

ANSWER KEY

LOVE IS THE DRUG

WHILE READING

A. Match the antonyms (words with the opposite meaning)

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| 1. whisper | a. tolerant |
| 2. strict | b. deep |
| 3. pale | c. silly |
| 4. sensible | d. shout |
| 5. shallow | e. bright |

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

B. Say (T) rue or (F)alse. If (F)alse, give the correct answer.

1. Alice attends the audition of her brother's band in hope that she may be chosen as the singer. (F)
2. The first gig of the band is held at a pub down by the canal called Prince George (T)
3. Although Aimee refuses to come, Lucy and Natalie struggle to persuade their parents so that they can join Alice at the concert. (F)
4. Alice manages to become a roadie and helps the band in preparation before and after concerts. (T)
5. Alice starts to work at the paint department of a superstore with a senior salesperson named Marilyn. (T)
6. Kieran introduces his sister Sara to Alice in hope that they can become friends. However the girls do not manage to get along with each other. (F)
7. The parents of Alice and Joe trust their children. (T)
8. When Joe understands that his sister is taking drugs, he reacts violently and threatens her that he will inform his parents about the situation. (F)
9. Alice collapses at the festival due to a hereditary disease that she has been suffering for years. (F)
10. After the unfortunate event that occurs at the festival, Kieran doesn't contact Alice and shows no interest in her health situation. (T)

Chapter 1

❖ Match these words from Chapter 1 with their meanings and definitions.

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| 1. rehearsal | a. to test the voice of a singer, actor etc. who is looking for a job |
| 2. plectrum | b. to use arguments to make someone do what you want |
| 3. audition | c. to act as a bearer; to convey anything, to carry |
| 4. mess | d. meeting of musicians, actors etc. where they practice before a performance |
| 5. frighten | e. to have strong negative feelings about another person's action |
| 6. persuade | f. situation where everything is mixed up |
| 7. guy | g. one who offers himself, or is put forward by others, as a suitable person for an office, privilege, or honour. |
| 8. to be angry | h. small piece of plastic, metal etc. which guitar players use |
| 9. fetch | i. person |
| 10. candidate | j. to make someone feel afraid |

1-d 2-h 3-a 4-f 5-j 6-b 7-I 8-e 9-c 10-g

Chapter 2

❖ Put in ON, AT, IN, TO, FOR, FROM or NO PREPOSITION.

1. My GCSE exams would be over IN ten days.
2. Joe and the band were rehearsing ON Wednesdays.
3. I was bored with studying FOR my exams.
4. The first gig of the band is AT the Prince George.
5. I wasn't too happy about the other girls' idea that we should all get summer jobs AT the big Do-It-Yourself superstore.
6. A lot of Joe's friends FROM college would be at the concert.
7. Many students go to that pub FOR the music in the back room.
8. Half a bottle of vodka was put IN the non-alcoholic punch while no one was looking.
9. I didn't need to go TO the toilet.
10. Joe spent the money ON beer.

Chapter 3

❖ Read Chapter 3 and match these sentences.

- _____ 1. It was a good thing that Alice was wearing her old jeans _____.
- _____ 2. Alice would meet different, more interesting people _____.
- _____ 3. This could be the start of her best summer ever, _____.
- _____ 4. How many friends _____.
- _____ 5. As a member of the band, _____.

- a) than her boring school friends.
- b) have you brought along?
- c) because being a roadie is a dirty business.
- d) as long as she didn't make a mess of things.
- e) Kieran should really be helping to pack too, Alice thought.

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

Chapter 4

❖ Finish the words and match the synonyms (words with the same meaning).

- _____ 1. locker: a) material put on wood, wallpaper etc. to give it colour
- _____ 2. paint: b) wonderful
- _____ 3. prize : c) something (usually a mistake) which a person is responsible for
- _____ 4. brilliant : d) box (often in a changing-room) where one can put personal things while he works, etc.
- _____ 5. fault : e) something (often money) which can be won in a competition or show
- _____ 6. spoil: f) to say something quickly and angrily
- _____ 7. shelf: g) wanting to know something
- _____ 8. snap : h) to ruin
- _____ 9. curious : i) to become too big for clothes
- _____ 10. outgrow : j) board on a wall where things can be put

1-d 2-a 3-e 4-b 5-c 6-h 7-j 8-f 9-g 10-i

Chapter 5

❖ Look at the picture on page 25 in Chapter 5 and answer these questions.

1. Where are the people in the picture?

They are at a pub.

2. Who is the young man in the front part of the stage?

It's the band's singer, Kieran.

3. Who is the girl watching him, how does she look like?

It's Alice and she looks as if she is having fun.

4. Which musical instruments can you see in the picture?

A keyboard, drums, and a guitar.

Chapter 6

❖ Read Chapter 6 carefully and fill in the blanks with the following words:

a) stalls	b) spoil	c) shared	d) shelves	e) swallowed
f) worse	g) protested	h) fascinated	i) by the time	j) offered

1. I put the tins of paint on the shelves in any order.
2. I had almost finished lunch by the time the others arrived.
3. All three were wearing black sunglasses which they had bought at one of the stalls in the park.
4. Aimee had protested strongly but she would accept eventually.
5. Kieran shared his flat with a mate.
6. I didn't want anything to spoil this wonderful time together.
7. The local newspapers said the drug problem was getting worse.
8. Kieran offered drugs to Alice.
9. I swallowed the tablet with some water.
10. The part of Alice that was fascinated by Kieran with the beautiful face, wanted to trust everything and anything he said.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
d	i	a	g	c	b	f	j	e	h

Chapter 7

❖ Read Chapter 7 carefully and correct the wrong words in each sentence.

1. It was Sunday morning and everyone else was already in bed.

It was Sunday morning and everyone else was still in bed.

2. I wanted this normal feeling to stop now.

I wanted this strange feeling to stop now

3. There were two things I really wanted more than nothing.

There were two things I really wanted more than anything.

4. Lucy wasn't interested in what Aimee and Natalie were saying and was easily listening.

Lucy wasn't interested in what Aimee and Natalie were saying and was hardly listening.

5. Aimee would always had dared to lie to her parents.

Aimee would never had dared to lie to her parents.

Chapter 8

❖ Translate these sentences from Chapter 8 into your language.

2. It would be fun to show Lucy the new people I was mixing with.

Lucy'e, aralarına dahil olmaya başladığım yeni kişileri göstermek eğlenceli olacaktı.

3. I'd better wait for Lucy.

Lucy'i beklesem daha iyi olur.

4. Here's something to cheer you up.

Bu seni neşelendirir.

5. Keep my company, little Alice.

Bana eşlik et, küçük Alice.

6. I liked it most of the time, but it got a bit too weird.

Çoğunlukla hoşuma gittiyse de, sonradan biraz fazla tuhafıydı.

Chapter 9

❖ Arrange the sentences. They tell the story in Chapter 9.

- a. __3__ Joe wants to find out what is going on between Alice and Kieran.
- b. __4__ Alice tells her mother that the jealousy of her friends has upset her when her mother asks her why she doesn't look all right.
- c. __1__ Her friends give Alice a lecture on Ecstasy during lunch-break.
- d. __6__ Kieran offers Alice half an Ecstasy pill.
- e. __2__ Alice is sent home by Marilyn when she says she has a headache.
- f. __5__ Kieran is late as usual and arrives after the sound-check is over.
- g. __8__ Joe suspects that Kieran is getting his sister into drugs.
- h. __7__ Sara annoys Alice by calling her a groupie.

Chapter 10

❖ Make correct sentences from Chapter 10 with these words.

1. I / spend / next few days / be / especially / nice / Joe.
I spent the next few days being especially nice to Joe.
2. What/ would/ others / wear?
What would the others be wearing?
3. I/ want / kill / him / only/ seconds ago / but / who / could / angry / him / when / he / smile?
I had wanted to kill him only seconds ago, but who could be angry with him when he smiled?
4. I / always / love / dance / but / I / never / feel / so / free / before.
I had always loved dancing, but I had never felt so free before.
5. I / want / go / loo / put / cold water / face.
I wanted to go to the loo to put cold water on my face.

Chapter 11

❖ Here is the definition. Now find the word in Chapter 11.

1. extreme worry: anxiety
2. person who looks after sick people in hospital: nurse
3. water which comes out of your eyes when you cry: tear
4. people or things that are well known: familiar
5. one of the parts of a mixture: ingredient

Chapter 12

❖ Match these idiomatic sentences with their explanations.

1. We found Kieran and the others at last.
2. It was far too expensive.
3. The message was pretty clear: hands off my little sister!
4. Why spoil our relationship by making a fuss?
5. They were coming to get me

- a) It was obvious that he didn't want his sister to have a close relationship.
- b) It wouldn't be sensible to harm our relationship with unnecessary worry.
- c) After searching for a long time we finally came across with Kieran and the others.
- d) The price was above the quantity of money it was worth.
- e) They were going to catch me.

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

Chapter 13

❖ Read Chapter 13 and match these sentences.

- _____ 1. I was so embarrassed that_____.
- _____ 2. We asked him and his mates to help us look for you,_____.
- _____ 3. People go into a coma_____.
- _____ 4. Joe didn't want to get me – or himself -_____.
- _____ 5. I've booked an appointment with a drugs counsellor,_____.

- a) and never wake up.
- b) just for a chat.
- c) my face must have gone red.
- d) into trouble.
- e) but they were high.

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

Chapter 14

❖ Use **do / don't / doesn't / can / can't** in the following sentences from Chapter 14.

1. Aaron had to do the singing.
2. How can you care about someone who doesn't give a damn about anyone else?.
3. Can I give him a message?
4. Hey, don't blame me for what happened!
5. She's the only person I can trust.

can: possibility, ability, future possibility

can't: no ability

do, don't, doesn't: simple present tense; imperative

Epilogue

❖ Ask questions for these sentences in Epilogue.

1. Why is Natalie jealous of Alice?

Because they have a TV in the shop which shows the MTV music programme all day.

2. Why doesn't Lucy have a Saturday job ?

She thinks that it would get in the way of her love life.

3. What is the best thing that has happened to Alice after last summer?

Going out with Jez.

4. What did Kieran do to join the new band, Glass ?

He gave up college.

5. What does ecstasy mean for Alice after all ?

It's being with someone who really loves her more than anything else- more than endless partying, more than alcohol or drugs.