Vocabulary

1 Fill in: *advanced*, *fierce*, *realistic*, *classic*, *remarkable*, *soft*, *unexpected*, *dull*, *scary*, *depressing*.

**1** The zookeeper was bitten by a(n) ………………………… lion.

**2** Mum plays …………………………, quiet music to help the baby sleep.

**3** I thought the film was boring. In fact, it was so ………………………… that I nearly fell asleep.

**4** The computerised landscape was very ………………………… – it looked like an actual place.

**5** I felt really sad after watching that ………………………… film on TV last night.

**6** *Oliver Twist* is a(n) …………………… novel by one of Britain’s most popular authors.

**7** The film is too ………………………… for young children – they will be frightened by the monsters.

**8** ………………………… technology is used to create special effects in films like *Iron Man.*

**9** In the film, Sherlock is a(n) ……………… detective because he can solve crimes that other people can’t.

**10** We were surprised by the film’s ………………………… ending – no one thought it would end like that.

Marks: \_\_\_\_

10×0.5 5

2 Underline the correct item.

**1** Beethoven was a famous **composer/ singer.**

**2** The first *Star Wars* film was **released/ directed** by George Lucas.

**3** The film has a fantastic **cast/role** with many talented actors.

**4** You can **import/download** the photographs from your camera to your computer.

**5** *Shrek 2* is one the best animated **scenes/sequels** of all time.

Marks: \_\_\_\_

5×0.5 2.5

Grammar

3 Turn the sentences from *active* to *passive*.

**1** They shoot a lot of films in 3D these days.

**2** Gary Lineker presents *Match of the Day.*

**3** Leo Tolstoy wrote *Anna Karenina*.

**4** They used amazing special effects for *The Lord of the Rings.*

**5** Channel 4 shows a lot of documentaries.

Marks: \_\_\_\_

5×0.5 2.5

4 Underline the correct item.

**1** Julia Roberts was great, **wasn’t/was** she?

**2** She’s starred in many films, **has/hasn’t** she?

**3** Robert De Niro is a fantastic actor, **isn’t/is** he?

**4** You didn’t really like the music, **didn’t/did** you?

**5** Let’s go to the theatre, **will/shall** we?

Marks: \_\_\_\_

5×0.5 2.5

5 Fill in the correct *reflexive* or *emphatic pronoun*.

**1** Bob, you can borrow any DVD you like – help ……………………….. !

**2** Edward doesn’t like going to the cinema by ……………………….. .

**3** The children behaved ……………………….. at the theatre.

**4** The actress produced the TV show ……………………….. .

**5** We enjoyed ……………………….. at yesterday’s concert.

Marks: \_\_\_\_

5×0.5 2.5

6 Fill in: *some*, *any*, *no*, *everyone*, *anywhere*.

**1** We watched a brilliant comedy at the theatre and ……………………. had a lovely time!

**2** There were ……… tickets left for the evening show, so they went to the morning show.

**3** We arrived really early, but we still couldn’t find ......................... to sit.

**4** Did you see ……………………. famous actors at the film festival?

**5** Lucy got ……………………. autographs from her favourite rock band.

Marks: \_\_\_\_

5×1 5

Everyday English

7 For each situation (1-3) choose the appropriate response. Circle (A, B or C).

**1** **How do you tell your friend that you like fantasy films?**

**A** I can’t stand fantasy films.

**B** I’m keen on fantasy films.

**C** I find fantasy films difficult.

**2** **How do you ask about the story of a film?**

**A** What’s the main plot?

**B** Have you read the book?

**C** Is the cast any good?

**3** **Your friend invites you to the theatre, but you don’t want to go. How do you answer?**

**A** That’s a pity.

**B** Let’s watch something else.

**C** Sorry, but I don’t feel like it.

Marks: \_\_\_\_

3×5 15

Reading

8 Read the texts below. For every paragraph (1-3) choose the right headline (A-D). Write the appropriate letters next to the paragraph numbers. One headline is extra and does not match any of the paragraphs.

**A** The background story

**B** The film’s weaknesses

**C** An action-packed film

**D** A star-studded cast

**FILM WEEKLY**

**1** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Once again, Superman returns to our screens, this time played by British actor Henry Cavill in *Man* *of Steel*. Cavill is joined by many other famous names, such as Kevin Costner and Russell Crowe. Michael Shannon plays Superman’s enemy, General Zod, and Amy Adams is curious reporter Lois Lane.

**2** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Man of Steel* takes a closer look at Superman’s past, where he was born and how he found out about his amazing powers. Viewers will get to know Superman’s family and the events in his childhood that made him become a hero for good.

**3** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

The script is poor at times and some of the acting feels forced, but the special effects are fantastic. There are a lot of impressive fight scenes between Superman and his enemies that are sure to take your breath away. If it’s adventure you’re looking for, *Man of Steel* is the film for you!

Marks: \_\_\_\_

3×5 15

Marks: \_\_\_\_

6×5 30

Writing

10 Write a review for a film guide (50-100 words) about a film you have recently watched on DVD or on TV. In your review:

• mention the name and type of film.

• give a brief outline of the plot.

• say if you would recommend it or not.

Marks: \_\_\_\_

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