

THE ZIGGURAT **DAILY VITAMIN** REVISION ACTIVITIES

(June 2018)

The following activities are designed to review the Daily Vitamins sent between the 1st of June and the 29th of June 2018. You should do the activities and then correct your work with the answers provided on page 3 of this document. If you have any questions, please contact us at didactic@ziggurat.es.

A. Expressions and acronyms. Fill in the blanks with the words in the box to complete the sentences below.

hold	nerves	queer	rat	win-win	FYI
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- The letter 'Q' in the acronym 'LGBTQ' stands for the word _____.
- He is such an impatient child; I am always telling him to slow down and _____ his horses!
- Dianne was tired of working long hours and never having fun, so she decided to leave the _____ race and live in the country.
- Jill couldn't stand to listen the CEO talk; the sound of his voice just got on her _____!
- (Text to husband) _____, your parents are coming to dinner. Can you buy some wine and get home by 8:00?
- When you are negotiating and both sides are happy with the outcome, then it's a _____ situation.

B. Phrasal verbs. Match the first part of the sentence on the left with the second part on the right. Pay attention to the phrasal verbs!

First part	Second part
1. _____ I'm looking for a new sofa and have been to a number of stores, but nothing has jumped	a. up the exam at a later date.
2. _____ Every student who fails has the chance to make	b. up after the meeting to see that everyone has done what they said they would.
3. _____ My daughter is an expert at putting	c. out at me; so, I haven't bought one yet.
4. _____ It's very important to follow	d. up against me, so we went to the beach and not the mountains for our vacation, like I wanted to.
5. _____ My husband and kids teamed	e. off doing her homework until the last minute.

C. Vocabulary. Complete the sentences below by filling in the blanks with the words in the box.

goodwill	irks	kooky	transfixing	like
odd	should	thorough	mesmerizing	versatile

- The twins look exactly alike; they are _____ two peas in a pod. 
- It really _____ me when people say one thing and then do another. It's so annoying! SHUTTERSTOCK.COM 113584774
- The police did a very _____ search of the robber's apartment; they spent hours looking in every nook and cranny,¹ but they couldn't find the stolen jewels.
- David is a very _____ athlete; he plays three very different sports very well.
- These two words are similar, but 'eccentric' is often used as a synonym for the word _____ and the definition of _____ is 'different from what is usual or accepted.'
- The multimedia art exhibition was _____; it held everyone's attention, and for some it was _____. People just stood and stared for hours.
- We had such a good time with Alice and Bob; we really _____ invite them to our place for dinner soon.
- Many charity organizations depend on the _____ of average people for money and support to help those who are less fortunate.

¹ every part of a place

ANSWER KEY

A.

1. queer
2. hold
3. rat
4. nerves
5. FYI
6. win-win

B.

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

C.

1. like
2. irks
3. thorough
4. versatile
5. kooky / odd
6. mesmerizing / transfixing
7. should
8. goodwill