EXERCISE – revise your vocabulary

1. In the United Kingdom most children start **A)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at the age of five and move to a **B)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ when they are eleven. They can **C)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ school at sixteen,

but most students stay on in the **D)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ till they are eighteen.

1. Our teacher was very **A)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and we were always **B)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ if we misbehaved. Sometimes, if we were really **C)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, we were put in **D)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_and had to stay after school.
2. The **A)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is in charge of the **B)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and **C)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of a school.
3. Mary got such good **A)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in her exams, that she got a **B)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_at Cambridge University and a **C)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to pay for her studies. She did so well there that she **D)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ with first class **E)** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

KEY

1. primary school/school attendance secondary school leave sixth form
2. strict punished nasty/naughty/cheeky/impolite/rude detention
3. head(master, mistress) staff pupils/students
4. marks/scores/grades/results place scholarship graduated honours