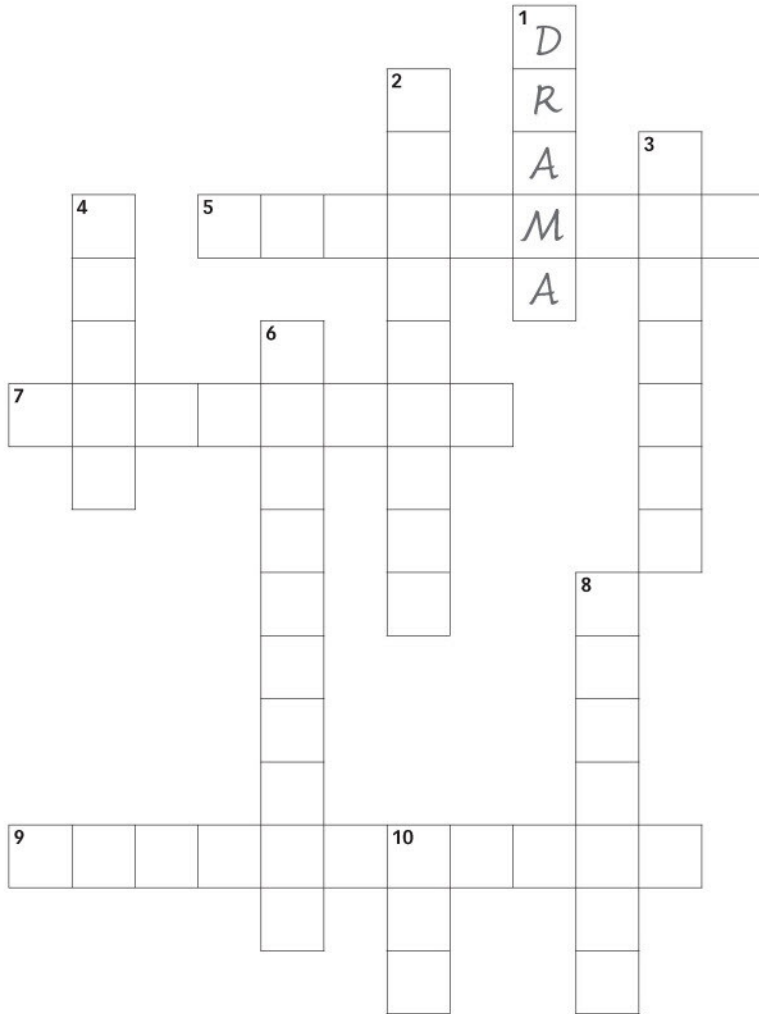


# 8.2 The secrets of a successful education

## Vocabulary & Speaking education

1 Complete the crossword with school subjects.



- 1 Students learn about plays and theatre in drama.
- 2 They study \_\_\_\_\_ like French and German, etc.
- 3 They learn about the physical world and nature in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 They study numbers, quantities and shapes in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 They learn about business and industry in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 They read different books in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7 They play different sports in \_\_\_\_\_ education.
- 8 They learn about the past in \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9 They learn about computers in \_\_\_\_\_ technology.
- 10 They learn how to draw and paint in \_\_\_\_\_.

2 Complete the words in the sentences.

- 1 How often did you take exams when you were at school?
- 2 My brother loves travelling, so he'd like to tr\_\_\_\_\_ as a tour guide.
- 3 What qu\_\_\_\_\_ do you need if you want to be a lawyer?
- 4 Are you going to do a M\_\_\_\_\_ d\_\_\_\_\_ when you finish your course?
- 5 My teachers were very r\_\_\_\_\_ about homework and we only did it if we wanted to.
- 6 You have to get good gr\_\_\_\_\_ if you want to go to university.
- 7 I'm fascinated by the brain, so I'd like to study ps\_\_\_\_\_.
- 8 Parents don't have to pay to send their child to a st\_\_\_\_\_ sch\_\_\_\_\_.
- 9 My partner is studying at college for a d\_\_\_\_\_ in hotel management.

3 Complete the article with the words in the box.

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### Big is beautiful

With 47,000 students, City Montessori School in India is the largest school in the world. Parents pay £12 a month for younger students and £30 for older ones, which makes it a <sup>1</sup> private school. The school rules are quite <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, and students have to wear a <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. Dr Jagdish Gandhi and Dr Bharti Gandhi started the school in 1959, because they believed that all children have a right to an <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. Students say that they have to work very hard to <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, because there are a lot of students in each class. Most classes have between 40 and 50 students, but the teachers are happy with that number. As well as subjects such as Maths and English, students at City Montessori School learn about world peace. People in the local area like the school's philosophy, which is one of the reasons for its <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. On leaving school, some students have gone to do a <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ at Harvard University in the USA, while others have started a <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ at the United Nations.





## Grammar obligation, necessity and permission (*must, have to, can*)

### PRONUNCIATION *can/can't*

4a 8.2 ))) Listen to the sentences and underline the words that are stressed.

- 1 You can use the internet.
- 2 You can't take photos.
- 3 You can sit here.
- 4 You can't walk on the grass.
- 5 You can pay by credit card.
- 6 You can't play football here.

b 8.2 ))) Listen again. Pause the CD and repeat after each sentence. Pay attention to the weak /kən/ pronunciation of *can* and the strong /ka:nt/ pronunciation of *can't*.

5 Choose the correct option to complete the sentences. In some sentences both answers may be possible.

- 1 We don't have to / mustn't go to work tomorrow. It's a holiday.
- 2 I'm late for a meeting. I have to / must go now.
- 3 Don't worry about the bill. We *can* / *must* pay by credit card.
- 4 There's a red flag. We *can't* / *mustn't* go swimming.
- 5 You *don't have to* / *mustn't* touch the cooker. It's hot.
- 6 You *can* / *have to* drive on the left in the UK.
- 7 You *must* / *have to* wear a seatbelt when you travel by car.
- 8 I *can't* / *don't have to* send personal emails from work.

6 Complete the article with the correct form of *must, have to* or *can* and the verbs in brackets. Sometimes there is more than one possible correct answer.



## The world's smallest classroom

Sauder School of Business at the University of British Columbia in Vancouver, Canada, has given one of its teachers an unusual job for the day. Marketing Professor David Hardisty <sup>1</sup> has to give (give) a class in an office block outside the university. But he <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not teach) students in a classroom. His 'students' are businessmen and women, and his 'classroom' is the lift of the building. Professor Hardisty <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (prepare) the lift to look like a classroom before everybody comes to work. He <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) shy when the first people get into the lift, because he hasn't got much time to give the class. Instead he <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (start) talking as soon as the lift doors close. He <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not relax) until his students get out on the top floor of the building. Then, he <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (get out) of the lift and watch the video of the class, which someone has filmed. Professor Hardisty <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not do) the class every day because the university now has the video. They are going to put the video of the class onto the internet to advertise the business school.

### I can ...

talk about education.

Very well

Quite well

More practice




talk about obligation, necessity and permission.