**Unit 1 Grammar practice***

**Present and past tenses; future forms**

1. Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first sentence. Use the bold words.
   
   It’s the best concert I’ve been to. *(never)*
   I’ve never been to such a good concert.
   
   1. I’m a psychology student at Cambridge University. *(studying)*
      I ________________ psychology at Cambridge University.
   2. Jimmy is in bed today because he’s got a cold. *(feeling)*
      Jimmy ________________ well today.
   3. The last time I saw him was in March. *(since)*
      I ________________ March.
   4. Bob started his homework at 8 o’clock. Now it’s 10 o’clock. *(been)*
      Bob ________________ two hours.
   5. They came to Oxford a year ago. *(living)*
      They ________________ a year.

2. Correct the sentences. Two sentences are correct.
   
   They watched TV when someone knocked on the door.
   
   1. He worked hard all month, so he was looking forward to his holiday.
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   2. I put the keys in my pocket after I was locking the door.
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   3. Were you at the sociology lecture yesterday morning?
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   4. Katie saw Pam yesterday. She sat in a café.
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   5. Tony had lived in Sheffield for two years before he moved to Barcelona.
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3. Complete the second sentence with between two and four words so that it has the same meaning as the first sentence. Use suitable future tenses.
   
   I’ve got an appointment with the doctor at 4 o’clock today.
   I’m seeing the doctor at 4 o’clock today.
   
   1. It’s Bob’s plan to visit me while he’s here.
      Bob ________________ me while he’s here.
   2. Karen is nineteen years old now.
      Karen ________________ twenty years old next year.
   3. They’ve decided to buy a new house.
      They ________________ a new house.

4. Complete the second sentence so that it has the same meaning as the first sentence. Use suitable future tenses and the bold words.
   
   We expect to have a cold winter. *(think)*
   We think we’ll have a cold winter.
   
   1. She intends to stay at home all evening. *(to)*
      She ________________ at home all evening.
   2. Paul will finish his homework and then go to bed. *(done)*
      By the time Paul goes to bed, he ________________ all his homework.
   3. Look! That girl is about to fall in the lake! *(to)*
      Look! That girl ________________ in the lake!
   4. I plan to meet the teacher at 5 o’clock this evening. *(am)*
      I ________________ the teacher at 5 o’clock this evening.
   5. It’s cold in here because the window is open. *(close)*
      It’s cold in here. I ________________ the window.
   6. My mum and dad plan to leave at the weekend. *(will)*
      My mum and dad ________________ at the weekend.

5. Translate the sentences into your language.
   
   1. The gym doesn’t open until 8 o’clock.
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   2. Are they learning about future tenses at the moment?
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   3. While Tom was looking out of the window, Julie was watching TV.
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   4. I was sitting in the restaurant when Peter walked in.
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   5. They did the washing up after they’d eaten breakfast.
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   6. He hasn’t been feeling well lately, so he’ll see the doctor.
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   7. This time next week, I’ll be swimming in the sea.
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   8. At the end of June, I will have finished all my exams.
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