

KEY

1. The weather around here **has been** terrible in the last few weeks. **(BE)**
2. Maria **packed** her suitcase last night. **(PACK)**
3. I **haven't played** volleyball since I was a teenager. **(NOT PLAY)**
4. We **have helped** wash the dishes. They're all clean now **(HELP)**
5. They **have closed** the factory. – Really? When **did that happen?** **(CLOSE, THAT HAPPEN)**
6. **Has your business course started** yet? **(YOUR BUSINESS COURSE – START)**
7. How long **have you had** that camera? – About a month. I **bought** it because it was on sale just before Christmas. **(YOU HAVE, BUY)**
8. **Have you seen** last week's magazine? – It must be here because I **bought** it on Monday. **(YOU SEE, BUY)**
9. The books you ordered **have arrived**. The delivery service **brought** them an hour ago. **(ARRIVE, BRING)**
10. The Queen **started** her two-week tour through Australia yesterday. **(START)**
11. The plane from New York **has just landed**. The passengers are getting out. **(JUST LAND)**
12. We **haven't had** a party at school for ages. **(NOT HAVE)**
13. I **caught** a cold in school a few days ago and **have been** ill ever since. **(CATCH, BE)**
14. Dinosaurs **wandered** around the earth millions of years ago. **(WANDER)**
15. Prices **didn't go** up last year, but they **have increased** by 8% already this year. **(NOT GO, INCREASE)**
16. I'm so tired. I **have walked** all the way to the underground station. **(WALK)**
17. We **have just come** home from our holidays and getting ready to settle in. **(JUST COME)**
18. She **lived** in London for three years. However, when her mom **died**, she **moved** to Leeds and **has lived** there ever since. **(LIVE, DIE, MOVE, LIVE)**
19. Dusty **has never lost** a match so far this year. He is more successful than last year, when he **lost** the first three matches. **(NEVER LOSE, LOSE)**
20. He **fell** off the ladder and **broke** his ankle. That's why he **hasn't been** in school for a while. **(FALL, BREAK, NOT BE)**

Answers:

1. I've seen three police cars this morning.
2. After he arrived home, he unpacked and went to bed early.
3. A: What's wrong?
B: I've broken a glass!
4. My grandparents only knew each other for a few months before they got married.
5. I've been in London for three years. I love it here.
6. We saw Julie last night.
7. He was a teacher before he became a musician.
8. When the boss walked into the room, we knew someone was going to get fired.
9. The children broke a window in the school last week.
10. He saw that film last year.
11. Lucy has broken her leg, so she can't come skiing.
12. Julie's arrived! Come and say hello!
13. They were cold when they arrived home.
14. Jack broke his arm when he fell off a horse in 2005.
15. I've known about the problem for months, but I haven't found a solution yet.
16. A: When did you arrive?
B: At 10pm last night.
17. She's been a teacher for ten years, and she still enjoys it.
18. How long have you known Jill? I know you see her often.
19. I have never seen the sea before.
20. A: Hello
B: Hi Mum, it's me. I just wanted to say I've arrived safely and everything is fine.

Vocabulary Multiple Choice Worksheet 5

For each question, choose which of the four possible answers fits the space best. Also think about why the other three answers are not possible.

1. "Does this pen belong _____ you Juan?" "No, it is Mick's I think."
a. **to**
b. at
c. with
d. on
2. I need to pass a difficult _____ even before they see me for interview.
a. proof
b. skill
c. **test**
d. course
3. Pass me the _____, I need to put these sheets together.
a. scissors
b. eraser
c. **stapler**
d. sharpener
4. If you help me _____ the potatoes, I will chop them and you can go and watch the movie.
a. mash
b. skin
c. break
d. **peel**
5. It isn't going to rain tomorrow, they said, but there may be a few _____ in the evening.
a. puddles
b. **showers**
c. breezes
d. gales
6. _____ sounding very boring, the film was actually pretty interesting. I would recommend it!
a. although
b. however
c. **despite**
d. nevertheless
7. My doctor told me to follow a more _____ diet and to cut down on my sugar and caffeine.
a. even
b. **balanced**
c. equalized
d. unbiased
8. I went back to that house _____ again but never saw anything that looked like a ghost ever again.
a. **over and over**
b. repeatedly
c. constantly
d. moreover