

## Answer Key

### WORD FORMATION

#### 1 Change the nouns in brackets into adjectives. The first sentence has been done for you.

*The Mona Lisa* by Leonardo da Vinci, is probably the world's most **famous** (fame) painting. It was painted sometime between 1503 and 1519. Her **mysterious** (mystery) smile has made this painting extremely **popular** (popularity) and **fascinating** (fascination). The painting presents a woman in half-body portrait. This **simple** (simplicity) composition set the standard for all future portraits.

The **enigmatic** (enigma) woman is portrayed seated in front of an **imaginary/imaginative** (imagination) landscape. Behind her, Leonardo da Vinci painted **icy** (ice) mountains, a **misty** (mist) lake, two rivers and a **distant** (distance) bridge. She has no **visible** (vision) eyebrows or eyelashes.

Most art lovers consider it to be **priceless** (price), but the **financial** (finance) worth of the painting is currently over \$700 million!

#### 2 Change the nouns in brackets into adjectives and adjectives in brackets into nouns. The first sentence has been done for you.

*The Scream* is the **popular** (popularity) name given to a masterpiece created by **Norwegian** (Norway) expressionist artist Edvard Munch in 1893. The **screaming** (scream) face in the **painting** (paint) has become one of the most **iconic** (icon) images of art, symbolizing the **anxiety** (anxious) of the human condition.

*The Scream* is an **autobiographical** (autobiography) work of art based on Munch's **personal** (person) experience of a scream piercing through **nature** (natural) while on a walk, after his two friends had left him. Munch remembered walking at sunset when suddenly he noticed a **dramatic** (drama), **red** (redness) sky. He sensed a **large** (largeness) scream passing through nature.

*The Scream* is **ugly** (ugliness) and **brutal** (brutality) and belongs in the here and now. It is a **powerful** (power) work of art.

### RELATIVE PRONOUNS

#### 3 Put the relative pronouns WHO, WHICH and WHOSE in the text. The first sentence has been done for you.

*The Louvre*, **whose** full name is the *Louvre Museum* or *French Musée du Louvre*, is a national museum and art gallery of France. It is in Paris, **which** is the capital of France. The *Louvre* is the world's most-visited art museum **which** has an art collection from ancient civilizations to the mid-19th century. In 1546 Francis I, **who** was a great art collector, began to build a royal residence, the *Louvre*, **which** was then continued by almost every French monarch. This original section is today the southwestern part of the Cour Carrée. Cardinal de Richelieu, **who** was the chief minister of Louis XIII, collected great works of art for the king. A committee, **which** consisted of the architects Claude Perrault and Louis Le Vau together with Charles Le Brun, **who** was a decorator and painter, planned that part of *the Louvre* **which** is known today as the Colonnade.

*The Louvre's* painting collection, **which** is one of the richest in the world, represents all periods of European art up to the Revolutions of 1848. Works painted after that date, **which** the Louvre once housed, were transferred to the *Musée d'Orsay* upon its opening in 1986. The Louvre's collection of French paintings from the 15th to the 19th century is the greatest in the world, and it also has many masterpieces by Italian Renaissance painters, including Leonardo da Vinci **whose** painting the *Mona Lisa* is the most famous painting in the world.

## PRESENT SIMPLE PASSIVE

4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the present simple passive. The first sentence has been done for you.

*Casa das Mudas* Contemporary Art Museum and Art Gallery **is located** (locate) in Calheta Municipality in the west of Madeira Island. Officially, Madeira **is called** (call) *the Autonomous Region of Madeira* and it is an archipelago of volcanic origin in the North Atlantic Ocean which belongs to Portugal. The island **is known** (know) for its gastronomy, wine and beautiful landscapes and it **is visited** (visit) by more than one million tourists every year.

Because of its technical conditions and privileged location (only about 20 minutes from the capital, Funchal), *Casa das Mudas* **is now turned** (turn) into a unique and pleasant place on the Island. It **is open** (open) every day except Monday, and the exhibitions **are divided** (divide) by themes: Abstraction, Non-figuration, Figuration, Portrait and Landscape.

*Casa das Mudas* is not only the museum and the gallery, but also the auditorium, library, area for cultural activities and workshops. Restaurant, shop, cafeteria and underground car park **are included** (include). The auditorium has 220 seats, so many concerts, dance performances, movies, plays and lectures **are held** (hold) there. It **is equipped** (equip) with the most recent technology and booths for simultaneous translation so many international meetings and congresses **are hosted** (host) there, too.

*Casa das Mudas* **is dedicated** (dedicate) to art and culture.

The main purpose of this building is to raise public awareness and interest in art but also to promote lifelong learning and education through art. We can say that all these goals **are achieved** (achieve) since *Mudas* **isn't visited** (not visit) only by art lovers, but also by people who want to enjoy breathtaking landscapes while learning about art or introducing with art for the first time.

## PAST SIMPLE PASSIVE

5 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the past simple passive. The first one has been done for you.

### FACTS ABOUT CANADA

- The east coast of Canada **was settled** (settle) by Vikings in approximately 1000 AD. It's definitely worth to visit L'Anse aux Meadows, which is part of the Newfoundland Viking Trail.
- The first tools in Canada **were found** (find) in caves overlooking the Bluefish River in northern Yukon.
- Canada **was discovered** (discover) in 1497 by John Cabot who was an explorer.
- Canada **was invaded** (invade) twice by Americans.
- Canada **was declared** (declare) a country on 1<sup>st</sup> July 1867.
- The city of Regina **was devastated** (devastate) in the Regina tornado of 1912, the deadliest tornado in Canada. Twenty-eight people **were killed** (kill), 300 people **were injured** (injure) and many buildings, both brick and wood, **were destroyed** (destroy).
- The lowest temperature in Canada **was recorded** (record) on 3<sup>rd</sup> February 1947. It was -63°C!
- The flag of Canada **was adopted** (adopt) 100 years after it became a country – on 15<sup>th</sup> February 1965.