**Embry-Riddle Language Institute [Modified FA21]**  Beginning Grammar

Diagnostic Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Part A: [12 points] The *Be* Verb**

1. **[Write two complete sentences using the *be* verb and the information below**.]

[1 point] Present Simple negative

**She**

[1 point] Past Simple positive

**The Students**

1. **[Write yes/no questions using the *be* verb and give an answer**.]

1. [2 points] Present Simple

**Question**:

**Answer**:

2. [2 points] Past Simple

**Question**:

**Answer**:

1. **[Write Wh -questions using the *be* verb and give an answer**.]

1. [2 points] Present Simple

**Question**:

**Answer**:

2. [2 points] Past Simple

**Question**:

**Answer**:

3. [2 points] Simple Future

**Question**:

**Answer**:

**Part B: Tenses (out of 6 points)**

1. Start a short story in the past and then move to the present and then the future. Make sure to use **all 6 tenses with action verbs**. Use the story guide below:

**Last month, Tom came to the USA. . .**

Use each of the following verb tense forms:

simple past simple present simple future

past continuous present continuous future continuous

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**Part C: Phrasal Verbs [3 points]** Write a sentence for each of the phrasal verbs below.

1. *hang on*

*2. pick up*

*3. drop off*

**Part D: [5 points] Yes/No questions with action verbs.** Write a yes/no question in each tense.

1. **Simple Present:**

**2. Present Continuous:**

**3. Simple Past:**

**4. Past continuous:**

**5. Simple future:**

**Part E: [5 points] WH questions with action verbs.** Write a WH question in each tense.

1. **Simple Present:** [What]

**2. Present Continuous:** [Why]

**3. Simple Past:** [Where]

**4. Past continuous:** [How]

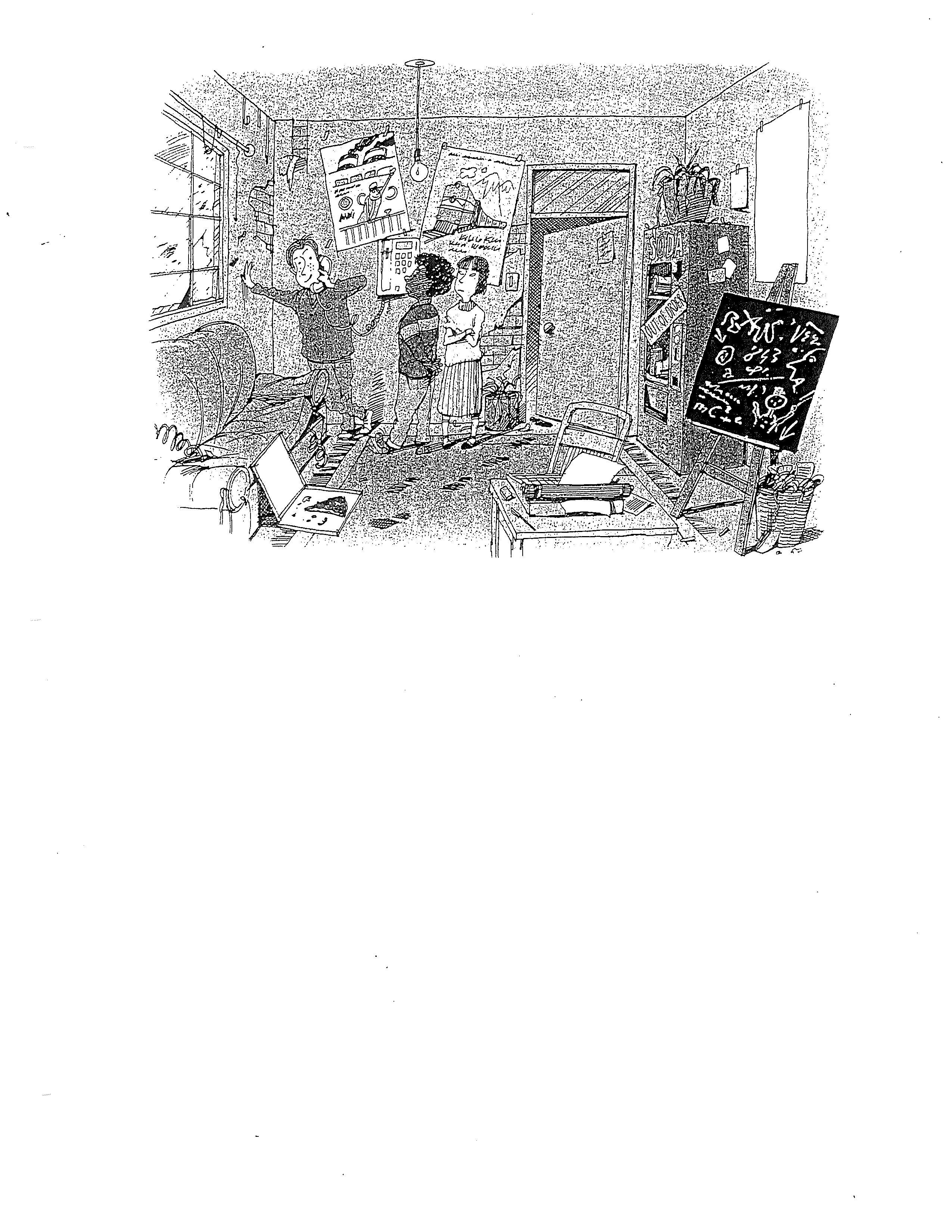
**5. Simple future:** [When]

**Part F: Imperatives [3 points]**

1. Write three sentences using an imperative to tell someone what to do.

2.

3.



**Part: G Adjectives and Adverbs [6 points]** Write 3 separate sentences with **adjectives** about the picture

1.

2.

3.

B. Write 3 sentences with the following **adverbs**:

1. [really]

2. [quickly]

3. [often]

**Part H: Present Modals [3 points]** Write 3 present modal sentences telling about the things in the picture.

1. present simple: [command]

2. present simple: [advice]

3. present continuous: [question]

**Part I Basic Adverb Clauses** [3 points] Write a sentence with each adverb clause word.

1. Before

2. Because

3. Although