1 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

0 I’m sure you will/may pass your exams next week.
1 My mum is going to/will buy me some new shoes on Saturday.
2 Don’t worry. He is going to/won’t tell your parents where we’re going.
3 I think she may/will be on holiday at the moment.
4 My sister will/won’t take me to the concert – she says I’m too young.
5 Do you think you won’t/will pass your driving test?
6 Stop doing that! You will/are going to have an accident.

2 Complete the sentences. Use will, won’t or may.

0 I may become a doctor when I am older. But, at the moment, I am not sure.
1 My sister says she will go to university to study after school. She wants to study mathematics.
2 George won’t be late. He never is.
3 My boyfriend will ask me to marry him. I’m not sure though.
4 We haven’t had a holiday for years but this year we will have one.
5 Jane’s had an accident and may have a broken leg. She has to have an X-ray.
6 He will go to the USA for his holiday. He always does.

3 Complete the dialogues. Use will, won’t, may or going to.

1 A: Are you going to go to the doctor’s?
B: I may go today. I know what he will say.
A: Really?
B: Yes, he’s ______ say I need to do some exercise or I _______ lose any weight. I don’t know, but he say exercise _______ stop me feeling tired.

2 A: I’m going to the doctor’s. I have stomachache.

B: She _______ probably ask you if you drink a lot of water, and eat lots of fruit and vegetables.

A: Okay. I _______ go and buy some fruit now!

4 Put the sentences in the correct order to make a conversation. The first sentence has been given.

a No, I haven’t been sick.____

b I’ve got a headache and I feel hot.____

c So, what’s the problem? _A

d How long have you had these symptoms?___

e Any vomiting?___

f For a day or two. Do I have the flu?___

g Yes, but don’t worry. Take these pills three times a day and drink plenty of water. You’ll get over it in a few days if you rest.___

h Thank you, doctor.___

5 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

0 I must/may/must not do my best at school.

1 I must/may/must not come home late when out with friends.

2 I must/may/must not do homework every day after school.

3 I must/may/must not use my mobile phone for thirty minutes a day.

4 My sister and I must/may/must not do the washing-up after dinner.

5 I must/may/must not go shopping with friends at the weekend.

6 I must/may/must not wear make-up to school.

7 I must/may/must not go to bed at 10 p.m. on school days.
Money today

When I was young, I got 50p a week pocket money from my parents. That’s about fifty-eight cents today. To get this money I had to help my parents in the house. I usually spent some of my money on sweets but I also saved some. When I was sixteen, I got a part-time job. It was what you did in those days. I worked 13.5 hours a week in a local shop and loved it.

Today, many of my friends give their children ten euros a week pocket money. This is not to spend on big things like mobile phones but for new CDs, going out and daily life. Their children have TVs and computers in their bedrooms and always want money to follow the latest fashion. Although their parents’ wages might not go up much each year, pocket money always does.

As a society, are we spending more and why? Some people think we are richer now, others think the products we buy are cheaper and we buy more of them. I’m not sure. I never had a computer as a child, but now, most children I know have one. A computer is necessary for school and modern life – in the same way that mobile phones and MP3s are.

But, are we really richer now? We may earn more money but we spend a lot more too and generally, things cost more, especially large electrical products. Perhaps it’s because we follow fashion more and don’t want to wait and save. It’s good to have the latest new products. My parents had to wait until they had enough money to buy something new.

My parents also never spent money they didn’t have. Perhaps this is the biggest difference with money these days. It doesn’t have to be cash. We don’t have to have the money at this moment, either in the bank or our pocket. Today many people live on credit and use credit cards. It’s a ‘spend now and pay later’ society.

1 What did the writer do with his/her pocket money?

2 What does the writer say children spend their pocket money on?
3 What do most children have now, which the author didn’t have?

4 What did the writer’s parents have to do when they wanted to buy something?

5 How do people often pay for things these days?

WRITING

You saw Taste in concert and have just read this review in a music magazine. Write a letter to the music magazine to say why you disagree with it. Write 75–100 words.

“Taste in concert for the first time. It was an amazing concert and the atmosphere was fantastic. This group is something special and everyone should see them in concert. Their songs are catchy and the lead singer has the most beautiful voice. The guitarists and drummer are also talented and this concert was the best I’ve been to all year”.

Remember to: • make notes before writing: atmosphere at concert? your opinion of the concert? your opinion of the songs, lyrics and musicians?, • organise your letter into four clear paragraphs with an introduction and a conclusion.