

# Review MODULE 2

## 1 UNITS 6 AND 7 Complete this extract from a letter with *a/an, the* or – (no article).

There are several reasons why I think I should be considered for (1) ..... post of research assistant in (2) ..... Faculty of Economics at your university. My first degree was in (3) ..... politics and economics from (4) ..... University of Warwick, (5) ..... England. Then I went to (6) ..... United States and took (7) ..... Master's degree in international development. Since then, I have been working as (8) ..... advisor to (9) ..... small non-governmental organisation, and also contributing to (10) ..... Independent newspaper on a regular basis.

## 2 UNITS 6 AND 8 Choose the correct words in *italics*.

- I refer to your letter of 10th March. *A / The* letter states that I purchased a car at your showroom several weeks previously.
- Do you remember *that / this* conversation we had three weeks ago about Kate and Geoff's wedding?
- Please sign and date *each / all* page of the contract, then return it to the address above.
- This packet is impossible to open. Can you pass me *the / any* scissors from the table?
- On most nights now you'll come across *a / any* fox in an urban environment.
- The current government has done *few / little* to alleviate the suffering of *poor / the poor*.
- I've studied several languages but have never found one *this / much* difficult before.
- The fear / Fear* of losing one's teeth is a common theme in many people's dreams.

## 3 ALL UNITS Match one of the options, A or B, in each pair with a continuation of the sentence or conversation. Choose from a–h in the box, as in the example.

- a Could I have a closer look at it, please?
- b It's a basic human right.
- c You just have to shop around.
- d It's the tallest type of tree in the world.
- e She took journalism and media studies.
- f You know, the one where Chris works.
- g You know, the one that we couldn't get last week.
- h I've never come across one so demonstrative before!

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| 0 A Let's meet in a restaurant.                         |                                     |
| B Let's meet in the restaurant.                         | ... <i>B</i> ... + ... <i>f</i> ... |
| 1 A My sister went to university.                       | ..... + .....                       |
| B My sister went to the university.                     | ..... + .....                       |
| 2 A The cat communicates a lot of desires and emotions. | ..... + .....                       |
| B This cat communicates a lot of desires and emotions.  | ..... + .....                       |
| 3 A People shouldn't be denied freedom.                 | ..... + .....                       |
| B People shouldn't be denied the freedom to eat meat.   | ..... + .....                       |
| 4 A A giant redwood once grew to over 70 metres.        | ..... + .....                       |
| B The giant redwood can grow to more than 70 metres.    | ..... + .....                       |
| 5 A Let's watch a DVD this evening.                     | ..... + .....                       |
| B Let's watch that DVD this evening.                    | ..... + .....                       |
| 6 A You can pay a lot less for a car these days.        | ..... + .....                       |
| B You could pay a lot less for a car in those days.     | ..... + .....                       |
| 7 A This is an interesting specimen.                    | ..... + .....                       |
| B That's an interesting specimen.                       | ..... + .....                       |