

VOCABULARY

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- 1 D to accept something that needs great mental or physical effort in order to be done successfully and therefore tests a person's ability
- 2 H to give your time or effort completely to something you believe in, or to use a particular amount of time or energy doing something
- 3 F to organise a series of activities to try to achieve or stop something
- 4 E a person who someone admires and whose behaviour they try to copy
- 5 G to have a good opinion of someone
- 6 B to do something actively and enthusiastically
- 7 A to do something that you have had a strong wish to achieve, or cause it to happen
- 8 C to increase knowledge and understanding of a particular activity, subject, etc.

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- 1 of
- 2 of
- 3 for
- 4 with
- 5 for
- 6 to
- 7 in
- 8 to

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- 1 came up against
- 2 look up to
- 3 Contrary to
- 4 in the region of
- 5 In common with
- 6 with regard to
- 7 let alone
- 8 Aside from

GRAMMAR

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- 1 Having graduated
- 2 Founded
- 3 hearing
- 4 laughing
- 5 enrolled
- 6 Having painted
- 7 covered
- 8 Given

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- 1 The boy awarded first prize is an exceptional artist.
- 2 One of the men given a medal was my great uncle.
- 3 Having eaten as much as he could, Ignacio paid the bill and left.
- 4 Built in 1865, the Gables is one of the finest houses in the area.
- 5 Ashley waved goodbye, tears streaming down her cheeks.
- 6 If arriving by car, please use the car park behind the building.
- 7 Having gone to bed at 4am, Jake woke up with a terrible headache.
- 8 Joan went to school without having breakfast.

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- 1 **Having overcome** many obstacles, Petra's victory was particularly remarkable.
- 2 **Given** the chance, Linda would eat the whole cake by herself.
- 3 Correct
- 4 We are going to the concert, **assuming** we can get tickets.
- 5 Correct
- 6 **Having won** the silver three years running, Adrian had his eye on the gold.
- 7 Many of the students **having** awarded top marks were from our school.
- 8 Michael was exhausted, **having** slept very little the previous night.