
3 Whether you're getting an error message
4 if you have received no error messages
5 if it's a wireless model
6 if any print jobs are on hold
7 If your queue gets bogged down
8 Even if your printer is an older model
9 If you are still having a problem
10 if necessary

Test 16

- A** 1 d 2 a 3 c 4 d 5 b
- B** 1 D (was)
2 A (so that OR replace 'so that' with 'in order')
3 C (because they become)
4 A (Because)
5 B (as if OR as though)
- C** 1 when 3 when 5 to
2 because 4 after 6 As
- D** 1 Because it was late and I was exhausted, I went straight to bed.
2 In order for him to continue to work here, there will have to be a change in his attitude.
3 He talked as if (OR as though) he owned the restaurant.
4 You can't go out until you finish (OR have finished) your homework.
5 Even though he's your friend (OR Even though I know he's your friend), he can't sleep here.
6 So as not to be late, we left half an hour earlier than necessary.

- E** 1 Although 5 just as
2 as much as 6 as easy as
3 whereas 7 though
4 as if 8 Despite the fact

Test 17

- A** 1 a 2 d 3 a 4 a 5 a
- B** 1 D (a dog and two cats as well.)
2 C (in comparison to OR in comparison with)
3 C (actually stay in London)
4 D (As a result, OR As a result of that,)
5 D (In addition to that, OR In addition,)
- C** 1 for example 4 In addition
2 After all 5 So
3 in the meantime
- D** 1 Instead of (using) butter, we used margarine.
2 Only in Poland can you get dishes and bowls with this design.
3 Not until much later did we discover the mistake.
4 It's flooding that causes most of the damage in spring. (OR It's in spring that flooding causes most of the damage.)
5 It was because he was so unpleasant that she left.
6 All I know is that the main road is blocked.
7 What he did was go to the party by himself.
8 What Rose is hoping to do is to travel across Canada by train.
- E** 1 What 5 Next
2 To begin with 6 In particular
3 Similarly 7 As a result of
4 That is

Key to the Exit Test

Following the answers are page numbers from the *Oxford Practice Grammar: Advanced* book, where you can find information on the grammar points being tested.

- | | | | |
|---|--|---|--|
| 1 1 a (8)
2 d (8)
3 a (8)
4 b (8) | 10 1 b (34)
2 b (34)
3 d (34)
4 d (35) | 19 1 a (100)
2 d (100)
3 c (106)
4 b (105) | 28 1 a (176)
2 c (180)
3 d (176, 178)
4 d (176) |
| 2 1 c (10)
2 a (10)
3 d (10)
4 c (10) | 11 1 a (41)
2 b (38)
3 a (38)
4 c (40) | 20 1 b (112)
2 b (112, 118)
3 b (120)
4 b (120) | 29 1 a (192)
2 a (185)
3 d (192)
4 d (186) |
| 3 1 d (12)
2 d (12)
3 d (12)
4 c (12) | 12 1 a (45)
2 a (45)
3 a (46)
4 b (46) | 21 1 b (128, 130)
2 c (126, 127)
3 d (126)
4 a (126, 127) | 30 1 a (185)
2 c (199)
3 c (198, 199)
4 a (199) |
| 4 1 a (18)
2 c (18)
3 d (17, 18)
4 d (18) | 13 1 c (48)
2 a (48)
3 d (50)
4 d (52) | 22 1 b (128, 129)
2 d (125)
3 b (134)
4 a (126, 127) | 31 1 d (202)
2 b (202, 203)
3 d (205)
4 c (198, 201) |
| 5 1 c (20)
2 d (20)
3 a (20)
4 a (20) | 14 1 d (58)
2 a (57, 58)
3 a (57, 63)
4 a (57, 58) | 23 1 b (142)
2 b (142, 145)
3 b (144)
4 d (139, 143) | 32 1 a (197, 199)
2 b (197)
3 c (205)
4 c (204) |
| 6 1 c (22, 23)
2 b (22, 23)
3 c (22, 23)
4 d (22, 23) | 15 1 c (78)
2 a (70)
3 c (70)
4 d (72) | 24 1 d (144)
2 b (144)
3 c (144)
4 c (140, 144) | 33 1 b (217)
2 a (209)
3 c (210, 214)
4 d (216) |
| 7 1 d (24)
2 b (24)
3 c (24)
4 a (24) | 16 1 d (74)
2 a (74)
3 b (75)
4 d (74) | 25 1 c (154)
2 d (156)
3 d (152)
4 a (152) | 34 1 b (217)
2 a (212)
3 b (212, 215)
4 a (210) |
| 8 1 d (30)
2 c (29)
3 d (30)
4 d (30) | 17 1 b (83, 84)
2 a (86, 90)
3 d (84)
4 a (88) | 26 1 b (164)
2 c (161)
3 d (161, 167)
4 a (162) | |
| 9 1 c (32)
2 a (32)
3 b (32)
4 a (33) | 18 1 d (90)
2 d (88, 89)
3 c (93)
4 c (92) | 27 1 b (173)
2 d (178)
3 a (173, 179)
4 b (173) | |