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1 Read the sentences about Chapter One. Choose the correct answer (a, b, c or d).

- 1 What news does Mrs Bennet have?
 - a Their new neighbour has proposed to one of her daughters.
 - b Their new neighbour is coming to visit.
 - c They have a new neighbour.
- 2 Mr and Mrs Bennet have . . .
 - a been married for 25 years.
 - b five daughters but no sons.
 - c the same ideas about their children.
- 3 Mr Bennet is . . .
 - a a gentleman.
 - b a rich man.
 - c not a clever man.
- 4 The girls . . .
 - a hear of Mr Bingley from their father.
 - b meet Mr Bingley at their home.
 - c see Mr Bingley from the window.

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2 Who is each person talking about? Write the correct names.

- 1 "She's the most beautiful woman I've ever seen," said Bingley.
- 2 "She is quite pretty, but she's not beautiful enough for me," said Darcy.
- 3 "He's a horrible, proud man! I don't like him at all!" Mrs Bennet said.
- 4 "He's a sensible, polite young man. He's funny, and he's so easy to talk to," said Jane.
- 5 "He's handsome, too, which is always a good thing," replied Elizabeth.

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3 Complete the text. Choose the correct word for each gap.

“But Jane ¹ him for only two weeks. She ² him once at his house and ³ dinner with him four times, but that ⁴ enough time to fully ⁵ him,” replied Elizabeth.

“Four evenings may ⁶ lots of things,” Charlotte replied.

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| 1 a knows | b has known | c knew |
| 2 a has seen | b is seeing | c saw |
| 3 a have had | b has had | c had |
| 4 a 's not | b 've not | c 're not |
| 5 a understand | b understanding | c understood |
| 6 a changed | b has changed | c have changed |

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4 Match the two parts of the sentences. Draw a line between them.

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| 1 When she arrived, | a who was very ill. |
| 2 Elizabeth was taken to Jane, | b which Elizabeth immediately noticed. |
| 3 When Elizabeth said she must go home, | c that Darcy was happy to hear the news. |
| 4 But his sisters were more interested in Darcy than in Jane, | d that two very different men were soon going to change her life. |
| 5 Elizabeth could see | e Miss Bingley saw that Jane wanted her sister to stay. |
| 6 Also, Elizabeth did not know | f Bingley, his sisters and Darcy were having breakfast. |

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5 Complete the sentences about Mr Collins. Choose the correct words.

cannot inherit	has asked to	has never met
is not	might have to	wants to help

- Mr Bennet Mr Collins, but he is his cousin.
- Mrs Bennet leave the house after Mr Bennet dies.
- This is because daughters their father's estate.
- Mr Collins come and stay with the Bennet family.
- Mr Bennet thinks it's good that Mr Collins the girls.
- But he also thinks that he a sensible man.

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6 Write T (true) or F (false).

- 1 Wickham was not invited to the Netherfield ball.
- 2 Elizabeth tried to make Darcy feel uncomfortable.
- 3 Elizabeth believes all the bad things that she hears about Wickham.
- 4 Darcy is rude to Mr Collins when he introduces himself.
- 5 Elizabeth is embarrassed by her mother and her sister.

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7 In Chapter Six, Mr Collins proposes to Elizabeth. How does each person feel? Correct the sentences.

1 Elizabeth is surprised and knows she will be happy with him.

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2 Mrs Bennet is sad and says Elizabeth must marry him.

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3 Mr Bennet says he won't see Elizabeth again if she doesn't marry him.

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8 Choose the correct answers to complete the text.

1 a for	2 a from	3 a old	4 a will
b in	b of	b older	b not
c of	c than	c oldest	c would
d from	d with	d the oldest	d wouldn't

Mrs Bennet's brother and his wife, Mr and Mrs Gardiner, arrived from London 1 (a b c d) Christmas. Mr Gardiner was a sensible man, very different 2 (a b c d) his sister. Mrs Bennet, happy to see them, told them her problems.

"My poor nerves! My two 3 (a b c d) daughters almost found husbands. But then Mr Bingley left for London, and Elizabeth 4 (a b c d) marry Mr Collins. I don't blame Jane, but I cannot forgive Lizzy."

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9 For each gap, choose the correct word to complete the first part of Darcy's letter.

Dear Miss Elizabeth Bennet,

I ¹ not say another word to you about our conversation last night. I only ask that you read this letter. If it brings you pain, forgive me.

It is true. I gave advice to Bingley about not ² your sister. When I saw them together, I saw that he ³ in love with her. But I could not see that she liked him very much. I was afraid she ⁴ never love him as much as he loves her. I didn't tell Bingley that Jane was in London, because I didn't want her to break his heart. And I ⁵ add that there's the problem of your family. Your mother's conversation about people's private business isn't polite. And, too ⁶, your three younger sisters follow her example. But I have always noticed that you and your older sister are very different from your other sisters.

1 a will	b don't	c can	4 a will	b would	c should
2 a marry	b marrying	c to marry	5 a can	b might	c must
3 a fell	b hasn't fallen	c was falling	6 a often	b never	c always

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10 In Chapter Eight, Darcy explains why he doesn't like Wickham. Answer the questions. Use the information in the box to help you.

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- How much money did Darcy's father leave Wickham?
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- What did Wickham change his mind about?
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- What did Wickham do with the money Darcy gave him?
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- What did Wickham do when Darcy wouldn't give him more money?
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- Who did Darcy promise to look after?
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- What did Wickham plan to do?
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11 Choose the best summary of Elizabeth's feelings at the end of Chapter Eight.

- a Darcy was proud and had too much prejudice against Wickham.
- b Darcy wasn't proud but he had a lot of prejudice against Wickham.
- c Elizabeth really didn't know what to think about Darcy or Wickham.
- d Elizabeth thought that she was proud and had too much prejudice against Darcy.

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12 Put the events from Chapter Nine in the correct order (1–8).

- a Bingley's sisters were very unfriendly to Elizabeth.
- b Darcy arrived at his estate.
- c Darcy brought his sister Georgiana to meet Elizabeth.
- d Darcy told Miss Bingley that Elizabeth was one of the most beautiful women he knew.
- e Elizabeth introduced Darcy to her aunt and uncle.
- f Elizabeth travelled with her aunt and uncle to Derbyshire.
- g Elizabeth and her aunt and uncle visited Pemberley estate.
- h They went to dinner at Pemberley.

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13 Read the questions. Choose the correct answer (a, b, c or d).

- 1 Mrs Forster invites Lydia to go to Brighton. What does Elizabeth say to her father about this?
 - a Lydia will be very happy in Brighton.
 - b Lydia will act like a lady.
 - c Kitty should go with Lydia.
 - d Lydia will flirt with officers and ruin the family.

- 2 Jane sends Elizabeth two letters at the end of Chapter Nine. What does the first one say?
 - a Lydia and Wickham got married in Brighton.
 - b Lydia left Brighton with Wickham, but they are not married.
 - c Wickham left Brighton without Lydia.
 - d Lydia and Wickham are planning to get married.

- 3 What does the second letter from Jane say?
 - a Wickham plans to marry Lydia.
 - b Father and Colonel Forster are going to Lydia's wedding.
 - c Wickham isn't going to marry Lydia, and Jane doesn't know where they are.
 - d Lydia and Wickham have got married.

- 4 What does Mrs Bennet say about Lydia leaving with Wickham?
- a She must marry Wickham as soon as possible.
 - b She can't marry Wickham.
 - c She wants Mr Bennet to fight Wickham.
 - d She needs to buy wedding clothes.
- 5 Mr Gardiner writes a letter to Mr Bennet about Lydia. What does he say?
- a Wickham and Lydia are married.
 - b Wickham will marry Lydia if Mr Bennet gives him money.
 - c Wickham will give Mr Bennet money if he can marry Lydia.
 - d Wickham has got a lot of money.
- 6 What does Lydia say about her wedding?
- a Mr Darcy wasn't there.
 - b Mr and Mrs Gardiner weren't there.
 - c Mr Darcy was there.
 - d Mr Bingley was there.

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14 Complete the text with one word for each gap.

After ten days at Longbourn, Lydia and Wickham had ¹ leave. They were going to Newcastle for two or three years. ² Mrs Bennet was sad to see them go. "Oh, my dear, Lydia," cried Mrs Bennet, "when shall we meet ³?" "Oh, I don't know," Lydia answered, happily. "Maybe ⁴ for two or three years." "Write to me often," Mrs Bennet said to Lydia. "I'll write as often as I can. But married women never have ⁵ time for writing letters. My sisters may write to me. They'll have ⁶ much to do."

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15 Choose the correct words.

- 1 "But I **must** / **must to** say I hate that man, Mr Darcy!" Mrs Bennet said.
- 2 "You **couldn't** / **may** find that he is in love with you more than before," Elizabeth said, smiling.
- 3 Elizabeth had no idea who **could** / **will** be in the very expensive carriage that arrived at Longbourn.
- 4 "I am almost his nearest family, and I **mustn't** / **should** know his plans!" Lady Catherine said.
- 5 Elizabeth answered, "If he does not like your plan, he **can** / **shouldn't** ask me to marry him."
- 6 "You **must** / **should not** try to decide my future." Elizabeth told Lady Catherine.

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16 Read the questions about Chapter Twelve. Choose the correct answer (a, b, c or d).

- 1 The chapter is called 'Two Weddings'. What would be a better title?
 - a A better understanding.
 - b A surprise for everyone.
 - c An unhappy ending.
 - d Love before families.
- 2 The word 'blame' is closest in meaning to . . .
 - a be angry with.
 - b be happy for.
 - c feel sorry for.
 - d tell somebody something.
- 3 Why has Elizabeth changed her mind about Darcy?
 - a Because she wants to help her father.
 - b Because she saw his house.
 - c Because Lady Catherine told her not to marry him.
 - d Because he did kind things.
- 4 What did Elizabeth's answers to Lady Catherine's questions allow Darcy to do?
 - a change his mind
 - b feel proud
 - c hope
 - d understand
- 5 What does Jane think of Elizabeth's news?
 - a She is unhappy about it.
 - b She is very happy about it but is not surprised.
 - c She is very surprised and happy about it.
 - d She does not believe her.
- 6 What is Mr Bennet worried about?
 - a That Elizabeth is not as rich as Darcy.
 - b That Elizabeth does not love Darcy.
 - c That Darcy is not as clever as Elizabeth.
 - d That Darcy does not love Elizabeth.

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17 What happened to each person at the end of the story? Write the correct names.

- 1 and lived very happily together with Georgiana at Pemberley.
- 2 and bought an estate in Derbyshire near them.
- 3 and never had enough money.

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18 Complete the sentences with the correct words. Use *ful* after or *un* before the words in bold.

- 1 When Mrs Bennet was (**happy**) about something, she always blamed her nerves.
- 2 “You must marry a woman who is polite, (**care**) with money and who will help you in your work.”
- 3 “It’s (**lucky**) that Mr Bingley’s going to be out,” said Mrs Bennet.
- 4 “And what Mr Darcy says about Mother, Mary, Kitty and Lydia is (**pain**) to read, but true.”
- 5 “Darcy’s been horribly (**kind**) to me,” said Wickham.
- 6 “Mr Darcy’s a (**wonder**) gentleman,” the servant continued.
- 7 “Caroline Bingley visited me once, but she was cold and (**friendly**),” Jane told her sister.
- 8 “You and Bingley are very (**help**) to other people and will spend more money than you have.”

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19 Read the definitions. Choose the correct words. There are four extra words.

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- 1 A large area of land that belongs to one person.
- 2 A group of soldiers who work together.
- 3 It has four wheels. People sit in it and it is pulled by horses.
- 4 You play music on it. It has black and white keys to make a sound.
- 5 You play games with these small pieces of strong paper, with numbers and pictures on them.
- 6 A soldier who tells other soldiers what to do.

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20 Complete the sentences. Use adverbs formed from the adjectives in bold.

- 1 “I shall not speak a word to Mr Darcy tonight!” Elizabeth decided, (**private**)
- 2 At last, Darcy spoke. “Mr Wickham makes friends (**easy**)”
- 3 “I was trying to be kind,” Miss Bingley answered, (**angry**), and walked away.
- 4 At supper, Elizabeth had to sit near her mother, who was speaking (**loud**) about Jane and Bingley to Mrs Lucas.
- 5 She (**quiet**) tried to stop her mother, but Mrs Bennet did not care what Darcy thought of her.
- 6 Mrs Bennet went home, (**happy**) thinking that Jane and Bingley might be married soon.

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