

ANSWERS

Task 2

Sight: In the blink of an eye; Out of sight, out of mind; The apple of someone's eye; To see things eye to eye; To turn a blind eye

Smell: To follow your nose; To smell a rat; To sniff around/out; To turn your nose up at something; Under someone's nose

Hearing: Ears are burning; Nothing between your ears; Out on your ear; To bend someone's ear; To keep your ear to the ground

Taste: A bad taste in your mouth; An acquired taste; In poor taste; To give someone a taste of their own medicine; To taste blood

Touch: "Touch wood!"; To hit a nerve; To keep in touch; To touch base; Touch-and-go

Task 3

hearing: catchy, loud, rhythmic, slow

smell: aromatic, fragrant, rotten, stinky

taste: bitter, salty, yummy, spicy

sight: blurred, bright, dark, shining

touch: fluffy, smooth, sticky, wet

Task 4

aromatic, bitter, blurred, bright, catchy, dark, fluffy, fragrant, loud, rhythmic, rotten, salty, shining, slow, smooth, spicy, sticky, stinky, yummy, wet, harsh, scented

- 1.The smell of **rotten** eggs reached their noses. It was something really disgusting.
- 2.The sound of the city was **harsh**, with sirens at all hours.
- 3.Wow, this cheese is really **stinky** - are you sure it's okay to eat?
- 4.He grows **aromatic** herbs such as lavender and coriander in pots next to his window.
- 5.She bought some rose-**scented** candles of a **bright** red colour. Her room smelt so **fragrant**.
- 6.Joe made a **yummy** cake for his guests.
- 7.After hitting his head he suffered from **blurred** vision.
- 8.She washed her hands after spreading some **sticky** honey on a slice of bread.
- 9.Chilli peppers made the sauce taste **spicy**.
- 10.The summer sky was blue, with only a few **fluffy** clouds.
- 11.Bob enjoyed the **rhythmic** sound of raindrops on the roof.
- 12.It was really early and the house was **dark** when I woke up.
- 13.She spoke **loud** to be heard over the music in the disco.
- 14.His mother put a **wet** cloth on his forehead to reduce the fever.
- 15.Rachel looked at the **shining** jewels in the shop window.

16. That song's so **catchy**, I can't get it out of my head.
17. I like this silk because it is very **smooth**.
18. This coffee is too **bitter** for me and these chips are really **salty**.

Task 5

1. Can you hear/listen to that noise?
2. Did you notice/watch the colour of her eyes?
3. I can't see/look at anything from here.
4. Don't look/watch behind you.
5. How long did you see/watch TV for?
6. I glanced at/stared Julia.
7. I see/can see something in your eye.
8. I overheard/caught a funny story on the bus.
9. What can you listen/hear?

Task 6

disappeared, observant, glanced/looked, looked, seem/appear, staring, sounds, can, catch, noticed

1. When I told them, I **noticed** that they both looked very surprised.
2. She said her name but I'm afraid I didn't **catch** what it was.
3. I **can** hear a bird singing. It **sounds** like a blackbird.
4. Why is that man **staring** at me? Have I done something wrong?
5. I spoke to him about the exam. He doesn't **seem/appear** to be nervous.
6. Did you see Nadia last night? I thought she **looked** ill.
7. I **glanced/looked** at my watch and realized it was time to go.
8. Sally always notices if I change my hairstyle. She's very **observant**.
9. A minute ago she was here, then she **disappeared**. I don't know where she is now.