



# UPPER PRIMARY

## Beginner English

E-Booklet

Part 3



## Vocabulary Exercise 2

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- (4) adjust

Prior to purchasing the antique vase, it was carefully \_\_\_ by the collector to verify its origin.

- (1) perceived
- (2) scrutinised
- (3) exchanged
- (4) interrogated

Since James understood his father's weakness for sweets, he always took \_\_\_ of it to negotiate extra pocket money.

- (1) use
- (2) care
- (3) charge
- (4) advantage

The sunset over the ocean at dusk was \_\_\_. All the beachgoers paused in wonder.

- (1) scenic
- (2) pictorial
- (3) charming
- (4) breathtaking

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For the next few hours, Sam (4) busied himself in the kitchen, chopping, frying, and stirring carefully. At last, just before dinnertime, he (5) popped the lid onto the pot of boiling sauce, which was perfect. Sam felt accomplished and hoped his father would enjoy the delicious surprise.

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