

Part 3

For questions 1–12, read the text below and decide which answer (A, B, C or D) best fits each gap. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Example:

0 A awaited B waited C expected D predicted

0	A	B	C	D
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VINYL ATTRACTION

Nobody ever really (0) my Uncle Peter to make a lot of money. When he (1) school, he didn't have any plans for a future career, and he got a job in a second-hand record shop that was supposed to be temporary. Peter's mother couldn't (2) it. Her other two children had both (3) to get places at university, and she was quite (4) that a young person needed a good education to get on in life. To (5) things even worse, this was the time when records made of vinyl were being phased out, and everyone wanted to buy CDs. It looked as though Uncle Peter would soon be looking for (6) somewhere else.

And then, all of a (7) , Uncle Peter's luck changed. He announced he was going to start collecting records and set (8) a mail order business selling rare records. I have to admit that nobody really (9) him seriously at first. We just couldn't believe that old records would ever have any (10) again. Who would be interested in a technology that's out of (11) ? Vinyl records have since become collectors' (12) , and Uncle Peter is now a very rich man.

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| 1 A completed | B concluded | C left | D ended |
| 2 A come over | B take over | C get over | D pass over |
| 3 A achieved | B succeeded | C accomplished | D managed |
| 4 A convinced | B persuaded | C determined | D convicted |
| 5 A get | B make | C bring | D drive |
| 6 A work | B job | C career | D profession |
| 7 A once | B moment | C sudden | D minute |
| 8 A up | B out | C off | D in |
| 9 A took | B believed | C thought | D gave |
| 10 A worth | B price | C cost | D value |
| 11 A time | B period | C date | D epoch |
| 12 A objects | B items | C things | D possessions |