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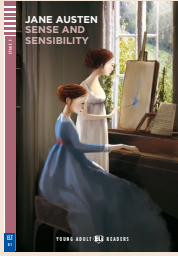
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ACTIVITIES

Put the correct time word or phrase into each space.

all the time - again - after x 2 - over the next few days
when - still

1 _____, everyone talked about Edward and Lucy 2 _____, but Marianne kept her promise. 3 _____ Mrs Ferrars was told about the engagement, she did what everyone expected. She took all her money and property from Edward and gave everything to his younger brother, Robert. She even told him she never wanted to see him 4 _____. 5 _____ all this had happened, 6 _____ he had lost his money and his family, Edward 7 _____ did not leave Lucy.



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TEST YOURSELF

Who said this?

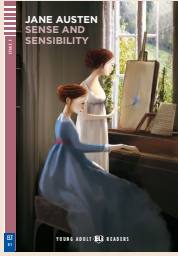
Miss Elinor Dashwood - Miss Marianne Dashwood
Mr Edward Ferrars - Sir John Middleton
Miss Lucy Steele - Willoughby

- 1 You must come and have dinner with us every day until you are settled. I will not take no for an answer!

- 2 'Everybody says nice things about Brandon, but nobody cares about him. Everybody is pleased to see him, but nobody remembers to talk to him.'

- 3 'I am not as ambitious as my family would like. I only want to be happy. I have a problem though - I am terribly shy. That makes things very difficult for me.' _____
- 4 'No, I am not engaged to be married to Mr Robert Ferrars. I have never met him. No, I am engaged to his older brother, Mr Edward Ferrars.' _____
- 5 'Tell him he must come to me. Tell him I must see him again. He must tell me what is happening.' _____
- 6 But I did not only hear about her happiness once. She spoke to me about it every time I saw her. All that time I knew I could never marry Edward. I had to keep the secret. _____

ANSWERS: 1 Sir John Middleton; 2 Willoughby; 3 Mr Edward Ferrars; 4 Miss Lucy Steele; 5 Miss Marianne Dashwood; 6 Miss Elinor Dashwood



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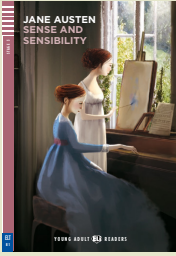
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PET – Writing

Choose the correct word, A, B, C or D for each space.

- Elinor suddenly saw Willoughby. He was standing _____ them, talking to a fashionable young woman.
 A close B near C to D at
- He saw Elinor but did not say _____ to her and he did not come to speak to Marianne.
 A nothing B something C some D anything
- When Marianne saw him, she looked incredibly happy. She wanted to run _____ to speak to him, but Elinor stopped her.
 A at B for C over D when
- 'Oh, I am so happy!' Marianne said, 'he is here, he is here. But why doesn't he look at me? Why can't I speak to him?'
 A doesn't B should C isn't D hasn't
- 'Please stay calm, Marianne,' said her sister. '_____ is watching you. Be careful!'
 A No one B They C Some D Everyone
- Marianne listened to her sister. She was right. She _____ wait. At last he turned round to them. She stood up, holding her hand out to him and called his name.
 A can't B must C mustn't D has to



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FOCUS ON...

Jane Austen's House Museum

After an appeal in *The Times* by the Jane Austen Society, the cottage where Jane gave life to her gorgeous novels was turned into a Museum dedicated to her life and works. Jane left the cottage for the last time in May 1817 to take lodgings near her physician in Winchester. In spite of this, the author's mother and sister, Cassandra, continued to live at this house for the rest of their lives.

When Cassandra died in 1845 the cottage was divided in three dwelling for labourers on the Chawton estate. The cottage remained in this state until it was put up for sale in 1947. The Museum today reflects the tranquil family home that the Austen women created while telling the story of their lives and Jane's work.

