

<p><b>Grammar:</b> Mixed  <b>Vocabulary:</b> Mixed  <b>Skill(s):</b> Reading / Writing  <b>Activities:</b> Sentence completion/ multiple choice  <b>Level:</b> Advanced (Adult)</p>	<p><b>General English</b></p>
<p>1. Put the verbs in brackets into the correct forms, you need to use each of the following <b>tenses</b>:</p> <p>Present Simple, Present Continuous (2X), Present Perfect, Present Perfect Continuous, Past Simple (3X), Past Continuous, Past Perfect, Past Perfect Continuous, Future Simple, Future Continuous, Future Perfect, Future Perfect Continuous, be going to</p> <p>a) They ..... (still/discuss) the plan at midnight.  b) By May he ..... (live) abroad for six months.  c) He ..... (leave) his job because he ..... (feel) dissatisfied for months.  d) Skill ..... (come) with practice.  e) I think I ..... (go) home now.  f) He's such a boring man, who ..... (always/make) a fuss about nothing.  g) She ..... (stay) with a friend in London at present.  h) He ..... (gain) a lot of weight recently.  i) Look at the baby! He ..... (eat) that worm.  i) Oh, no! Someone ..... (read) my diary again.  j) She ..... (miss) the end of the film because she ..... (fall) asleep.  k) They ..... (make) a decision by Friday.  l) When he was younger, he ..... (always/go) to work by train.  m) We ..... (sail) around the islands this time next month.</p> <p>2. Complete the sentences using the following words or <b>phrases</b>:</p> <p>listless, fall apart at the seams, off the cuff, get on like a house on fire, flabbergasted, on the same wavelength, on the spur of the moment, paint the town red, fly off the handle, besotted</p> <p>a) Monica is very sensitive and tends to ..... if you criticize her.  b) Tom's parents were ..... at his decision to leave school.  c) Having waited for hours for the exam to begin, Anna felt rather .....  d) Richard is so ..... with his colleague that he simply cannot take his eyes off her.  e) If his wife left him, he would .....  f) The two of them have never had an argument, they really .....  g) My sister always understands me, we are .....  h) He is very impulsive, he always does things .....  i) What she said was ..... I'm sure she didn't mean to offend you.  j) He hasn't been out for a fortnight, he's bound to ..... tonight.</p> <p>3. Choose the correct alternative:</p> <p>a) Did you remember <i>lock/to lock/locking</i> the door?  b) I don't mind <i>burn/to burn/burning</i> the midnight oil even if I have an exam the very next morning.  c) He denied <i>steal/to have stolen/stealing</i> the painting from the museum the previous night.</p>	<p><b>Notes:</b></p>

- d) If you can't sleep, you should try *count/to count/counting* sheep.
- e) If you want to get fit you'd better *stopped/stop* smoking.
- f) Had he saved enough money, he would *go/be going/have gone* on holiday with us tomorrow.
- g) You *didn't need to/needn't have* come so early, the exam won't start for two more hours.
- h) The lawyer suggested *them to release/them releasing/that they should release* his client on bail.
- i) They've decided to fly *direct/directly* to London, although it is more expensive.
- j) I found his idea *rather/extremely/completely* acceptable.