

THEME 4 WHAT A LIFE VOCABULARY EXERCISES

A. Match the underlined words with their substitutes.

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| 1. You can achieve your dreams when you believe so. | a. hard-working |
| 2. Success is not a coincidence | b. realise |
| 3. Walt Disney was one of the gifted people in the past. | c. admirable |
| 4. Young Mustafa dreamt of an adorable school uniform. | d. talented |
| 5. He was a diligent student during his school years. | e. luck |

B. Fill in the blanks with the following words.

founder / curator / donation / exhibition / archives / sculptor / queue / sculpture

- The journalists made an interview with the _____ the about the new exhibition.
- The famous businessman is also the _____ of this charity organisation.
- There are various kinds of fossil animals in the _____ of the museum.
- I didn't understand how the _____ created such a good work just by using sand.
- We were able to get the tickets after waiting in the _____ for a long time.
- We adored the large _____ of paintings by famous artists.
- We made a small _____ to buy new clothes to the street children.
- My favourite pop star's wax _____ was almost alive.

C. Complete the text with the words below.

coincidence / gifted / achieve / adorable / diligent

The Key to Success

Successful people are always (1) _____ in their work. Being good requires doing things over and over again to gain expertise in what you are doing. That's why success cannot be a matter of luck. It is not a(n) (2) _____. If you want to (3) _____ your goals, you have to work hard and for sure you have to love what you do. Being (4) _____ is not enough, either. You still have to learn, study and practise for a(n) (5) _____ career even if you have extraordinary skills.

D. Match the definitions with the words.

sculpture / exhibition / donation / queue / archives

- This is a line of standing people waiting for something. _____
- This is when objects such as paintings are shown to the public. _____
- This is the art of forming solid objects to represent a thing, a person, an idea, etc. _____
- This is a collection of historical records relating to a place, an animal, a family, etc. _____
- This is when money or goods are given to help people or organisations. _____

E. Fill in the blanks with the words.

gifted / ordinary / diligent / big-hearted / privileged / significant

My primary school teacher is a(n) (1) _____ figure of my childhood. I was (2) _____ to be one of her students. As you can guess, she wasn't a(n) (3) _____ teacher at all. Besides being a(n) (4) _____ mother, she was also a(n) (5) _____ person. She could play the piano very well. She always surprised us in her classes. Sometimes she sang, sometimes she danced but always taught well. Thanks to her, I am a(n) (6) _____ learner.

F. Choose the closest meaning.

- She waited for the results with bated breath.
a. She waited for the results anxiously. b. She waited for the results angrily.
- She reached for the stars.
a. She aimed to achieve something easy. b. She aimed to achieve something difficult.

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1. b
2. e
3. d
4. c
5. a

B. Fill in the blanks with the following words.

1. curator
2. founder
3. archives
4. sculptor
5. queue
6. exhibition
7. donation
8. sculpture

C. Complete the text with the words below.

The Key to Success

Successful people are always (1) *diligent* in their work. Being good requires doing things over and over again to gain expertise in what you are doing. That's why success cannot be a matter of luck. It is not *a(n)* (2) *coincidence*. If you want to (3) *achieve* your goals, you have to work hard and for sure you have to love what you do. Being (4) *gifted* is not enough, either. You still have to learn, study and practise for *a(n)* (5) *adorable* career even if you have extraordinary skills.

D. Match the definitions with the words.

1. This is a line of standing people waiting for something. *queue*
2. This is when objects such as paintings are shown to the public. *exhibition*
3. This is the art of forming solid objects to represent a thing, a person, an idea, etc. *sculpture*
4. This is a collection of historical records relating to a place, an animal, a family, etc. *archives*
5. This is when money or goods are given to help people or organisations. *donation*

E. Fill in the blanks with the words.

My primary school teacher is a(n) (1) *significant* figure of my childhood. I was (2) *privileged* to be one of her students. As you can guess, she wasn't a(n) (3) *ordinary* teacher at all. Besides being a(n) (4) *big-hearted* mother, she was also a(n) (5) *gifted* person. She could play the piano very well. She always surprised us in her classes. Sometimes she sang, sometimes she danced but always taught well. Thanks to her, I am a(n) (6) diligent learner

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