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Aim High is a six-level English language course. The development of Aim High was informed by research in schools – observing lessons and talking to teachers and students. The information we gathered has given us valuable insights into what students and teachers want from a coursebook, and these became the guiding principles for Aim High. Most people asked for:

- a challenging input of active and passive vocabulary
- a strong focus on reading and writing skills
- rapid progression in the grammar syllabus
- plenty of support for skills work, especially writing
- a focus on dealing with idiomatic English and dictionary skills
- serious but motivating topics
- plenty of extra practice material.

Aim High has a very clear unit structure, which has been designed to enable teachers to take students from input (reading) to output (writing). In addition, in order to support the challenging grammar and vocabulary input, we have provided a reference section and extra practice in the Student’s Book. While teachers need to ensure that students adequately cover the required grammar syllabus, equal importance needs to be given to the communicative aspects of English.

**The components of the course**

**Student’s Book**

The Student’s Book contains:

- 7 topic-based units
- a Dictionary Corner section in each unit to promote dictionary skills and learner autonomy
- I can statements at the end of each unit to encourage conscious learner development
- 7 Grammar Reference and Builder sections, containing clear grammar explanations and further exercises for each unit
- tip boxes giving advice on specific skills and how best to approach different task types in all four main skills
- a Wordlist providing a lexical summary of the active and passive vocabulary of each unit with a phonetic guide for pronunciation. The Oxford 3000TM key symbol in the Wordlist indicates the most useful words for students to learn
- an irregular verbs list.

**Workbook**

The Workbook mirrors and reinforces the content of the Student’s Book. It offers:

- further practice to reflect the sections of material taught in class
- Challenge and Extension exercises to engage more able students
- writing guides to provide a clear structural framework for writing tasks, and a Writing Bank for reference
- regular Self check sections for students to develop an awareness of their progress
- a Vocabulary Notebook listing the vocabulary from the Student’s Book in alphabetical order, with space for students to make their own notes.

**Teacher’s Book**

The Teacher’s Book gives complete teaching notes for the whole course, including ideas for tackling mixed-ability classes. In addition, it offers:

- background information, optional activities and answer keys
- 7 photocopiable end-of-unit tests
- the Workbook answer key.

**Audio CDs**

The audio CDs contain all the listening material from the Student’s Book.

**A tour of the Student’s Book**

There are seven main units in the Student’s Book. Each unit has seven sections. Every lesson has a cross reference to the relevant page in the Workbook for extra practice.

**Reading**

- This contains the main reading text and introduces the theme of the unit.
- In addition to a Before Reading activity to get students thinking about the topic, a Reading tip develops their reading strategies.
- The reading texts are recorded so that students can listen to the text as they read.
- Important new vocabulary is highlighted in the text and practised in a follow-up activity and in the Workbook.
- The text contains instances of the main grammar point(s) of the unit.

**Vocabulary**

- The Activate section recycles the vocabulary from the reading page in a different context to check understanding.
- The Extend section introduces new lexical sets related to the topic and focuses on aspects of vocabulary such as word-building, collocation and phrasal verbs.
- All the target vocabulary from the unit is highlighted in bold in the Wordlist at the back of the Student’s Book.

**Grammar**

- There are two sections of grammar per unit, introducing one main grammar structure in two stages. Alternatively, the second grammar focus may be a different, but related, structure.
- The grammar structures are presented in a short text or other meaningful context.
- Learn this! boxes and grammar tables help students to work out the grammar rules, and further explanation and examples can be found in the Grammar Reference section at the back of the Student’s Book.
- Look out! boxes draw attention to minor grammar points, and help students to avoid common errors.
- As well as the exercises in the units, there is further practice in the Grammar Builder section.

**Skills**

- This section focuses on listening and speaking skills.
- The topic of the listening comprehension is introduced by more vocabulary input and practice.
- The tapescript can be found in the teaching notes.
- The listening comprehension activities are followed by speaking practice.
Writing

- This section begins with a model text or texts exemplifying the writing function and format.
- Students study a Writing tip and practise useful phrases.
- There is a clear writing guide for the students to produce their own text.

Review, Dictionary Corner and I can statements

- This section, which concludes the unit, offers revision and extension.
- The review activities recycle the grammar and vocabulary from the unit in a dialogue and other exercises.
- The Dictionary Corner activities are designed to help students become familiar with using an English–English dictionary. We recommend Oxford Student's Dictionary. However, the exercises can be done with any dictionary. Being able to use a monolingual dictionary independently will equip students with important skills for autonomous learning.
- Students can also be encouraged to become more autonomous learners by reviewing their learning outcomes at the end of the unit. The learning outcomes are expressed as I can statements which focus on skills rather than grammatical or lexical items. Students decide which skills they found difficult or easy, and, as a result, decide what their learning objectives should be. The students are then referred to the Self check pages in the Workbook.

Testing and assessment

Aim High provides a variety of resources for teacher-made tests and for students’ self-assessment:

- I can statements at the end of each unit in the Student’s Book
- Self check sections at the end of each unit in the Workbook
- Unit tests covering vocabulary, reading, grammar, language skills and writing in the Teacher’s Book (see pages 70–83)

The Common European Framework of Reference

Aim High has been designed to be compatible with the learning objectives of the Common European Framework of Reference (CEFR). The CEFR is a description of linguistic competence at six levels: A1, A2, B1, B2, C1 and C2. Aim High matches the CEFR levels as follows:

Aim High 1 and 2: A2
Aim High 3 and 4: B1 / B2
Aim High 5 and 6: B2 / C1

Each level is divided into five skill areas – speaking, reading, listening, conversation and writing. Each skill has a number of descriptors that explain what a student can do with the language. The descriptors are often represented as I can statements, for example:

A2 Writing: I can write a simple personal letter, for example, thanking someone for something.

The descriptors are written to help both learners and educational professionals to standardize assessment. Use the I can statements at the end of each unit and the Self check pages in the Workbook to encourage students to assess their own ability.

Tips and ideas

Teaching reading

Predicting content

Before reading the text, ask students to look at the pictures and tell you what they can see or what is happening. You can also discuss the title and topic with them.

Dealing with difficult vocabulary

Here are some ideas:

- Pre-teach vocabulary. Anticipate which words students may have difficulty with. Put them on the board before you read the text with the class and explain them. You can combine this with a prediction activity by putting a list of words on the board and asking students to guess which ones will not appear in the text. For example, for the text about Kung Fu on page 12 of the Student’s Book, list these words: training practise kicking blonde fight grandmother dangerous.
- Having read through the text once, tell students to write down three or four words from the text that they don’t understand. Ask them to call out the words. You can then explain them.
- Rather than immediately explaining difficult vocabulary, ask students to identify the part of speech of the word they don’t know. Knowing the part of speech sometimes helps them to work out the meaning.
- After working on a text, ask students to choose four or five new words from the text that they would like to learn and to write these in the Vocabulary Notebook section of the Workbook.

Teaching vocabulary

Vocabulary Notebooks

Encourage your students to record new words in the Vocabulary Notebook at the back of their Workbooks. You could suggest that they write an example sentence that shows the word in context, or they may find it easier to learn words by noting synonyms or antonyms.

Vocabulary doesn’t appear just on Vocabulary pages. You can ask students to make a list of all the verbs that appear in a Grammar section, or to choose five useful words from a reading text and learn them.

Learning phrases

We often learn words in isolation, but a vocabulary item can be more than one word, e.g. make a mistake, do your best, have a shower, go swimming. Make students aware of this and encourage them to record phrases as well as individual words.
Revision

Regularly revise previously learnt sets of vocabulary. Here are two games you could try in class:

- **Odd one out.** Give four words, either orally or written on the board. Students say which is the odd one out. You can choose three words from one vocabulary set and one word from a different set (a relatively easy task) or four words from the same set, e.g. kind, confident, rude, friendly, where rude is the odd one out as it’s the only word with negative connotations.

- **Word building.** This game can be played to revise words and their derivatives. Call out a word, and nominate a student to give a derivative of the word. Then invite other students in the class to contribute to the list. For example, danger: dangerously, happy: unhappily, happily. You can do the same for phrasal verbs (by asking for verb phrases using go, get, up, on, etc.) and idioms (by asking for idioms related to colours, parts of the body, etc.).

Teaching grammar

Concept checking

The concept is important. Do not rush from the presentation to the practice before the students have fully absorbed the meaning of the new structure. Here are some things you can do to check that they truly understand a new structure:

- Talk about the practice activities as you do them, asking students to explain their answers.
- Look beyond incorrect answers; they may be careless errors or they may be the result of a misunderstanding.
- Contrast new structures with forms that they already know in English and in their own language.

Practice

Practice makes perfect. Learning a new structure is not easy, and students need plenty of practice and revision. Use the extra activities in the Grammar Builder section at the back of the Student’s Book and in the Workbook.

Teaching listening

Pre-listening

This is an important stage. Listening to something ‘cold’ is not easy, so prepare the students adequately. Focus on teaching rather than on testing. Here are some things you can do:

- Tell the students in broad terms what they are going to hear (e.g. two people talking on the phone).
- Predict the content. If there’s a picture, ask students to look at it and tell you what they can see or what is happening.
- Pre-teach key vocabulary.
- Read through the accompanying exercise carefully and slowly before the students listen. Ensure that the students understand both the task and all the vocabulary in the exercise.

Familiar procedure

It isn’t easy to listen, read the exercise and write the answers all at the same time. Take some pressure off the students by telling them you’ll play the recording a number of times, and that they shouldn’t worry if they don’t get the answers immediately. Tell students not to write anything the first time they listen.

Monitor

While the students are listening, stand at the back of the class and check that they can all hear.

Teaching writing

Use a model

Ensure that the students understand that the text in the writing section serves as a model for their own writing.

Preparation

Encourage the students to brainstorm ideas and make notes, either alone or in groups, before they attempt to write a composition.

Draft

Tell them to prepare a rough draft of the composition before they write out the final version.

Checking

Encourage them to read through their composition carefully and to check it for spelling mistakes and grammatical errors.

Correction

Establish a set of marks that you use to correct students’ written work. For example:

- **sp** indicates a spelling mistake
- **wm** indicates a word missing
- **gr** indicates a grammatical error
- **v** indicates a lexical error
- **wo** indicates incorrect word order

Self correction

Consider underlining but not correcting mistakes, and asking students to try to correct them.

Teaching speaking

Confidence building

Be aware that speaking is a challenge for many students. Build their confidence and they will speak more; undermine it and they will be silent. This means:

- encourage and praise your students when they speak
- do not over-correct or interrupt
- ask other students to be quiet and attentive while a classmate speaks
- listen and react when a student speaks, with phrases like ‘Really?’ or ‘That’s interesting’.

Preparation

Allow students time to prepare their ideas before asking them to speak. This means they will not have to search for ideas at the same time as trying to express them.

Support

Help students to prepare their ideas. Make suggestions and provide useful words. Allow them to work in pairs, if appropriate.

Choral drilling

Listen and repeat activities, which the class does together, can help to build confidence because the students feel less exposed. They are also a good chance to practise word stress and intonation.
**Teaching mixed-ability classes**
Teaching mixed-ability classes is demanding and can be very frustrating. There are no easy solutions, but here are some ideas that may help.

**Preparation**
Try to anticipate problems and prepare in advance. Draw up a list of the five strongest students in the class and the five weakest. Think about how they will cope in the next lesson. Which group is likely to pose more of a problem – the stronger students because they’ll finish quickly and get bored, or the slower students because they won’t be able to keep up? Think about how you will attempt to deal with this. The Teacher’s Book includes ideas and suggestions for activities that can be used for revision with weaker students, or as extension for more able students.

**Independent learning**
There is the temptation in class to give most of your attention to the higher-level students, as they are more responsive and they keep the lesson moving. But which of your students can best work on their own or in pairs? It’s often the stronger ones, so consider spending more time in class with the weaker ones, and finding things to keep the fast-finishers occupied while the others catch up.

**Peer support**
If you are doing pairwork, consider pairing stronger students with weaker students. Putting students in pairs for writing activities can be a great advantage for weaker students.

**Project work**
Provide ongoing work for stronger students. You can give your stronger students extended tasks that they do alone in spare moments. For example, you could give them readers, ask them to keep a diary in English or work on a project. They can turn to these whenever they are waiting for the rest of the class to finish an activity.

**Correcting mistakes**
How much we correct should depend on the purpose of the activity. The key question is: is the activity designed to improve accuracy or fluency?

**Accuracy**
With controlled grammar and vocabulary activities, where the emphasis is on the accurate production of a particular language point, it’s best to correct all mistakes, and to do so immediately you hear them. You want your students to master the forms now and not repeat the mistake in later work.

**Fluency**
With activities such as role play or freer grammar exercises, it may be better not to interrupt and correct every mistake you hear. The important mistakes to correct in these cases are those that cause a breakdown in communication. We shouldn’t show interest only in the language; we should also be asking ourselves, ‘How well did the students communicate their ideas?’ During the activity, you can make a note of any serious grammatical and lexical errors and put them on the board at the end of the activity. You can then go through them with the whole class.

**Self correction**
Give students a chance to correct themselves before you supply the correct version.

**Modelling**
When you correct an individual student, always ask him or her to repeat the answer after you correctly.

**Peer correction**
You can involve the rest of the class in the process of correction. Ask: Is that answer correct? You can do this when the student has given a correct answer as well as when the answer is incorrect.
This unit includes
Vocabulary: family • possessive 's • everyday activities • sports and hobbies • collocations with make, have and do • expressions with look • cloth vs clothes, etc. • phrasal verbs
Grammar: present simple affirmative and negative
Skills: reading, listening and talking about family and friends, and daily activities
Writing: an informal letter
Workbook pages 2–9

Reading  PAGES 4–5

Warm-up
• Look at the unit title and ask students: Who is in your network? [family, relatives, friends, teachers, classmates]
• Read the title of the reading page, Family life. Ask students some questions about their families: How many brothers and sisters do you have? Are you the eldest or the youngest child? What jobs do you do at home?

Before Reading
• Students look at the photos and answer the questions in pairs. Then discuss the questions as a class.

Background Notes
The text is about the Povey family in the UK. The average family in the UK has 1.8 children, so the Povey family is exceptionally large.

Read
Exercise 1
• Students look at the main photo and read the text quickly to answer the three questions. Ask them to underline the sentences where they found the information so they can justify their answers with lines from the text. Check the answers with the class, asking for justification.

ANSWERS
1 F (She’s a mother with fifteen children.)
2 F (After breakfast her husband, Ian, goes to work.)
3 T (Sue loves her big family.)

Exercise 2  1.02
• Read through the Reading tip with students. Check that they have understood by asking: What should you read first? [the first part of the question] When should you read the options? [when you have found the correct place in the text]
• Play the CD while students read the text a second time and do the exercise. With a weaker class, ask students to underline the relevant lines in the text. Check the answers.

Teaching Tip: Reading with the audio CD
Playing the audio CD as students read will help them to focus on the text and read without stopping when they come across unknown vocabulary. This encourages them to work out the meaning of new words when they hear them in context. The CD also provides a pronunciation model for new vocabulary.

ANSWERS
1 b (She has a difficult job … She’s a mother with fifteen children.)
2 b (After breakfast … Sue drives the children to school.)
3 c (Every weekday she looks after the children and cleans the house.)
4 a (Every afternoon … she collects the children from school in the minibus.)
5 b (After dinner, she goes to the supermarket with two of her sons.)

Optional Activity: Reading skills
Aim: To focus on paragraph order.
Students number the questions in the order the paragraphs appear in the text. They close their books and answer the questions in the correct order with a partner. Monitor and help.

Understanding Ideas
• Students read the questions and think of possible answers.
• Students discuss their answers in pairs.
• Bring the class together to compare answers.

Teaching Tip: Brainstorming
Do this activity with the whole class by brainstorming possible answers for each question and writing them on the board. When students make a suggestion, check with the rest of the class that it is a plausible suggestion before writing it on the board. When you have elicited all the suggestions, ask students to vote for the best answer to each question.

SAMPLE ANSWERS
1 They are married. They have got jobs and live in another town. They are students and live in university accommodation.
2 Yes, he probably washes the dishes, looks after the garden, helps the children with homework, puts the children to bed.
3 Yes – food, clothes, shoes, books, birthday presents, washing powder, music lessons.
**Vocabulary**

**Exercise 1**
- Students match the highlighted words in the text to the definitions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

**Teaching Tip: Vocabulary Notebooks**
Set up a system with the class for making notes in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks (see Workbook pages 58–69). Give students more information about the words from the text (see below) and tell them to make notes. Also encourage them to use a monolingual dictionary to find definitions and example sentences. Encourage students to make their example sentences as personal or true as possible, e.g.

- **boring**: not very interesting
- Some people think football is interesting but for me it's very boring.

**Exercise 2**
- Students find the words in the text and read the sentences which contain them.
- Read out these prompts and check the meaning of the words:
  - North, ______, east, west [south]
  - Wednesday is a ______ [weekday]
  - Normal, typical [average]
  - The opposite of usual [unusual]
  - Disagree with someone [argue]
  - Put clothes in the washing machine [do the washing]
  - Metre, kilogram, ______ [litre]
  - You do this to clothes after you wash them [iron]

**Quick Test: Hot seat**
Put a chair in front of the board facing the class. Ask one student to sit on the chair with their back to the board. Write one of the words from Vocabulary on the board. Ask the other students to define the word for the first student to guess. Continue with two more words and then ask a different student to sit on the chair. Continue with the rest of the new words, changing students every three words.

**Optional Activity: Brainstorming**
Aim: To practise talking about life at home and household chores.
Preparation: Draw a boy and a girl on the board, or cut out a photograph of two teenagers from a magazine or newspaper.
Hold up the photos and explain that they are brother (Richard) and sister (Sally). Elicit information about the teenagers by asking: What time do you think Richard gets up? What time does Sally get up? Who do you think makes breakfast? Who drinks tea for breakfast?
Put students in pairs and tell them to imagine and describe Richard and Sally's habits and the division of housework. Point out that they can use the Reading text as a resource. Students can prepare their ideas in writing. In their pairs, students present their ideas to the class.

**More practice**
Workbook page 2

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Vocabulary

Target Vocabulary

Supermum: boring breakfast clothes collect dinner drive get up help homework lively look after lunch noisy quiet spend

Collocations with make, have and do: do the washing do the shopping do your homework have a break have a shower make a lot of noise make your bed make a phone call

Useful expressions: family and friends: drive me crazy get a move on get on well give someone a hand hang around spend ages

Expressions with look: look after look at look for look like look out look round

Activate

Exercise 1

• Focus on the table and ask students to cover the sentences. Elicit some morning activities from students and repeat for afternoon or evening activities before students do the exercise.
• Students complete the table. Check the answers.

Exercise 2

• Working in pairs or small groups, students look up the verb look in a dictionary and find one more expression with look. Ask them to write a definition and an example sentence for the expression.

Exercise 3

• Look at the pictures and check what is going on. Look at the example and check the meaning of look after.
• Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

Exercise 4

• Ask different groups of students to look up the following in a monolingual dictionary: get on, ages, around, move, crazy, hand, and ask them to explain the expressions in the exercise.
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

Quick Test: On the spot

Divide the class into two teams. Students have to complete expressions you say as quickly as possible. They get two points for a very quick answer (within two seconds) and one point if they take longer (two to five seconds). If they take longer than five seconds, they get no points and the turn passes to the other team. Read out the following incomplete expressions, saying ‘beep’ for the missing word each time:

Answer key:

... a celebration [have]
... get well with somebody [on]
... a baby [after]
... the washing [do]
... ages in the bathroom [spend]
... a phone call [make]
... your homework [do]
... hang with friends [around]
... a break [have]
... holiday photos [at]
... lunch [have]
... your bed [make]

... your mother [like]
... a lot of noise [make]
... me crazy! [drive]
... a shower [have]
... a city [round]
... in the morning [up]
... the shopping [do]
... breakfast [have]
... someone a hand [give]
... your bed [make]

Answers:

1 b 2 b 3 a 4 a 5 b 6 a

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Exercise 4

• Working in pairs or small groups, students look up the verb look in a dictionary and find one more expression with look. Ask them to write a definition and an example sentence for the expression.

Possible answers:

look ahead, look down, look forward to, look into, look out, look round

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Present simple: affirmative

Warm-up
• Focus on The Simpsons. Elicit some names of Bart's family members. [His dad's name is Homer. His mum's name is Marge. He's got two sisters called Lisa and Maggie.]

Explore

Exercise 1
• Students read the text and find examples of the present simple affirmative.
• As you check the answers with the class, check for any unknown vocabulary in the text.

ANSWERS
Bart Simpson is the star … Eleven million Americans watch … The Simpsons live in Springfield and Bart goes to Springfield Elementary School. He's very lazy … his classmates like him. Bart has got two sisters, … Lisa is very intelligent and she studies hard. Maggie is a baby. Bart's parents are Homer and Marge. Homer works at a power station … and watches TV at weekends. Marge stays at home …

Teaching Tip: Third person -s
Students often forget to add the third person singular -s when using this tense. Establish a sign to indicate this mistake to your students. For example, when a student omits the third person -s on the verb, you could hold up three fingers and ask them to repeat the sentence correctly.

Exercise 2
• Students look for the third person singular of work in the text and complete the table.
• Read the Learn this! box outlining the use of the present simple. Find sentences from the text as examples:

Eleven million Americans watch it every week (something that happens regularly).
The Simpsons live in Springfield (something that is always true).

ANSWERS
works
We form the third person singular of the present simple by adding -s.

Follow-up
Grammar Reference page 60

Exploit

Exercise 1
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 work – Homer 2 go – Lisa 3 studies – Bart 4 stays – Homer 5 like – Bart 6 live – Marge

Exercises 2 and 3
• Students repeat the third person forms individually. Make sure they differentiate between /s/ in likes and /z/ in plays.

ANSWERS
1 goes 2 flies 3 does 4 likes 5 finishes 6 plays
6 goes 5 studies 4 does 3 finishes 2 watches
8 flies 7 plays 6 likes 5 studies

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 1 (PAGE 61)

Quick Test: Dictation
First read the whole text to the class and ask them to listen.
Bart Simpson's best friend is Milhouse. He goes to the same school as Bart and they are in the same class. The teachers like Milhouse but some of his classmates hate him. Bart and Milhouse spend a lot of time together after school and at weekends. Milhouse speaks Italian because his grandmother lives in Italy. He visits her for two weeks every year.
Write the name Milhouse on the board.
Read the text again, repeating each phrase twice and pausing to allow students to write down the text. Then read the whole text again for students to listen and check.
Finally, elicit the sentences and write the text on the board for students to check their answer.

More practice
Workbook page 4
Grammar Builder page 61, exercises 1–4

ANSWERS
Exercises 1
2 watches 3 goes 4 flies 5 does 6 likes
7 finishes 8 plays

Exercises 2
1 watches 2 does 3 finishes 4 goes 5 studies
6 plays 7 likes 8 flies

Exercises 3
2 My brother loves pizza.
3 We go to school by bike.
4 My classmates like me.
5 His grandmother speaks French.
6 My cousins and I play football.
7 My friend's aunt lives in New York.

Exercises 4
1 reads 2 speak 3 live 4 work 5 drive 6 teaches
7 cooks 8 get up

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Skills  PAGE 8

Talking about family and friends

Target Vocabulary

Family: aunt brother cousin daughter father
granddaughter grandfather grandmother grandson
husband mother nephew niece sister son uncle wife

Vocabulary Notebooks
Remind students to use the Vocabulary Notebook in
their Workbooks during the lesson to make a note of new
vocabulary.

Warm-up

• Books closed. Write family on the board. Elicit words for
members of the family and write them on the board.

Vocabulary

Exercise 1

• Students complete the table individually or in pairs.

Exercise 2 1.05

• Play the CD. Students listen and check their answers.
• Play the CD again, pausing after each item for students to
repeat chorally and individually. Point out that the final /r/
in mother, father, sister, etc. is silent in British English.

ANSWERS
A: aunt, cousin, daughter, granddaughter, grandmother,
mother, niece, sister, wife
B: brother, cousin, father, grandfather, grandson, husband,
nephew, son, uncle
Cousin goes in both groups.

Exercise 3 1.06

• Play the CD. You can also model the pronunciation
yourself. Ask some students to repeat.

Exercise 4 1.07

• Play the CD once for students to check their answers. Then
play it again for students to repeat the words individually.
Pay attention to the pronunciation of /ʌ/.

ANSWERS
brother, grandmother, grandson, husband, son, uncle

Exercise 5

• Write on the board: my uncle's wife. Ask: Who's my uncle's
wife? and elicit the answer. [your aunt]
• Students study the Look out! box. Write on the board:
My dad's car and my parents' car. Point to the apostrophe
in the different positions and elicit which noun is singular
and which is plural.
• Students complete the puzzles. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 uncle 2 uncle 3 cousin 4 cousin 5 niece 6 brother

Exercise 6

• With a weaker class, specify that students write two or
three questions. A stronger class can do this activity orally.
• Start with the whole class. Two or three students ask a
question each, and the whole class answers. After that,
students ask and answer in pairs.

More practice
Workbook page 5

Listen 1.08

• Focus on Laura's network. The 'Me!' in the middle is Laura.
She has classified the people in her life into three different
categories: school, family, free time.
• Play the CD. Students complete the diagram.

ANSWERS
1 Hannah 2 Baker 3 Molly 4 Lisa 5 Sam 6 Lucy

TAPESCRIPT

Hi! I'm Laura. I've got one brother, and his name is Sam. I haven't got
a sister, but I've got two cousins – Mark and Lucy. Our house is near
the centre of town. I'm a student at Whiteside Secondary School. It's
OK. My favourite teachers are Mrs Baker and Miss Blair, and my best
friends are Tina, Lisa and May. My hobby is reading. I'm in a book
club with two friends, Jane and Molly.

Speak

Exercise 1

• Students draw a network diagram of their friends and
families.

Exercise 2

• Look at the model, and then put three or four names of
real people from your own network on the board and
encourage students to ask: Who's …?
• Students work in pairs and ask and answer about each
other's list of six people.

Optional Activity: Dialogue

Aim: To practise speaking about friends and family.
Preparation: Elicit a model dialogue to write on the board.

A What's your father's name? A Who's your best friend?
B His name's Richard. B My best friend is Laila.
A What does he do? A Where does she live?
B He's a lawyer. B She lives next door.

Elicit and write one of the dialogues on the board. Students
practise the dialogue in pairs. If possible,
ask them to move around so that they practise with
different partners.

Gradually rub out lines of the dialogue. Students continue
practising until there is nothing on the blackboard.

Ask students to practise the dialogue again, this time
substituting their own answers to the questions. Monitor
and help with any questions about vocabulary.
Grammar  

Present simple: negative

Warm-up
• Elicit some sports that students do and write them on the board. [football, basketball, tennis, swimming, etc.]

Explore
Exercise 1
• Elicit the first example with the class, and then students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
They don't like the same things … He doesn't play football … I don't like football … I don't like ice skating at all … We don't like the same things …

Exercise 2
• Students read the Learn this! box and complete the table.
• Point out that the third person singular uses doesn't instead of don't in the negative form.

ANSWERS
1 don't 2 doesn't 3 don't 4 don't

Follow-up
Grammar Reference page 60

Exploit

Teaching Tip: Using the infinitive form
Students sometimes forget to use the infinitive form after don't and doesn't. Use a red card to prompt self-correction.

Exercise 1
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 I don't live in England. 2 We don't come from London. 3 Karen doesn't study science. 4 Mick doesn't play ice hockey. 5 You don't like computer games. 6 Ben and I don't walk to school. 7 Mona doesn't get up at five o'clock.

Exercise 2
• Focus on the photos and explain that students are going to hear first Mark and then Sally talking about themselves.
• Play the CD straight through once. Students compare answers before listening again to check.

ANSWERS
Mark: 1 X 2 ✓ 3 X 4 X 5 ✓ 6 ✓ S Sally: 1 X 2 X 3 ✓ 4 ✓ 5 X 6 ✓

TAPESCRIPIT
Mark My name's Mark. I come from London, but I live in Liverpool. I'm a student. I study French at Liverpool University. My hobbies are basketball and reading. I study hard during the week. At the weekends I work in a restaurant.

Sally Hi, I'm Sally. I'm a student at Cardiff University, but I'm not from Cardiff. My family comes from London. I study medicine. I want to be a doctor. What are my hobbies? Well, I love shopping. I go shopping every Saturday morning. I also like sport — I play tennis. I sometimes work in a shop on Saturdays.

Exercise 3
• Read the examples and do some sentences with the whole class. Students continue individually.
• Fast finishers can also write sentences containing corrected information: Mark doesn't study maths. He studies French.

ANSWERS
Mark: 3 He doesn't study maths. He studies French. 4 He doesn't enjoy shopping. He enjoys reading. 5 He plays basketball. 6 He works in a restaurant. Sally: 1 She doesn't come from Cardiff. She comes from London. 2 She doesn't live in London. She lives in Cardiff. 3 She studies medicine. 4 She enjoys shopping. 5 She doesn't play volleyball. She plays tennis. 6 She works in a shop.

Exercise 4
• Remind students that the present simple is used to speak about regular activities and things that are always true.
• Students write their sentences and then compare their answers with a partner.

ANSWERS Students' own answers.

Quick Test: Sentence transformation
Read out the affirmative sentences and students write them in the negative.

We live in France. Sally studies Chinese. I speak Spanish. Teachers play computer games. Mark goes to school by train. We listen to the teacher.

More practice
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ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 1 (PAGE 61)

Exercise 5
1 doesn't 2 don't 3 doesn't 4 don't 5 don't 6 doesn't 7 don't 8 don't 9 doesn't 10 don't

Exercise 6
1 don't know 2 walk 3 doesn't like 4 stay 5 hates 6 love 7 doesn't work 8 plays

Exercise 7
2 He doesn't walk to school. He goes to school by bike. 3 He doesn't read books in his bedroom. He watches TV in his bedroom. 4 He doesn't get up early on Sundays. He stays in bed on Sundays. 5 He teaches maths. He doesn't teach English.
An informal letter

Target Language

| Informal letter: Dear, … penfriend. This is a photo of … a bit annoying. I go to … school. After dinner, … | Linking words: and then so or |

Warm-up

- Focus on the letter and establish that this is an informal letter. Elicit what information students expect to find in the letter. Make a list on the board.

Read

- Students read through the letter quickly. Tick the correct predictions on the board, and add any extra information to the list.
- Students answer the questions individually. Check the answers.

Exercise 3

- Students look for linking words in Robbie's letter. Elicit the first example with the class, and then students work individually.

ANSWERS

My name is Robbie and I'm your new penfriend. I'm 16 years old and I'm from Manchester. I live in a flat with my parents and my sister. She's 11 and she's usually a bit annoying. I take the dog for a walk, and then I do my homework. My parents don't get home until seven o'clock, so Karen and I cook dinner. I watch TV or listen to music.

Exercise 4

- Students choose the correct linking word.

ANSWERS

1 then 2 or 3 so 4 and 5 so 6 or

Teaching Tip: Beginning and ending letters

The Writing tip in this lesson is about beginning and ending letters. All letters in English begin with Dear (name), but in informal emails we can use Hello (name) or Hi (name). We end informal letters and emails with Best wishes, All the best or Yours. If we know the person extremely well, we can use Love. We often write a short phrase to close the letter before the ending, e.g. Write soon. Hope to hear from you soon. More later.

ANSWERS

Dear Sam,
Write soon.
Best wishes,

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Review (PAGE 11)

Language Skills

Exercise 1  1.10
• Students work individually, then compare answers.
• Play the CD for students to check their answers.
• Students practise the dialogue in pairs.

ANSWERS
7. goes 8. go 9. friends 10. sister’s 11. don’t 12. See

Exercise 2
• Look at the example and explain that students should write two correct sentences; one negative and one affirmative.
• Students work in pairs and write the sentences in their notebooks. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1. Tony and John aren’t teachers. They’re students.
2. John hasn’t got a brother. He’s got a sister.
3. Cathy isn’t eighteen. She’s nineteen.
4. Cathy doesn’t go to school. She goes to university.
5. John doesn’t go to the sports centre every evening. He goes to the sports centre every weekend.
7. Tony hasn’t got a French class now. He’s got a maths class now.

Exercise 3
• Students read the sentences and circle the correct answers individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1. brother’s, sisters’, doesn’t, are, go
2. have, children, live, visits
3. meet, take, watch, father’s, help, don’t

Dictionary Corner

Teaching Tip: The Oxford 3000™
The most important and useful English words are included in a list called the Oxford 3000™. These words are shown in the main section of the Oxford Student’s Dictionary (OSD) in larger print and with a key symbol:  . For more information about the list and to download a copy, visit the website: www.oup.com/elt/oxford3000.

Exercise 1  What’s the difference?
• Students look up the words cloth and clothes in their dictionary.
• Focus on the dictionary entry for cloth and elicit the following information:
  – The blue key symbol indicates that cloth is an Oxford 3000 keyword. [see the Guide to the Dictionary on p v–viii of the OSD]
  – cloth is a noun.
  – cloth has two meanings.
  – The [U] symbol indicates that cloth is uncountable when it refers to a material. [see the Guide on p vi]
  – The [C] symbol indicates that cloth is countable when it refers to a piece of material. [see the Guide on p vi]
  – A common word derived from cloth is tablecloth.
• Focus on the dictionary entry for clothes and elicit the following information:
  – The blue key symbol indicates that clothes is an Oxford 3000 keyword.
  – clothes is a noun.
  – The [pl] symbol indicates that clothes is a plural noun. [see p v–viii of the OSD]
  – A similar word to clothes is garment.
• Read the example sentences to show the difference between the two words.
• Students continue working individually.

ANSWERS
1. Cloth is a piece of material. Clothes are things that you wear.
2. Housework is cleaning the house and doing chores at home. Homework is studying after the lesson.
3. Lunch is a meal. Lunchtime is the time around midday when lunch is eaten.
4. Sometime means any date in the future. Sometimes means occasionally.
5. Teachers teach. Students learn.
6. Washing refers to clothes that need to be washed. Washing-up refers to plates and dishes that need to be washed after a meal.
7. Wear means what clothes you have on. Put sth on is the action of putting the clothes on your body.

Exercise 2  Phrasal verbs
• Focus on the dictionary entry for fill sth in and elicit the following information:
  – The PHR V symbol indicates that fill sth in is a phrasal verb. [see p v–viii of the OSD] Phrasal verbs are shown in a separate section after idioms.
  – fill sth in has two meanings.
  – AmE indicates that fill sth out can be used in American English instead of fill sth in.
• Students continue working individually.

ANSWERS
1. Fill … in 2. Put … away 3. Turn … down 4. take off
5. Pick … up 6. take after 7. Try … on

Follow-up
Self Check, Workbook pages 8–9
Test Unit 1, Teacher's Book pages 70–71

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This unit includes
Vocabulary: sports and hobbies • verb + noun collocations • opposites • verbs for running and walking • parts of speech • routines and activities • collocations • irregular plurals • parts of the body idioms
Grammar: present simple interrogative • adverbs of frequency • How often …? • imperatives
Skills: reading and listening to an interview • talking about free time • discussing hobbies and doing a class survey
Writing: an announcement
Workbook pages 10–17

Reading [PAGES 12–13]

Warm-up
• Look at the unit title and ask students: What do you do in your free time? [watch TV, play sports, meet friends, go shopping]
• Read the title of the reading page, Kung Fu. Explain that this is a martial art and elicit other martial arts. [judo, karate, tae kwon do]

Before Reading
• Students look at the photos and discuss the questions.

Background Notes
Kung Fu is a Chinese martial art which is quite popular in the UK. There are many different fighting styles. Some styles make use of Chinese philosophy to explain the movements.

Read

Exercise 1
• Students read the Reading tip. Check that they understand by asking: Is it necessary to understand every word? [no] What do you need to understand? [the general meaning]
• Students read the text quickly to choose the sentence which is true and underline the information in the text.

ANSWERS
Sentence 3 is true. (We get up at five o’clock and start training immediately. … I like the afternoons because we train with sticks and swords.)

Exercise 2 [1,11]
• Play the CD while students read the text a second time and do the exercise. With a weaker class, ask students to underline the relevant lines in the text. Check the answers.

Optional Activity: Reading skills
Aim: To focus on the order of an interview.
Preparation: Write the following questions on the board.
What do you want to do when you go back to Britain? [6]
When do you have breakfast? [2]
When does training finish? [5]
When do you stop for lunch? [3]
Do you train in the afternoons too? [4]
What time do you get up? [1]
Books closed. In pairs students number the questions in the order they appear in the interview. They check the order in the text on page 12.
Books closed. Students in pairs role play the interview.

Understanding Ideas
• Students read the questions and think of possible answers.
• Students discuss their answers in pairs.
• Bring the class together to compare answers.

Teaching Tip: Good points, bad points
Write Dengfeng School on the board and draw two columns labelled Good points and Bad points. Elicit information about the school. When students make a suggestion, ask the rest of the class: Good point or bad point? When you have elicited all the suggestions, ask:
What do you think David likes best about the school? What does he dislike most?

SAMPLE ANSWERS
1 He likes doing Kung Fu all day, learning to jump high and to kick, training with sticks and swords. He dislikes getting up early, the teachers hitting the students, the food.
2 No, because he learns how to defend himself, not to hurt other people.
3 They like the discipline. They want to do exercise. They learn to defend themselves. They want to be strong.
Vocabulary

Teaching Tip: Learning verbs
When students are learning groups of verbs, encourage them to learn each verb in a short phrase, e.g. kick a ball, run a race, fight your enemy.

Exercise 1
• Students match the highlighted words in the text to the definitions. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 jump 2 hard 3 break 4 train 5 dangerous 6 defend 7 typical 8 practise 9 rest 10 hit 11 fight 12 run 13 stretch 14 routine 15 kick
• Give students more information about the words from the text and ask them to make notes in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks (See Workbook pages 58–69).

break is a countable noun which means a short rest. We say take a break. We use the uncountable noun break to refer to the period between classes at school when pupils go to the playground to play.
dangerous is an adjective. It describes something that might cause injury or damage. The opposite is safe.
defend is a regular verb which means to protect. We say defend somebody / yourself from somebody / something. The noun is defence and the adjective is defensive.
fight is an irregular verb. The third person form is fights and the past simple form is fought. Fight is also a noun.
hard is an adjective. It describes something that is difficult. A synonym of hard is tough and the opposite is easy.
hip is an irregular verb. The third person form is hits and the past simple form is hit. A more formal word for hit is strike. Hit is also a noun.
jump is a regular verb which means to lift both feet off the ground. Jump is also a noun.
kick is a regular verb which means to hit something with your foot. Kick is also a noun. The start of a football match is called the kick-off.
practise is a regular verb which means to do something regularly so that you do it better. The noun is practice.
a rest is a countable noun which means a period of relaxation. The verb is also rest and the adjective can be restful or restless.
a routine is a countable noun which means the order in which you regularly do things. We often talk about our daily routine. Routine can also be an adjective.
run is an irregular verb which means to move fast using your legs. The third person is runs and the past simple is ran. A person who runs is known as a runner.
stretch is a regular verb which means to push out your arms and legs as far as possible. We say stretch your legs when we go for a walk after sitting down for a long time. Stretch is also a noun.

train is a regular verb which means to prepare yourself for something by practising hard. The noun is training and the person who teaches you is known as a trainer.
typical is an adjective which means to have the usual qualities of something. A synonym of typical is normal and the opposite is untypical.

Exercise 2
• Students find the words in the text and read the sentences which contain them.
• Read out these prompts and check the meaning of the words:
  – A thin piece of wood [stick]
  – A long, very sharp, metal weapon [sword]
  – Return to a place [go back to]
  – At once, without waiting [immediately]
  – A type of exercise you do on the floor [press-up]
  – A meeting with a journalist in which you answer questions [interview]
  – Daily, weekly, _____, yearly [monthly]

Quick Test: Password
Ask students to close their books. Write the first letters of the words from Vocabulary exercise 1 on the board in the order that they appear in the exercise. Put a chair in front of the class and ask one student to sit on it. Ask a question about the first letter: Which ‘H’ means to move suddenly into the air? [jump] If the student gets the word right, ask the same student the next question: Which ‘H’ means difficult or tiring? [hard] Continue until the student gets a word wrong or fails to answer the question. Then choose another student to come to the front. Start asking the questions from the top of the list again. The activity finishes when the student at the front has guessed all of the words correctly.

Optional Activity: Interview
Aim: To practise talking about sports.
Preparation: Students look at the interview with David and choose five questions to ask a student in their class. Ask which students in the class do sport seriously. Pair the sporty students with a non-sporty student. If necessary, make groups of three.
Students interview the sporty student with their questions. Monitor and help with vocabulary if necessary. Choose two or three groups to tell the class about the sporty student.

More practice
Workbook page 10
Vocabulary

Target Vocabulary

Target Vocabulary

No pain, no gain: break dangerous defend fight hard hit jump kick practise rest routine run stretch train typical

Opposites: activity – rest, attack – defend, easy – hard, safe – dangerous, unusual – typical

Parts of speech: break dangerous hard jump practise rest train

Verbs for walking and running: hike jog march rush sprint stroll

Useful nouns: appointment break calendar holiday timetable

Activate

• Focus on the words in the box and review their meaning by asking a few questions, e.g.
  What do you call the things you do every day? [your routine]
  What do you do if you try to hurt somebody? [fight]
  How do you describe something that isn’t safe? [dangerous]

• Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 Kick  2 rest  3 hard  4 fight  5 run, jump  6 train
7 routine  8 dangerous  9 stretch  10 defend  11 hit
12 practise  13 typical  14 break

Extend

Exercise 1 Opposites

• Students complete any of the opposites they know.

• Students look at the text and complete any remaining opposites. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 dangerous  2 typical  3 defend  4 hard  5 rest

Teaching Tip: Parts of speech

Write the words noun, adjective, verb on the board and elicit examples of each part of speech. Write one example of each on the board and ask students to look up the words to find the abbreviation their dictionary uses for each part of speech. The OSD uses the terms noun, adj, verb.

Exercise 2 Parts of speech

• Write the word jump on the board and ask: Which part of speech is ‘jump’? Explain that jump can be a noun or a verb, but in the context of the reading text it is used as a verb.

• Students check the words in the reading text and complete the table. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

verbs: jump, practise, train
adjectives: dangerous, hard
nouns: rest, break

Exercise 3 Verbs for walking and running

• Tell students they are going to learn some verbs that describe different ways of walking or running.

• Look at the pictures and ask questions about what is happening in each one. Look at the example and check the meaning of sprint.

• Students use their dictionaries to match the verbs to the pictures. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

a sprint  b hike  c march  d stroll  e rush  f jog

Exercise 4

• Students write sentences using the verbs. Groups write one sentence each on the board.

• Elicit any other verbs students know for running and walking.

POSSIBLE ANSWERS
run: canter, dash, gallop, race
walk: go on foot, parade, saunter, step, wander

Exercise 5 Useful nouns

• Tell students they are going to learn some more nouns for routines and activities.

• Focus on the words in the box and give students a short definition for each one, e.g.
  The time when you don’t have to go to school. [holiday]
  A list that shows the days and months of a year. [calendar]
  A list that shows the time the buses leave. [timetable]
  A short rest after you have done something difficult. [break]
  The time you arrange to have your hair cut. [appointment]
  The period between two parts of a play. [interval]

• Students complete the sentences individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 break  2 calendar  3 appointment  4 holiday  5 timetable

Quick Test: Anagram race

Write anagrams of the following words on the board:
rest, dangerous, train, practise, sprint, hike, interval, appointment.

For example: narit = train

Students solve the anagrams. Ask the student who finishes first to spell the words correctly. Write the answers on the board.

Vocabulary Notebooks

Remind students to make notes on new vocabulary in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks.

More practice

Workbook page 11
**Present simple: interrogative**

**Background Notes**
Snowboarding is a sport which involves going down a slope covered in snow on a snowboard. It was developed in the USA in the 1960s and the 1970s and it became a Winter Olympic Sport in 1998.

**Warm-up**

**Explore**

**Exercise 1** [1.12]
- Focus on the photo and elicit the name of the sport. Explain that students are going to listen to an interview with a teenage snowboarding star.
- Pre-teach competition. Books closed. Play the CD once for students to listen to the questions. Now students open their books and do exercise 1. Play the recording again to check.

**ANSWERS**
1 c 2 a 3 d 4 b

**Teaching Tip: Auxiliary verb do**
Explain that the verb do is an auxiliary verb. Auxiliary means help, so an auxiliary verb is one which helps to make a certain tense. In the present simple, the auxiliary verb do helps to make negatives and questions. Say the word help as a prompt to correct students when they forget do or does in a present simple question.

**Exercise 2**
- Students read and complete the Learn this! box.

**Follow-up**
Grammar Reference page 62

**Exploit**

**Exercise 1**
- Read the example and do the next question with the whole class. Students continue individually.

**ANSWERS**
1 Do 2 do 3 don’t 4 Does 5 does 6 doesn’t

**Exercise 2**
- Students work in pairs to ask and answer the questions in exercise 1.

**ANSWERS**
Students’ own answers.

**Exercise 3**
- Read the Learn this! box as a class. Elicit translations of the question words. Make sure students write them down.
- Tell students to complete the second part of the interview with Jed Bright.

**Exercise 4** [1.13]
- Play the CD to check the answers. Highlight the preposition at the end of the question: Who do you live with?
- Students practise the dialogue in pairs.

**ANSWERS**
1 Where 2 Who 3 How 4 What 5 When

**Exercise 5**
- Students do the matching task in pairs. Check the answers.
- Students work in pairs to ask and answer the questions.

**ANSWERS**
1 c 2 e 3 a 4 b 5 d 6 f

**Exercise 6**
- Students work with different partners. They each write down five questions.

**ANSWERS**
Students’ own answers.

**Exercise 7**
- Individual students tell the class about their partner. Take notes of errors and provide feedback.

**More practice**
Workbook page 12
Grammar Builder page 63, exercises 1–6

**ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 2 (PAGE 63)**

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Skills  PAGE 16

Free-time activities

Target Vocabulary

Sports and hobbies: athletics basketball books chess computer games cycling films football gymnastics ice skating jogging music photography rollerblading swimming

Teaching Tip: Vocabulary Notebooks
Remind students to use the Vocabulary Notebook in their Workbooks during the lesson to make a note of new vocabulary.

Vocabulary

Exercise 1
• Students label the photos individually or in pairs.

Exercise 2  1.14
• Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.
• Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.

ANSWERS
1 ice skating 2 photography 3 computer games 4 football 5 jogging 6 rollerblading 7 chess 8 athletics

Exercise 3
• Students categorize the vocabulary. Point out that the same word can go into more than one category.

ANSWERS
1 at home: books, chess, computer games, films, music, photography 2 outside: athletics, basketball, books, cycling, football, ice skating, jogging, music, photography, rollerblading, swimming 3 on your own: athletics, books, computer games, cycling, films, gymnastics, ice skating, jogging, music, photography, rollerblading, swimming 4 in a team: basketball, football

More practice
Workbook page 13

Listen

Exercise 1  1.15
• Tell students they are going to hear four teenagers talking about their favourite free-time activities. Play the CD once for students to write the sport or hobby. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 films 2 cycling 3 computer games 4 gymnastics

TAPESCRIPIT
1 Oliver  I love all kinds: adventure, comedy, historical. I watch films every weekend – I've got a big collection of DVDs. My favourite films are the ones my family watch with me because then we can talk about them. I read film magazines, but I don't buy them every month. I read them at the library.

2 Lauren  I don't go to school by bike – I go by bus, with my friends. But every weekend, I go cycling with my brother, Michael. We've both got expensive bikes. I ride a Spanish bike. I love it. It's silver and black.

3 Nick  I've got a computer in my room, and I use it a lot. I visit chat rooms and chat about new games. It's really interesting. My friends and I meet after school every day and play computer games for two or three hours.

4 Rachel  We don’t do it at school, but I go to a club near my home. I go on Thursdays, and I have lessons there. It's a difficult sport, but I really like it. My best friend goes to the same gymnastics club, so we have a good time together.

Exercise 2  1.15
• Play the CD again for students to complete the sentences. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 Nick 2 Rachel 3 Oliver 4 Nick 5 Lauren 6 Rachel 7 Oliver 8 Lauren

Exercise 3
• Students categorize the sports and hobbies according to their likes and dislikes.

ANSWERS
Students' own answers.

Speak

Exercise 1
• Students tell each other their opinions in pairs.

ANSWERS
Students' own answers.

Exercise 2
• Explain that students are going to interview everyone in the class about free-time activities. They list six of the activities from Vocabulary exercise 1 and make four columns for I really like, I quite like, I don't like, I hate.
• Elicit and model the question: Do you like …? Then model the responses: Yes, I really like it. / Yes, I quite like it. / No, I don't like it. / No, I hate it! Point out that they will need to answer them, not it, for books, computer games and films.
• Explain that they have to mark the number of responses in the correct column so that they can later count them.
• Students stand up and ask their questions. Monitor and make a note of any common errors.
• Students write up the answers to their survey.

Optional Activity: Dialogue

Instructions: See Optional Activity on page 10.

A What sports do you like?  A Do you like swimming?
B I quite like cycling.  B Yes, I do. I really like it.
A Who do you go cycling with?  A Do you like jogging?
B I go with my brother.  B No, I don’t. I hate it!
Grammar

Adverbs of frequency

Warm-up

• Write Saturday and Sunday on the board. Elicit from students what they do on these days.

Explore

Exercise 1

• Play the CD once for students.

Exercise 2

• Explain that the words in the box are all adverbs of frequency. Focus on the chart and explain that it shows the adverbs in order of increasing frequency.

• Students work individually to complete the chart.

• Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.

• Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.

ANSWERS

1 never 2 hardly ever 3 often 4 usually 5 always

Exercise 3

• Students find the adverbs of frequency in the text.

ANSWERS

Jacob: I always have football practice … I usually do homework … I sometimes play tennis. I hardly ever watch TV. The programmes are always really boring. I always go out with friends. We often go bowling. I’m usually in bed before midnight.

Kirsty: I usually get up late. I never have breakfast. I usually check my emails. I never buy a phone – they’re always very expensive. I always go out … I’m often out …

Exercise 4

• Students look back at the sentences they underlined in exercise 3 and complete the rules. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

a after  b before

Follow-up

Grammar Reference page 62

Exploit

Teaching Tip: Position of adverbs

Students may be tempted to put adverbs of frequency in the wrong position in the sentence. Establish a sign for incorrect word order, e.g. putting the thumb and forefinger together and then moving them around in a clockwise direction.

Exercise 1

• Read the example and do the next question with the whole class. Students continue individually.

ANSWERS

1 Jacob always has football practice on Saturday morning.
2 Kirsty usually gets up late on Saturday morning.
3 Kirsty never has breakfast on Saturday morning.
4 Jacob sometimes plays tennis on Saturday afternoon.
5 Kirsty never buys a mobile phone on Saturday afternoon.
6 Jacob and Kirsty always go out with friends on Saturday evening.
7 Jacob is usually in bed before midnight on Saturday night.
8 Kirsty is often out until eleven o’clock on Saturday night.

Exercise 2

• Pre-teach relatives and (to do) the washing-up.

• Model the task by asking one or two students: How often do you do homework at the weekend? When the student responds, Always, say: So, write ‘always’ in column 1. Ask follow up questions with When? and Who with?

• Students work individually to complete the chart.

ANSWERS

Exercise 3

• Students write full sentences in their notebooks using the information in their charts. Monitor and help.

ANSWERS

Students’ own answers.

Exercise 4

• Ask a few students to share some of their sentences with the class. Compare different responses.

Quick Test: Dictation

Instructions: See Quick Test on page 9.

Write the name Matt on the board.

Matt always has a basketball match on Saturday morning, so he gets up early and has a small breakfast. He usually goes to the match with his family, but sometimes he goes by bus. After the match they have lunch at home and in the afternoon, he does his homework. In the evening he often visits some friends and he is hardly ever in bed before eleven o’clock.

More practice

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Grammar Builder page 63, exercises 7–9

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 2 (PAGE 63)

Exercise 7

2 I’m never late for school.
3 I always speak English in English classes.
4 I often do my homework before dinner.
5 I hardly ever read a book in English.
6 I sometimes help my friends with their homework.
7 I’m usually happy with my exam results.

Exercise 8

Students’ own answers.

Exercise 9

1 f 2 e 3 d 4 c 5 b 6 a
Writing  PAGE 18

An announcement

Target Language

Announcement: Are you interested in …? We meet at (5 o’clock) … at (Hassan’s house).

Imperatives: Come to Book Club! Call (Lauren White) on … Don’t wait. Visit our website …

Warm-up

• Focus on the texts and establish that they are announcements. Ask: What are the announcements for? [a book club and a chess club]

Read

• Students read the announcements and complete the table individually. Get students to compare their answers before checking with the whole class.

ANSWERS
1 Thursday at 4 o’clock / Tuesday at 6 o’clock
2 at Lauren’s house / in Gino’s café
3 read and talk about books / play chess
4 meet to decide the next books / have a competition
5 Lauren White / Lewis Connor

• Focus on the announcements and elicit the following information:
  – They start with a question to engage the reader’s interest.
  – The first paragraph contains information about when they meet, where they meet and what they do every week.
  – The second paragraph contains information about what they do every month / year.
  – The announcements finish with an imperative and information about who to contact about the club.

Teaching Tip: Punctuation

Use these announcements to focus on some basic rules of punctuation. Point out the capital letters used at the beginning of each sentence, and also for names, days and places. Also highlight the full stops at the end of the sentences. Both announcements start with a question, so show students how we use question marks at the end of the question. Highlight how exclamation marks are used with the imperative to emphasize the instruction. Also show students how a colon can be used to introduce a website address.

Prepare

Exercise 1

• Read the Writing tip with the class. Make sure they understand the meaning of imperatives.
• Students underline the imperatives in the announcements. Check the answers.

Exercise 2

• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 Come 2 Play 3 Don’t stay 4 Meet 5 Learn 6 Visit 7 Don’t forget

Write

Exercise 1

• Students choose a club from the box or invent their own.

Exercise 2

• Students make notes individually. Monitor and help.

Exercise 3

• Students read through the instructions. Remind them to use the announcements in Read as a model and also their notes from exercise 2.
  • If the writing is done in class, circulate and monitor. If you notice common errors, write them on the board and ask the class to correct them.
  • Ask students to check each other’s writing. Has all the information been included? Are there any errors? After peer correction, students write a second draft and hand it in.
  • Fast finishers could design a poster for their announcement.

SAMPLE ANSWER

Book Club

Do you like reading? We love it!
We meet at Brown’s café every Wednesday to talk about our favourite books.
Every month we meet to decide the next book. We usually buy the books, but we sometimes borrow them from the library.
Join our book club! Phone Linda Brown on 03131 429732 or visit our website: www.bookswithlinda.com.

Marking Scheme

• Use of a correctly punctuated question to start the announcement. [1 mark]
• Content of first paragraph to include where and when the club meets, and what they do each week. [3 marks]
• Content of second paragraph to include what they do every month / year. [1 mark]
• Use of a correctly punctuated imperative to finish the announcement. [1 mark]
• Inclusion of contact details. [1 mark]
• Use of capital letters and full stops to start and finish sentences. [1 mark]
• Use of correct grammar and spelling. [1 mark]

More practice

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Review  PAGE 19

Language Skills

Exercise 1  1.18

• Students work individually, then compare answers.
• Play the CD for students to check their answers.
• Students practise the dialogue in pairs.

ANSWERS
1 often  2 usually  3 on  4 Where  5 us  6 Does  7 doesn't  8 Do  9 never  10 don't

Exercise 2

• Elicit the answer to the first question. Emphasize that the answers are complete sentences.
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 Kate usually plays tennis on Saturdays.
2 She plays tennis at the sports centre.
3 She plays with her brother.
4 No, she doesn't.
5 Her mum drives them there.
6 She watches them.
7 Yes, he's a really good player.
8 Jenny never plays tennis.

Exercise 3

• Read the example and do the next question with the whole class.
• Students continue individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 Who do you meet after school?
2 Where does your mum work?
3 How often do you go swimming?
4 What do you have for lunch?
5 How do you get to school?
6 When does Jim get up?

Exercise 4

• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 doesn't, them  2 Give, her  3 Does, How  4 on, Don't

Dictionary Corner

Teaching Tip: Irregular forms
The OSD contains a lot of information about irregular forms in English, such as irregular verb forms, irregular plural forms of nouns and irregular comparatives and superlatives of adjectives.

Activity: Students look up the words ride, potato and friendly to find the irregular forms: rode, ridden; potatoes; friendlier, friendliest.

Exercise 1 Collocations

• Students look up the verb catch in their dictionary.
• Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  – The inclusion of the past tense and the past participle (pt, pp caught) indicates that catch is an irregular verb.
  – catch has three meanings. Meaning 1 is used in the example in exercise 1.
  – The symbol [T] indicates that catch can be used as a transitive verb, i.e. with an object, e.g. The dog caught the ball in its mouth.
• Students continue working individually.

ANSWERS
1 catch a ball  4 squeeze a tube of toothpaste
2 knock at the door  5 wave to a friend
3 shake orange juice

Exercise 2 Plurals

• Focus on the dictionary entry for foot and elicit:
  – The symbol (pl) indicates that foot has an irregular plural form – feet.
• Students continue working individually.

ANSWERS
1 feet  2 babies  3 teeth  4 children  5 wives
6 businesswomen  7 mice  8 firemen

Exercise 3 Idioms: parts of the body

• Focus on the dictionary entry for ear and elicit:
  – The blue symbol IDM is used to illustrate idioms.
  – Idioms are included at the end of the entry after the meanings of the word.
• Students continue working individually.

ANSWERS
1 Someone's talking about me.
2 take care of someone / something
3 He's not really interested in it.
4 to be very busy with something
5 to think you are better than someone
6 to relax

Follow-up
Self Check, Workbook pages 16–17
Test Unit 2, Teacher’s Book pages 72–73

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This unit includes
Vocabulary: school subjects • in the classroom • prepositions of place • places in school • expressions with take • verbs for talking • capital letters • nouns from verbs • synonyms: big or small?
Grammar: there is / there are • have to
Skills: reading, listening and speaking about schools, subjects and timetables • describing a room
Writing: a note
Workbook pages 18–25

Reading  PAGES 20–21

Warm-up
• Look at the unit title and ask students to brainstorm the topic. Write their ideas on the board [subjects, rules, buildings, timetable, exams, classrooms, etc.]
• Read the title of the reading page, High flyers. Explain that it means students who do very well at school and achieve top marks. In the context of the reading text, however, it refers to teachers that travel by plane to meet their students.

Before Reading
• Read through the instructions with students and check they understand the phrases in the box.
• Students, in pairs, discuss the advantages and disadvantages of studying at home. Monitor and help. Compare answers with the class.

Background Notes
The text is about the Australian School of the Air which is for students who live in geographically isolated areas. There are Schools of the Air in all the states of Australia except for Tasmania and the Australian Capital Territory.

Read

Exercise 1
• Students read the Reading tip. Look at the subheadings of the article and ask students where they think they will find the answers to the questions. [1: Big country, small population, 2: Schools without classrooms, 3: A chance to meet.]
• Students work individually to answer the questions. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 20 million
2 twelve
3 once or twice a year

Exercise 2  § 1.19
• Play the CD while students read the text a second time and do the exercise. With a weaker class, ask students to underline the relevant lines in the text. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 c (Some families live on big, isolated farms, hundreds of kilometres from a town or city.)
2 b (… over 1,000 students use them.)
3 a (They send their work to the teachers once a week …)
4 b (… and discuss it by radio or over the internet.)
5 a (… a teacher visits every student at home.)
6 c (Students don’t have to go …)

Optional Activity: Reading skills

Aim: To learn how to summarize information.
Preparation: Write the following summary on the board.
The country of Australia is very ______ and the population is very ______, so some children have to use the School of the Air because there aren’t any schools ______ their houses.
The subjects are the ______, but teachers send the lessons by ______. Students have a week to do the lessons at ______ before they send them back and discuss them.
Teachers visit students once a ______, but they sometimes meet at the annual Sports Carnival too.
Students copy the summary and complete the spaces. Monitor and help. Check the answers. [big, small, near, same, post or email, home, year]

Understanding Ideas
• Students read the questions and think of possible answers.
• Students discuss their answers in pairs.
• Bring the class together to compare answers.

Teaching Tip: Pooling ideas
For question 1 draw a table on the board with three columns for the morning, the afternoon and the evening.
Divide the class into three and allocate the morning to the first group, the afternoon to the second group and the evening to the third group. Students make a list of activities the students of the School of the Air might do in their part of the day. Then a representative from each group writes their ideas in the appropriate column on the board.

SAMPLE ANSWERS
1 They get up early and have breakfast. They help their parents on the farm. They do their lessons. They have lunch. They chat with their friends online. They have dinner. They go to bed.
2 They check their work online, or on paper if the students send it by post.
3 It’s easy because they don’t have to go to school and they can work at their own speed.
It’s difficult because they have to work alone, and they can’t ask the teacher questions.
4 They have to help with homework, feed the animals, order the shopping online, drive a long way to visit their neighbours.
### Vocabulary

**Teaching Tip: Prepositions**
Encourage students to highlight prepositions in new expressions. They could use a coloured highlighter pen to do this, e.g. on their own, by post.

**Exercise 1**
- Students match the highlighted words in the text to the definitions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
1. post   2. on their own   3. library   4. annual   5. isolated   6. borrow   7. enormous   8. lonely   9. subjects
10. takes place   11. travel   12. prepare   13. chat   14. discuss   15. population
- Give students more information about the words from the text and ask them to make notes in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks (see Workbook pages 58–69).

- annual is an adjective which means once a year. The adverb is annually.
- borrow is a regular verb. The third person form is borrows and the past simple form is borrowed.
- chat is a regular verb meaning an informal way of speaking. The third person form is chats and the past simple form is chatted.
- discuss is a regular verb meaning a serious way of speaking. The third person form is discusses and the past simple form is discussed.
- enormous is a strong adjective which means very big. A synonym is huge.
- isolated is an adjective which means alone or apart from other people.
- library is the noun for a place where you can borrow books.
- lonely is an adjective. It describes a sad feeling you get when you are not with other people. To talk about the physical state of not being with other people, we use the word alone.
- on their own is a phrase which is used to show that something is done without another person. Another possibility is by themselves.
- population is a noun which means the number of people living in one particular area. It is always used in the singular.
- post is the method by which letters and packages are delivered to your door. To send a letter you put it in the post box or take it to the post office. The person who delivers it is a post man or a post woman.
- prepare is a regular verb. The third person form is prepares and the past simple form is prepared.
- subject is a countable noun for something that you study at school, e.g. maths, history, science.
- take place is an idiom used about a meeting or event. It means to happen. Take is an irregular verb and the past simple form is took.
- travel is a regular verb which means to go from one place to another. The third person form is travels and the past simple form is travelled.

**Exercise 2**
- Students find the words in the text and read the sentences which contain them.
- Read out these prompts and check the meaning of the words:
  - More than [over]
  - Millilitre litre, metre, ______ [kilometre]
  - Important for some reason [special]
  - A place where you do sport [playing field]
  - Once, ______, three times, four times [twice]
  - Four or five times a week [quite often]
  - Festival [carnival]
  - Get to know someone [make friends]

**Quick Test: Noughts and crosses**
Play a game of noughts and crosses with one student on the board. Then draw another grid and write one word from the new vocabulary into each square. Divide the class into two teams, noughts and crosses. Noughts choose a square and have to give an example sentence including the word in the square. Then the turn moves to crosses. The winner is the first team to make a line of noughts or crosses, or the team with the most squares. Students could then play in pairs using different words.

**Optional Activity: Interview**
Aim: To talk about a typical day at the School of the Air.
Preparation: Tell students they are journalists from a teenage magazine and that they are going to interview a student from the School of the Air.

Students in pairs write ten questions to ask the School of the Air student about their typical day. Monitor and help.

Put students in different pairs to carry out the interview. The winner is the first team to make a line of noughts or crosses, or the team with the most squares. Students could then play in pairs using different words.

Students write up their answers as a magazine article.

**More practice**
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Vocabulary

Target Vocabulary

School of the air: annual borrow chat discuss enormous isolated library lonely on his own population post prepare subjects takes place travel

Places in schools: canteen corridor gym hall library playing fields staff room stairs

Expressions with take: take apart take away take down take in take off take out

Verbs for talking: announce argue discuss gossip interview shout whisper

Activate

- Focus on the words in the box and review their meaning by asking a few questions, e.g.
  What do you call the number of people who live in a country? [population]
  Why do people go to a library? [to borrow a book]
  How do you describe something that is very big? [enormous]
- Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

Answers

1 travel, post 2 enormous, population
3 isolated, on his own, lonely, chats
4 subject, prepare, library, borrow 5 discuss
6 annual, takes place

Extend

Exercise 1 Places in a school
- Books closed. Brainstorm places in a school with the class and write their ideas on the board. Make sure to include the words in the exercise by giving a definition yourself, if necessary.
- Students complete the sentences with the words in the box. Check the answers.

Answers

1 gym 2 stairs 3 hall 4 playing fields 5 corridor
6 staff room 7 canteen 8 library

Exercise 2
- Put students in pairs to tick the places their school has. Then they make a list of other places in the school. Compare their ideas with the whole class.

Answers

Students' own answers.

Exercise 3 Expressions with take
- Look at the pictures and ask questions about what is happening in each one. Look at the example and check the meaning of take down.
- Students work individually to match the sentences to the pictures. Check the answers.

Answers

1 e 2 d 3 a 4 c 5 f 6 b

Teaching Tip: Illustrating phrasal verbs

Get students to draw their own pictures illustrating phrasal verbs. You could get them to hold up the pictures for the others to guess the phrasal verb and then you put them up on the wall. Revise the phrasal verbs each class by pointing to them and eliciting the phrasal verb.

Exercise 4 Verbs for talking

- Focus on the verbs in the box. You could elicit their meaning by demonstrating them in the following way:
  shout: Sit down!
  whisper: Be quiet!
  argue stand facing the left and say: Yes, you did! Stand facing the right and say: No, I didn’t!
  discuss stand facing the left and say: What do you think? Stand facing the right and say: Well, I think …
  gossip look furtively around the class and say: Have you heard about (your name)? Well, …
  announce in a loud voice say: I’d like to tell you about your next exam.
  interview stand facing the left and ask: Where do you live? Stand facing the right and answer the question.
- Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

Answers

1 discuss 2 argue 3 whisper 4 shout 5 interview 6 gossip 7 announce

Quick Test: Question time

Divide the class into two teams. Ask the questions to each team in turn. If they answer correctly, their team gets two points. If not, pass the question to the other team for one point. If they can’t answer, give the answer yourself. The winner is the team with the most points.

How do you send a letter to another country? [by post]
Where do students play football? [playing field]
What do you do when you talk about other people? [gossip]
What do you do if you don’t like a picture? [take it down]
How do you feel when you are on your own? [lonely]
What does a mechanic do with a car engine? [takes it apart]
How big is the Atlantic Ocean? [enormous]
Where do teachers spend their break? [staff room]
Where can you borrow books from? [a library]
What does a dentist do with a bad tooth? [takes it out]
What do you do if you don’t agree? [argue]
Where do students wait for class? [in the corridor]
How do you talk in a library? [whisper]
What do you do with your coat at home? [take it off]
What’s the number of people in a country? [population]
Where do students eat lunch? [canteen]
How do you talk in a noisy place? [shout]
Where does the whole school meet? [hall]
What do you do if you talk about things seriously? [discuss]

Vocabulary Notebooks

Remind students to make notes on new vocabulary in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks.

More practice
Workbook page 19
Grammar

there is / there are

Warm-up

• Give students one minute to write down all the things they can see in the classroom. Ask the student with the longest list to read it out while the others tick off the items on their own lists.

Explore

Exercise 1

• Focus on the photo and establish that it shows an outdoor classroom.
• Students read the text and answer the question.

ANSWER

The classroom is in India.

Exercise 2

• Focus on the table and highlight the first sentence: There's a teacher. Elicit the meaning of there is. Focus on the heading there are and elicit the meaning.
• Students complete the table with the highlighted words from the text. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 There are 2 There isn’t 3 There aren’t 4 Is there 5 Are there

Optional Activity: Comparing

Explain that students are going to compare their classroom with the classroom in the photo. Write on the board: In our classroom… and in the photo… Give students two minutes to write sentences comparing the two classrooms. Check the answers by asking pairs of students to read out a sentence while the others listen and tick their sentences.

• Read through the Look out! box with the class. Practise forming questions by saying nouns to individual students and eliciting the questions, e.g. door [Is there a door?] windows [Are there any windows?]

Follow-up

Grammar Reference page 64

Exploit

Exercise 1

• Students look at the photo and complete the sentences individually. Then they compare answers.

ANSWERS

1 There are 2 There isn’t 3 There aren’t 4 Is there 5 Are there

Exercise 2

• Students work in pairs to write sentences about their classroom using the words in the box and their own ideas. Compare their answers with the class.

ANSWERS

Students’ own answers.

Teaching Tip: a / any

Students often need reminding to use a with singular nouns and any with plural nouns in negative and question forms with there is / there are. If a student makes a mistake with this, use the prompt singular or plural and ask them to repeat the sentence correctly.

Exercise 3

• Focus on the picture and ask students what they can see.
• Write any new vocabulary on the board.
• Students complete the questions. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 Is there a 6 Is there a 11 Is there a 2 Are there any 7 Are there any 12 Is there a 3 Is there a 8 Is there a 13 Are there any 4 Is there a 9 Are there any 14 Is there a 5 Are there any 10 Are there any

Exercise 4

• Check the meaning of the prepositions by asking questions about objects in the classroom.
• Elicit the short answers: Yes, there is; Yes, there are; No, there isn’t; No, there aren’t and write them on the board.
• Focus on the example and ask two students to read it out. Do question 2 with the same two students.
• Students in pairs continue asking and answering questions. Monitor and make a note of any common mistakes.

Quick Test: Dictation

Instructions: See Quick Test on page 9.
In my room there’s a bed under the window. There’s a desk next to the bed and there’s a chair in front of the desk. There are some shelves on the wall and there are some books on the shelves. There’s a computer, but there isn’t a TV. There are some posters, but there aren’t any plants.

More practice

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Grammar Builder page 65, exercises 1–3

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 3 (PAGE 65)

Exercise 1

1 There are 2 There’s 3 There are 4 There’s 5 There are 6 There are 7 There’s 8 There’s

Exercise 2

1 There isn’t a computer in the room. 2 There aren’t 650 students in the school. 3 There aren’t two possible answers. 4 There isn’t a teacher in the classroom. 5 There isn’t a table next to the door. 6 There aren’t three plants near the window. 7 There aren’t five shelves near the board. 8 There isn’t a bin under the desk.

Exercise 3

3 Is there a noticeboard? No, there isn’t. 4 Are there any students? Yes, there are. 5 Is there a clock? Yes, there is. 6 Is there a table? No, there isn’t. 7 Are there any CDs? No, there aren’t. 8 Are there any blinds? Yes, there are.
Skills  PAGE 24

Talking about school

Target Vocabulary

School subjects: Arabic art and design biology chemistry design and technology (D.T.) English French geography German history information and communications technology (I.C.T.) maths physical education (P.E.) physics science Spanish

Vocabulary Notebooks
Remind students to use the Vocabulary Notebook in their Workbooks during the lesson to make a note of new vocabulary.

Vocabulary

Exercise 1
• Students match the books to the subjects.

Exercise 2  1.20
• Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.
• Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.

ANSWERS
1 French  2 English  3 maths
4 art and design  5 Spanish
6 information and communications technology (I.C.T.)
7 chemistry  8 geography  9 history  10 biology

Exercise 3
• Elicit a sentence from a student, e.g. I study Arabic.
• Students in pairs continue discussing the subjects.

ANSWERS
Students' own answers.

More practice
Workbook page 21

Listen  1.21
• Read through the Listening tip with the class.
• Explain the listening task.
• Play the CD for students to write the subjects.
• Play the CD again for students to check their answers.

ANSWERS
1 maths  2 French  3 English  4 P.E.  5 geography
6 information and communications technology (I.C.T.)
7 chemistry

TAPESCRIPT
Lesson 1
Teacher OK, settle down. Now, open your books at page 43. Let's check your homework. Question 1, Sonia.
Sonia Yes?
Teacher What's the answer?
Sonia The answer to …
Teacher Question 1?
Sonia Is it 4,763,976?
Teacher No, the correct answer is ten.
Sonia Oh.

Lesson 2
Teacher Bonjour! Asseyez-vous!
Class Huh?
Teacher Asseyez-vous!
Belinda That means 'sit down'.
Teacher Merci, Belinda.

Lesson 3
Teacher OK Sonia, can you spell communication?
Sonia COMUNICATION.
Teacher No, try again.
Sonia COMMUNICATION
Teacher Good, that's much better.

Lesson 4
Teacher OK, so do you all know the rules of basketball?
Class Yes, Yes.
Teacher Great! So, now we need two teams.
James Can I be team captain?

Lesson 5
Teacher OK, today's lesson is about Africa. What do you know about Africa, Jack?
Jack Is it in Australia?
Teacher Jack! Africa is a continent.
Jack Oh.
Teacher Can you name any countries in Africa?
Jack Egypt?
Teacher Good!

Lesson 6
Teacher Good, now … can everybody see a computer?
Class Yes, Yes.
Teacher Today's lesson is about the internet – how it works, why it's important …
Jack Yes! I win!
Teacher What's that, Jack?
Jack Oh, sorry. Nothing.
Teacher Is that a computer game?
Jack No, it's a … er … it's a website.
Teacher Hmm. Well, just pay attention.

Lesson 7
Teacher Good. Now, add the red liquid to the mixture. …
Just a very small amount – one or two millilitres. And be careful because …

Speak

Exercise 1
• Ask one pair to read out the example dialogue.
• Students ask and answer questions in pairs.

Exercise 2
• Students in pairs compile their perfect timetable for a day.

Exercise 3
• Students ask and answer questions about their timetables.

Optional Activity: Dialogue

Instructions: See Optional Activity on page 10.

A What have we got first today? A What's after physics?
B Physics. B Geography.
A Oh no! I hate physics. A Good. Geography is OK.
B Do you? I love it. B I can't stand it.
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*have to*

**Warm-up**

- Students make a list of good and bad points about their school. Compare answers with the class.

**Explore**

**Background Notes**

Summerhill School was founded by A. S. Neill in 1921. It has 69 students, aged from five to seventeen, many of whom come from abroad (especially Japan, Korea and Taiwan). The school's underlying philosophy is that children learn best when they are free from pressure. The British Government tried to close the school in 1999 since it did badly in a government inspection, but the school appealed against the decision and won.

**Exercise 1**

- Students read the text individually and answer the question.

**ANSWER**

They have to follow the rules.

**Exercise 2**

- Read through the Learn this! box with students and elicit the correct answers.
- Point out that the negative of *have to* is *don't have to* and that we use the auxiliary verb *do* to form questions.

**ANSWERS**

1: have to  2: don't have to  3: Does  4: does

**Follow-up**

Grammar Reference page 64

**Exploit**

**Teaching Tip: have to and must**

Students may be tempted to use *must* here instead of *have to*. Explain that both verbs have similar meanings but *have to* is more common in everyday spoken English.

**Exercise 1**

- Students work individually. Then they compare answers.

**Exercise 2**  1.22

- Play the CD once for students to listen and check.
- Play the first sentence again to elicit the weak pronunciation of *to in have to* and *has to*.
- Play the CD again for students to listen and repeat.

**ANSWERS**

1: has to, don't have to  2: don't have to  3: have to  4: have to  5: have to  6: doesn't have to

**Exercise 3**

- Focus on the chart. Explain that *compulsory* means you have to do something.
- Students discuss in pairs and circle *yes* or *no*.
- Students write sentences with *have to or don't have to*.

**Quick Test: Sentence transformation**

Read out the affirmative sentences and ask students to write them in the negative form, or as questions.

I have to make my bed. (–)

The students have to do homework. (?)

My father has to get up early. (?)

We have to cook the dinner. (–)

My sister has to wear a uniform. (?)

You have to go to bed early. (?)

Ben has to work hard. (–)

They have to study tonight. (–)

Laila has to study tonight. (–)

*We have to finish the exercise. (?)*

**Exercise 4**

- Focus on the picture and explain that it shows a student's view of their ideal school.
- Students complete the sentences individually. Then they compare answers before checking with the class.

**ANSWERS**

1: don't have to  2: don't have to  3: have to  4: don't have to  5: don't have to  6: don't have to

**Exercise 5**

- Students write about their ideal school in pairs. Monitor and help.
- You could display students' ideas on the wall.

**More practice**

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Grammar Builder page 65, exercises 4–7

**ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 3 (PAGE 65)**

**Exercise 4**

1: do the washing  2: make breakfast  3: go to the supermarket  4: cook dinner  5: tidy his / her bedroom  6: clean the house

**Exercise 5**

2: Suzie doesn't have to tidy her bedroom.

3: Mark has to clean the house.

4: Suzie doesn't have to clean the house.

5: Mark and Suzie don't have to cook dinner.

6: Mark and Suzie have to do the washing.

7: Mark and Suzie have to make breakfast.

8: Suzie has to go to the supermarket.

9: Mark doesn't have to go to the supermarket.

**Exercise 6**

2: Does Suzie have to tidy her bedroom? No, she doesn't.

3: Does Mark have to clean the house? Yes, he does.

4: Does Suzie have to clean the house? No, she doesn't.

5: Do Mark and Suzie have to cook dinner? No, they don't.

6: Do Mark and Suzie have to do the washing? Yes, they do.

7: Do Mark and Suzie have to make breakfast? Yes, they do.

8: Does Suzie have to go to the supermarket? Yes, she does.

9: Does Mark have to go to the supermarket? No, he doesn't.

**Exercise 7**

Students' own answers.
A note

Target Language

Note: Welcome to … I hope that you … Lessons start at … you have to / don’t have to Lunch is at … there’s / there are

Reffing to time: at on in before after from … to …

Warm-up

• Write on the board: from … to … and ask students: What time is your first lesson? Elicit the answer and continue asking about the lessons, the morning break and lunch.

Read

Exercise 1

• Focus on the note and explain that the paragraphs are not in the correct order.
• Students number the paragraphs in the correct order.

ANSWERS
3, 2, 4, 1

Exercise 2

• Students read the note again in the correct order and answer the questions individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 8.45 2 10.20 3 next to the gym 4 on Tuesdays at 1.45
5 at 3.30 6 early, at 2.30

• Focus on the note and elicit the following information:
– There are four paragraphs.
– The first paragraph includes two welcoming sentences.
– The second paragraph includes information about the morning classes.
– The third paragraph includes information about the lunch break.
– The fourth paragraph includes information about the afternoon classes.

Teaching Tip: Referring to time
In English we use particular prepositions to refer to different types of time. We use at to refer to times on a clock, e.g. at 8.30. We use in to refer to months or parts of a day, e.g. in May, in the morning. We use on to refer to days and dates, e.g. on Friday, on September 22nd. We use from to mark the beginning of a period of time, and to to mark the end, e.g. from January to March.

Prepare

Exercise 1

• Read through the Writing tip with students and elicit examples for each of the uses of capital letters.

SAMPLE ANSWERS
I’m a student, I like my school.
Tuesday, June
Mark, Laila
English, Egyptian
London, Australia

Exercise 2

• Students rewrite the sentences individually. Then they compare before checking the answers with the class.

ANSWERS
1 The new school year starts on Monday 6th September.
2 Your first lesson on Thursday is history.
3 Our Spanish teacher is from Lima, in Peru.
4 My brother James and I go to Eton College.
5 Our geography teacher’s name is George White.

Write

Exercise 1

• Students answer the questions in pairs. Then they organize the information into four paragraphs.

Exercise 2

• Students work individually. Remind them to use the note in Read as a model and also their notes from exercise 1.
• If the writing is done in class, circulate and monitor. If you notice common errors, write them on the board and ask the class to correct them.
• Ask students to check each other’s writing. Has all the information been included? Are there any errors? After peer correction, students write a second draft and hand it in.

SAMPLE ANSWER
Welcome to Oxford Secondary School. I hope you enjoy your first week.
Lessons start at 8.30 in the morning, but you have to be in school at 8.20. There are five lessons in the morning, three before the morning break and two after the break. The morning break is from 10.50 to 11.15.
Lunch is at 12.55. You have to bring a sandwich for lunch or buy lunch in the canteen. There isn’t a shop in our school.
Lessons start again at 2 o’clock and finish at 3.40. On Mondays and Wednesdays you have to go to the gym before 2 o’clock.
On Fridays there aren’t any lessons in the afternoon.

Marking Scheme

• Four clear paragraphs. [1 mark]
• Content of first paragraph to include welcome and good wishes for the first week. [1 mark]
• Content of second paragraph to include information about the morning. [1 mark]
• Content of third paragraph to include information about lunch. [1 mark]
• Content of fourth paragraph to include information about the afternoon. [1 mark]
• Capital letter for the personal pronoun I. [1 mark]
• Correct use of capital letters for days of the week. [1 mark]
• Correct use of capital letters for the name of the school. [1 mark]
• Correct use of at, in and on. [1 mark]
• Correct grammar and spelling. [1 mark]

More practice
Workbook page 23
**Language Skills**

**Exercise 1** 1.23

- Students work individually to complete the dialogue, then compare answers.
- Play the CD for students to check their answers.
- Students practise the dialogue in pairs.

**ANSWERS**

1. are 2. have 3. is 4. a 5. There 6. near 7. don’t 8. any 9. aren’t 10. to

**Exercise 2**

- Students work individually. They correct the false sentences. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1. F (There are about eight hundred students.)
2. T
3. F (They have to wear black skirts / white blouses.)
4. T
5. F (There isn’t a swimming pool.)
6. F (They don’t have to study French.)
7. T
8. F (There aren’t any computers in her classroom.)

**Exercise 3**

- Students complete the questions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1. What time do you have to get up?
2. Is there a swimming pool at your school?
3. Do you have to wear a uniform to school?

**Exercise 4**

- Students make the sentences negative. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1. There aren’t any Chinese boys in my class.
2. We don’t have to go to school seven days a week.
3. There isn’t a TV in my bedroom.
4. My brother doesn’t have to do homework every evening.
5. There aren’t any students in the hall.

**Dictionary Corner**

**Teaching Tip: Information about nouns**

The OSD contains a lot of information about nouns, such as irregular plural forms and whether a noun is countable [C] or uncountable [U]. Some nouns are always used in the plural and this is indicated by the abbreviation [pl].

**Activity:** Students look up the nouns child, team, education and people to find out information about them, e.g. The plural of child is children; team is countable; education is uncountable; people is always used in the plural.

**Exercise 1 Exploring vocabulary: education**

- Students look up the word boarding school in their dictionary.
- Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  - boarding school has no blue key symbol which indicates that it is not an Oxford 3000 keyword.
  - boarding school is a noun.
  - The symbol [C] indicates that it is a countable noun.
  - The dictionary definition matches the definition in question 1 of the exercise.
- Students continue working individually.

**ANSWERS**

1. boarding school 2. head 3. field 4. term 5. public school

**Exercise 2 Making nouns from verbs**

- Students look up the verb invite. They will see the noun form invitation directly before the verb entry.
- Read the first definition of the verb and noun and look at the example sentences.
- Students continue by looking up the verbs and finding the noun form. The noun may appear before or after the verb depending on the spelling.

**ANSWERS**

1. invitation 2. preparation 3. discussion 4. payment 5. revision 6. argument 7. collection

**Exercise 3 Synonyms: big or small?**

- Students look up enormous. Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  - The blue key symbol indicates that enormous is an Oxford 3000 keyword. (see p vi–viii of the OSD)
  - The AW symbol indicates that it also appears on the Academic Word List. (see p vi–viii of the OSD)
  - enormous is an adjective.
  - Adverbs are often listed within the same entry as adjectives, e.g. enormously is the adverb of enormous.
  - The dictionary definition of enormous indicates that it refers to something big.
- Students continue working individually.

**ANSWERS**

big: enormous, huge, massive, colossal
small: little, minute, tiny
This unit includes

Vocabulary: clothes • types of celebration • describing events • parts of speech • expressions with get • weddings • prefixes: opposites • idioms

Grammar: present continuous • can / can’t • adverbs

Skills: reading and listening about organizing a celebration • describing clothes • talking about the clothes you are wearing

Writing: an invitation

Workbook pages 26–33

Reading  PAGES 28–29

Warm-up

• Look at the unit title and ask students: What do you celebrate? [weddings, passing exams, festivals, religious holidays]
• Read the title of the reading page, Time to celebrate! Ask students what they prepare for a celebration, e.g. food, presents, invitations, decorations.

Before Reading

• Read through the Speaking tip with students. Model and drill the phrases.
• Focus on the photo. Students answer the questions in pairs and then discuss the questions as a class. Encourage students to use the phrases from the Speaking tip.

Background Notes

The text is about Meg Burton, a holiday planner. Holiday planners plan all kinds of events. They can be contracted by individuals or by companies.

Read

Exercise 1

• Read through the Reading tip with the class. Check that students understand by asking: What can you use to help you find information in an interview? [the interviewer’s questions]
• Students read the text quickly and find the answers to the questions. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1. She’s a holiday planner. She organizes holidays.
2. Yes, she does. She loves it.

Exercise 2  Ø 1.24

• Play the CD while students read the text a second time and do the exercise. With a weaker class, ask students to underline the relevant lines in the text. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 b (These days people don’t have much time, so I do it for them.)
2 c (Oh, all sorts of holidays.)
3 c (I’m planning a holiday for a very well known person.)
4 b (Sorry! I can’t tell you!)
5 c (… there are always problems. But it’s never boring!)

Optional Activity: Reading skills

Aim: To focus on the order of the information presented in an interview.

Preparation: Write the following questions on the board: And how do you help? [3]
What kinds of holidays do you organize? [2]
What do you do in your job, Meg? [1]
Do you enjoy your job? [5]
What are you doing at the moment? [4]

Books closed. Students work in pairs to number the questions in the order they appear in the interview. They check the order in the reading on page 28. Number the questions on the board in the right order.

Books closed. In pairs students role play the interview. Student A is Jenny and Student B is Meg. Then swap.

Understanding Ideas

• Students read the questions and think of possible answers.
• Students discuss their answers in pairs.
• Bring the class together to compare answers.

Teaching Tip: Beat the clock

Introducing a time limit often introduces an element of competition, which encourages students to participate more in the class. Put students in pairs. Tell them they have one minute to write down as many answers as possible to each of the questions. Shout out Question 1, Go! And every 20 seconds remind them how much time they have left. When the first minute is up, shout out Question 2, Go! Continue until the time has finished. Check the answers.

SAMPLE ANSWERS

1. It rains, the food isn’t cooked properly, there’s a power cut, the equipment doesn’t work, the hotel is too small or too big, it’s too hot or too cold, etc.
2. It’s expensive because you have to rent a hotel, buy food and drinks, pay some people to help you, pay for entertainment, etc.
3. Meg is organizing a Caribbean beach holiday for a well known person. She has to send the invitations, rent the tent, buy the food and drinks, contract the cooks and cleaning staff, and she probably has to fly to the Caribbean herself.
Vocabulary

Teaching Tip: Opposites
When students are learning new words, encourage them to learn the opposite of the words too, e.g. unusual – normal, remember – forget, outdoors – indoors. They should make a note of both words in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks (see pages 58–69).

Exercise 1
- Students match the highlighted words in the text to the definitions. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 abroad 2 guests 3 outdoors 4 castle
5 mountain 6 celebrate 7 memorable
8 remember 9 forest 10 extravagant
11 organize 12 fast 13 tent 14 island 15 book

- Give students more information about the words from the text and ask them to make notes in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks.

abroad is an adverb of place which means in a different country. It is used without a preposition, e.g. He lives abroad. We're going abroad.

book is a regular verb which means to reserve. The third person form is books and the past simple form is booked. We say a place is fully booked when there are no tickets left.

castle is a countable noun for a large building that was built in the past to defend people from attack. A well-known idiom is An Englishman's home is his castle. This means that the most important place for English people is their own house.

celebrate is a regular verb which means to show you are happy about something. The third person form is celebrates and the past simple form is celebrated. The noun is celebration and the adjective is celebratory.

extravagant is an adjective which means costing a lot of money. The noun form is extravagance and the adverb is extravagantly.

fast is an adjective and an adverb. It describes things which move at speed. The opposite is slow or slowly.

forest is a noun which describes a large area of trees. It is larger than a wood. A jungle like the Amazon is called a rainforest.

guests are people who have been invited to a special event, e.g. a wedding or a party. It can also be used for people staying in a hotel.

island is a countable noun which describes the place where you sleep when you're camping.

remember is a regular verb. The third person is remembers and the past simple form is remembered. The opposite is forget.

tent is a countable noun for the place where you sleep when you're camping.

Exercise 2
- Students find the words in the text and read the sentences which contain them.
- Read out these prompts and check the meaning of the words:
  - The day you get married [wedding]
  - The noun form of fly [flight]
  - Plants and animals [nature]
  - Swimming under the sea [diving]
  - Below the surface of the sea [underwater]
  - Famous [well known]
  - A way of travelling through the sky in a basket [hot-air balloon]
  - An important day [special occasion]

Quick Test: Blah
Write blah on the board and explain that it is a nonsense word with no meaning. Tell students you are going to use the word blah instead of a real word in a sentence, and they have to guess the real word. Give an example to check understanding then read out the following sentences:
I can't blah your name. [blah = remember]
Crete is a blah. [an island]
My dad works very blah. [hard]
It's raining, so we can't play blah. [outdoors]
There's a beautiful view from the top of the blah. [mountain]
I often go blah on holiday. [abroad]
I always blah a table before I go to a restaurant. [book]
We sleep in a blah when we go camping. [tent]
There are 200 blahs at this dinner. [guests]
My mum drives very blah. [fast]
It's easy to get lost in a blah. [forest]

Optional Activity: Organizing an event
Aim: To practise talking about organizing celebrations.
Preparation: Ask students to underline the unusual celebrations in the reading text and make a list on the board.

Students choose one of the celebrations in pairs and make a list of the things they have to do to organize the event. They read out their list for the others to guess which celebration they have chosen.

More practice
Workbook page 26
Vocabulary

Target Vocabulary

Holiday planner: abroad book castle celebrate extravagant fast forest guests island memorable mountain organize outdoors remember tent

Adjectives describing events: amazing boring crowded fascinating incredible quiet terrible unusual

Parts of speech: book extravagant fast guest hard island memorable remember

Expressions with get: get dressed get married get ready get tired get together get well

Activate

Exercise 1

• Focus on the words in the box and review their meaning by asking a few questions, e.g.
  What do you call the people at a party? [guests]
  What do you do before going to a popular restaurant? [you book a table]
  How do you describe something worth remembering? [memorable]

• Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 forest 2 island 3 castle 4 book 5 remember 6 celebrate 7 extravagant, memorable 8 fast 9 abroad 10 organize 11 outdoors 12 tent 13 guests 14 mountain

Extend

Exercise 1 Adjectives describing events

• Books closed. Brainstorm adjectives that can be used to describe events and write them on the board.
  • Read the example and do the next sentence with the whole class. Then students continue individually.

ANSWERS

1 unusual 2 crowded 3 incredible 4 terrible 5 quiet 6 amazing 7 boring 8 fascinating

Teaching Tip: Categorizing adjectives

Draw a table on the board for positive and negative adjectives. Get students in pairs to look up the adjectives and decide if they have a positive or a negative connotation. They write the adjective in the appropriate column. Compare with the class and ask students to justify their answers.

Exercise 2 Parts of speech

• Students find the words in the text and write them in the correct box. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

verbs: remember, book
adjectives: extravagant, memorable
nouns: guest, island
adverbs: fast, hard

Exercise 3

• Students look up the word book in their dictionaries. Ask them to write down two examples of book: one as a noun and one as a verb. Check the answers.

• Explain that there are more words like book, which can be used as nouns and verbs with different meanings.

• Students read the sentences and decide whether the words are nouns or verbs. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 verb 2 noun 3 noun 4 verb 5 noun 6 verb 7 verb 8 noun

Exercise 4 Expressions with get

• Focus on the pictures and tell students to cover the sentences. Ask questions about what is happening in each picture.

• Students check the meaning of the expressions in their dictionaries and match the sentences to the pictures. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 e 2 c 3 a 4 b 5 f 6 d

Quick Test: Tennis

Divide the class into two teams. Students in pairs choose five words from page 30 and write definitions for the words. Explain that students are going to play a game of tennis with their definitions. One student from team A chooses a student from team B and reads out a definition. If the student in team B guesses the word correctly, then they choose a student from team A and read out a different definition. If students can’t guess the word then the other team wins a point. Continue until teams have run out of definitions. The winners are the team with the most points.

Vocabulary Notebooks

Remind students to make notes on new vocabulary in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks.

More practice

Workbook page 27
Grammar  PAGE 31

Present continuous

Warm-up
• Ask students: What are you doing? Elicit as many answers as possible to the question. [We’re studying English, we’re sitting on chairs, we’re listening to the teacher, etc.]

Explore

Exercise 1  
• Students listen to the conversation between Jane and Sue. Ask: Where’s Jane and where’s Sue? [Sue’s at Sarah’s house; Jane’s at home.]
• Write: Jane is sitting in the living room on the board. Explain that is sitting is the present continuous form of the verb sit.
• Play the CD again for students to listen and find more examples of the present continuous.

ANSWERS
I’m not having a good time. I’m sitting in the living room. She’s chatting. We’re watching TV.

What are you doing?

Teaching Tip: Present continuous questions
Remind students that in present continuous questions the subject goes between the two parts of the verb like a sandwich. If students make a mistake, use the prompt sandwich and ask them to repeat the question correctly.

Exercise 2
• Elicit the words to complete the sentences from the class.

ANSWERS
1’s  2 watching  3 I’m not having  4 are you

Exercise 3
• Read through the Look out! box with the class.
• Students find one more example of each rule from the dialogue. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
+ -ing: doing, watching
e + -ing: having
double consonant + -ing: chatting, sitting

Follow-up
Grammar Reference page 66

Exploit

Exercise 1
• Students write negative or affirmative sentences.

ANSWERS
1 I’m wearing / I’m not wearing a sweatshirt.
2 I’m sitting / I’m not sitting next to my friend.
3 The teacher is / isn’t smiling.
4 We are / aren’t studying maths.
5 The sun is / isn’t shining.
6 I’m wearing / I’m not wearing trainers.
7 My parents are / aren’t working.
8 My friends and I are / aren’t eating.

Exercise 2
• Focus on the verbs in the box. Check their meaning by miming the action and eliciting the verb.
• Ask students: Who can you see? Demonstrate the activity by pointing at the woman in the picture and asking: What’s the woman doing? Elicit the answer in the example.
• Put students in pairs and elicit another question and answer.
• Students ask and answer questions about the picture.

ANSWERS
Students’ own answers.

Exercise 3
• Elicit a description of one of the people in the picture onto the board.
• Students write about a different person in the picture.

Monitor and help.

ANSWERS
Students’ own answers.

Quick Test: Dictation
Instructions: See Quick Test on page 9.
It’s a celebration. Some girls are chatting in the middle of the picture. They look happy because they’re laughing. Another girl is watching them. She isn’t chatting. She’s standing on her own. Some boys are sitting at a table. They’re playing a game. They look very serious because they aren’t smiling.

More practice
Workbook page 28
Grammar Builder page 67, exercises 1–6

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 4 (PAGE 67)

Exercise 1
1 is  2 am  3 are  4 is  5 is  6 are

Exercise 2
1 studying  2 doing  3 writing  4 swimming  5 reading  6 having

Exercise 3
1 are swimming  2 is studying  3 are doing  4 am reading  5 are having  6 is writing

Exercise 4
1 I’m not working.
2 Tom and I aren’t reading.
3 Kate isn’t sitting next to Paul.
4 David and Lucy aren’t watching TV.
5 Martin isn’t wearing brown shoes.
6 I’m not walking to town.
7 The sun isn’t shining.
8 We aren’t chatting to Robert.

Exercise 5
2 Are Fred and Sue playing computer games?
3 Is Sarah doing gymnastics?
4 Are you phoning your friend?
5 Is he driving to Oxford?

Exercise 6
2 Are Wendy and Pam cycling? Yes, they are.
3 Are you using that computer? No, I’m not.
4 Is Pam getting up? Yes, she is.
5 Are Cathy and Steve cooking? No, they aren’t.
6 Is Harry doing the washing up? Yes, he is.
### Skills

#### Describing clothes

**Target Vocabulary**

Clothes: blouse boots cap cardigan dress headscarf jacket jeans jumper shirt shoes shorts skirt socks sweatshirt T-shirt tie top tracksuit bottoms trainers trousers

**Vocabulary**

**Exercise 1**

- Students match the clothes vocabulary to the picture.

**Exercise 2**

- Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.
- Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.

**ANSWERS**
cap, jacket, jeans, jumper, shoes, sweatshirt, T-shirt, trainers, trousers

Not illustrated: shirt, shorts, socks, tie, top, tracksuit bottoms, headscarf, blouse, boots, cardigan, dress, skirt

**Exercise 3**

- Read the example and make the next sentence with the whole class. Students continue individually.

**Exercise 4**

- Focus on the prompts and elicit a few questions.
- Students write down at least five questions individually.

**Exercise 5**

- Put students in pairs. Student A closes their book. Student B asks their questions and Student A answers. Then swap.

**ANSWERS**
Students’ own answers.

**Exercise 6**

- Look at the example. Elicit a similar description for Tom.
- Students write descriptions of three more people.

**ANSWERS**
Students’ own answers.

**More practice**

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**Listen**

**Exercise 1**

- Students listen to the four teenagers in the photos talking about their clothes and answer the question.

**ANSWER**
David and Fiona

**TAPESCRIPT**

1 David
Interviewer What do you usually wear to school?
David We have to wear a uniform, so it's always the same! It's a green jacket, white shirt, and a red and green tie, and black trousers.

Interviewer And what do you wear when you go out with friends?
David I usually wear trousers or jeans, and a sweatshirt or a jumper.

2 Maria
Interviewer What do you usually wear to school?
Maria It depends. Sometimes I wear jeans, trainers and a top. Sometimes I wear a skirt and a blouse.

Interviewer And what do you wear when you go out with friends?
Maria The same things really – jeans or a skirt. If it's a special occasion, I sometimes wear a dress.

3 Peter
Interviewer What do you usually wear to school?
Peter I wear tracksuit bottoms and trainers.

Interviewer And what do you wear with them? A shirt?
Peter Yes, sometimes, or just a T-shirt.

Interviewer And what do you wear when you go out with friends?
Peter I usually wear a T-shirt and a jacket, and jeans.

4 Fiona
Interviewer What do you usually wear to school?
Fiona I wear the school uniform – grey skirt, white blouse and a blue jacket.

Interviewer And what do you wear when you go out with friends?
Fiona I usually wear jeans and a top, and sometimes a jacket if it's cold.

**Exercise 2**

- Play the CD again for students to complete the sentences.

**ANSWERS**
1 trousers, jumper 2 skirt, dress 3 T-shirt, jeans 4 top, jacket

**Speak**

**Exercise 1**

- Students work in pairs to ask and answer the questions.

**Exercise 2**

- Students discuss what clothes they take on the different holidays. Compare with the class.

**Optional Activity: Dialogue**

**Instructions:** See Optional Activity on page 10.

A What are your favourite clothes?
B Jeans and a T-shirt.
A When do you usually wear them?
B I usually wear them at the weekend.
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**can and adverbs**

**Warm-up**
- Cut out four pictures of verbs, e.g. ride a bike, play tennis, ski, dance. Show them to students and elicit the verbs.
- Take one picture, point at it and say: I can / can’t (ski). Ask a few students: Can you (ski)? to elicit the answer: Yes or No. Continue with the other verbs.
- Write can = ability on the board.

**Explore**

**Exercise 1**
- Read through the text with students and ask them to find the sentences with can.

**ANSWERS**
He can do lots of things … he can’t do in real life … he can do martial arts … What else can he do? He can ice-skate really well … he can rollerblade.

**Exercise 2**
- Read the table and elicit the missing words.
- Point out that we always use can with the infinitive of another verb without to.

**ANSWERS**
1 can’t 2 Can

**Exercise 3**
- Read through the Learn this! box with students and elicit more adjectives that don’t change.
- Point out that we place adverbs of manner after the verb.

**SAMPLE ANSWERS**
high, low, hard

**Follow-up**
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**Exploit**

**Teaching Tip: Using the infinitive form**
Some students are tempted to use an infinitive with to after can. Use the prompt extra word if they do this and ask them to repeat the sentence correctly.

**Exercise 1**
- Read the example and do the next sentence with the whole class. Then students continue individually. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
1 can ride, can’t drive 2 can’t type 3 can play, can do 4 can’t speak 5 can count 6 can’t swim 7 can’t talk

**Exercise 2**
- Read the example and do the next sentence with the whole class. Students continue individually.

**ANSWERS**
1 slowly 2 carefully 3 early 4 late 5 well 6 easily

**Exercise 3**
- Focus on the table. Students read and tick the things they can do in the You column.

**Exercise 4**
- Look at the example and model and drill the question and answers.
- Elicit the questions for the rest of the phrases.
- Put students in pairs. Student B: books closed. Student A asks Student B the questions and ticks the things they can do. Then swap.
- Students compare their tables to check their answers.

**Exercise 5**
- Read the example and explain that both is for two people. Then students continue individually writing sentences using the answers in the table. Monitor and help.

**ANSWERS**
Students’ own answers.

**Quick Test: Sentence transformation**
Write the prompts on the board and ask students to write sentences with can and an adverb.

- My sister / jump / high [My sister can jump high.]
- Ben / not ride a bike / slow [Ben can’t ride a bike slowly.]
- You / swim / well? [Can you swim well?]
- We / not type / fast [We can’t type fast.]
- Those children / run / fast? [Can those children run fast?]
- They / speak French / fluent [They speak French fluently.]
- You / write / beautiful [You write beautifully.]
- Your friends / study / hard? [Do your friends study hard?]

**More practice**
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Grammar Builder page 67, exercises 7–10

**ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 4 (PAGE 67)**

**Exercise 7**
1 I can’t swim.
2 We can speak English.
3 Jenny and Mary can rollerblade.
4 Anne can’t sing.
5 Charles and Jeff can’t use a computer.
6 Philip and I can cook.
7 Edward can’t do gymnastics.
8 You can play table-tennis.

**Exercise 8**
Can Clare and Beth ride a bike? Yes, they can.
Can Rob play volleyball? No, he can’t.
Can Clare and Beth play volleyball? Yes, they can.
Can Rob speak Italian? Yes, he can.
Can Clare and Beth speak Italian? No, they can’t.

**Exercise 9**
1 b, early – late
2 d, fast – slowly
3 c, quietly – loudly
4 a, well – badly

**Exercise 10**
1 late 2 quietly 3 well 4 early 5 fast 6 slowly
An invitation

Target Language

Invitation: Dear … Hi … Please come to my … We’re organizing a … It’s at … Can you …? Hope you can come. See you soon. Cheers Love

Linking words: so because

Warm-up

- Ask students: How do you celebrate special occasions? Elicit answers onto the board. Ask: Do you send invitations? Ask them to put their hands up if they do. Explain that they’re going to learn how to write invitations.

Read

Exercise 1
- Focus on the photo. Students discuss the questions in pairs. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1. He’s at a barbecue.
2. He’s wearing a shirt.
3. He’s cooking kebabs.

Exercise 2
- Students look at the box and ask about any words they don’t understand.
- Students read the invitations and match them to the events.

ANSWERS
1. barbecue 2. picnic 3. volleyball match

Exercise 3
- Students look for ways of starting and finishing an email.

ANSWERS
starting an email: Hi … Dear …
finishing an email: See you soon, Love, Cheers

Write

Exercise 1
- Students read through the instructions and writing plan. Make sure they understand what they are going to write.
- Students write their invitations individually.
- If the writing is done in class, circulate and monitor. If you notice common errors, write them on the board and ask the class to correct them.

SAMPLE ANSWER
Hi Karen,
I’m organizing a special meal next Sunday. I’m having the meal at home. The party starts at two o’clock. My address is 11 South View Park. Can you bring some snacks? Hope you can come.
Cheers
Jenny

Teaching Tip: Linking words so and because

The linking word because explains the reason for something, e.g. I’m having a party because it’s my birthday. The linking word so explains the consequence of something, e.g. It’s my birthday so I’m having a party.

Exercise 4
- Students look for the mistakes in the invitation. They compare answers in pairs before you check the answers.

ANSWERS
We’re playing tennis on Saturday. The match starts at ten thirty. After the match we’re having lunch at my house. I hope you can come.

Marking Scheme
- Use of Dear or Hi to start the invitation. [1 mark]
- Main paragraph to include information about the event, the day, the time and the place. [4 marks]
- Inclusion of a suitable request. [1 mark]
- Use of a closing sentence before the end of the invitation. [1 mark]
- Use of See you soon, Love or Cheers to end the invitation. [1 mark]
- Correct grammar and spelling. [1 mark]

More practice
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Language Skills

Exercise 1  1.28
• Students work individually, then compare answers.
• Play the CD for students to check their answers.
• Students practise the dialogue in pairs.

ANSWERS
1 are 2 watching 3 good 4 well 5 Do 6 can’t
7 Let’s 8 at 9 watch 10 Can

Exercise 2
• Students read the dialogue again and correct the mistakes in the sentences. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 Terry and Martin are watching a football match.
2 Newton are playing well.
3 Martin is visiting his grandfather after the match.
4 Jim and Martin are meeting at eight o’clock this evening.
5 Terry can go to Jim’s house in the evening.

Exercise 3
• Students work individually and then compare with a partner. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 hard 2 I’m studying 3 well 4 noisy 5 is watching
6 watches 7 noisily 8 are

Dictionary Corner

Teaching Tip: Synonyms and opposites
The OSD can help students increase their vocabulary by giving them information about synonyms and opposites. Synonyms are shown by the symbol **SYN** and opposites are shown by the symbol **OPP**.

Activity: Students look up distinguish, used, easy and capable to find synonyms and opposites. The synonyms of distinguish and used are differentiate and second-hand; the opposites of easy and capable are hard and incapable.

Exercise 1 Exploring vocabulary: weddings
• Students look up the word bride in their dictionary.
• Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  – bride has no blue key symbol which indicates that it is not an Oxford 3000 keyword.
  – bride is a noun.
  – The [C] symbol indicates that bride is countable.
  – bride is used in the expression bride-to-be, which refers to a woman whose wedding is soon.
  – The dictionary definition matches the definition in question 1 of the exercise.
• Students look up the other words individually.

ANSWERS
1 bride 2 bridelroom 3 honeymoon

Exercise 2 Prefixes: opposites
• Students look up the word formal in their dictionary.
• Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  – The blue key symbol indicates that formal is an Oxford 3000 keyword. (see p vi–viii of the OSD)
  – formal is an adjective.
  – formal has two meanings.
  – The adverb from formal is formally.
  – The symbol **OPP** indicates the opposite of a word, so the opposite of formal is informal.
• Students look up the other words in their dictionary to find the opposites.

ANSWERS
1 informal 2 dishonest 3 unmemorable 4 unnecessary
5 impolite 6 impossible 7 irregular 8 unreliable

Exercise 3 Useful idioms
• Students look up idioms with make in their dictionary.
• Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  – The symbol **IDM** indicates the beginning of the idioms section for the verb make.
  – The OSD lists three idioms for make.
  – The second idiom, make it, matches the use of make in the first sentence in the exercise.
• Explain that students should look up the first meaningful word in an idiom: dot, cost, easy, butterfly.
• Some words with a large number of idioms may not list them at that entry; such as take it easy, which can be found at the entry for ‘easy’ rather than ‘take’.
• Students look up other idioms in their dictionary.

ANSWERS
1 manage to go to 2 exactly 3 costs a lot of money 4 relaxing 5 was nervous

Follow-up
Self Check, Workbook pages 32–33
Test Unit 4, Teacher’s Book pages 76–77

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This unit includes

Vocabulary: geographical features • continents • prepositions of place • holiday accommodation • compound adjectives • suffixes: -ful, -y, -able • animals • synonyms: extreme adjectives • compound words: nature • holiday words

Grammar: comparative adjectives • superlative adjectives

Skills: reading an article • listening to a radio quiz • asking and answering quiz questions • giving opinions • describing a landscape

Writing: a postcard

Workbook pages 34–41

Reading  PAGES 36–37

Warm-up

• Look at the unit title and ask students: What kind of places in the world are wild? [deserts, forests, the middle of the ocean, mountains]

• Read the title of the reading page, Dangerous! Elicit what is dangerous about wild places: there’s no food or water, there are wild animals, the weather is harsh.

Before Reading

• Students work in pairs to answer the questions. Monitor and help with vocabulary. Write any new words on the board. Compare answers with the class.

Background Notes

The text includes three of the deadliest animals in the world. Of the three, the mosquito is the deadliest, killing between two and three million people per year. Other animals in the top ten are snakes, scorpions, big cats, crocodiles, elephants, sharks and bears.

Read

Exercise 1

• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 B (You can find box jellyfish in the seas around Australia.)
2 C (You can find mosquitoes all over the world.)
3 A (You can find hippos in Africa.)

Exercise 2 1.29

• Play the CD while students read the text a second time and do the exercise. With a weaker class, ask students to underline the relevant lines in the text. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 c (In cartoons, hippos are usually slow, happy and funny.)
2 a (They can run faster than an Olympic sprinter.)
3 b (A sting from one of these tentacles is very painful.)
4 a (… you can find it all over the world.)
5 b (Mosquitoes can fly for four hours continuously.)

Exercise 3

• Students read the Reading tip. Check that they understand by asking: How can you write numbers? [as words or figures]

• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 The body of the box jellyfish is about 20 cm long.
2 Mosquitoes give malaria to over 300 million people every year.
3 Some hippos weigh about 3,000 kilograms.
4 About three million people die of malaria every year.
5 Hippos eat 68 kilograms of grass every evening.
6 Box jellyfish have got about 60 tentacles.

Optional Activity: Reading skills

Aim: To focus on the first and last sentences of paragraphs.

Preparation: Dictate the following sentences:
1 They can fly for four hours continuously and they often travel 10 kilometres a night.
2 The animal with the most dangerous bite isn’t a snake or a lion.
3 When people think of dangerous animals in the sea, they usually think of sharks.
4 They kill more people in Africa than any other animal.
5 In cartoons, they are usually slow, happy and funny.
6 When they are there, nobody goes swimming.

Explain that these sentences are the first and the last sentences from the three paragraphs in the text.

Students in pairs mark the sentences first (F) or last (L) and decide which animal they refer to.

Students check their answers in the text. [Answers: 1L, 2F – mosquitoes; 3F, 6L – box jellyfish; 4L, 5F – hippos]

Understanding Ideas

• Students read the questions and think of possible answers.

• Students discuss their answers in pairs.

• Bring the class together to compare answers.

Teaching Tip: Groupwork

Ask students: What’s your favourite cartoon? Write their ideas on the board. [Lion King, Ice Age, Finding Nemo, Ratatouille, Over the Hedge, Madagascar, Aristocats, etc.]

Divide students into small groups and allocate a film to each group. They answer question 1 for the characters in their film and then report back to the class.

Sample answers
1 Remy, the rat in Ratatouille, is different because he’s very clean and he loves good food.
2 Hippos are unusual because they are excellent swimmers despite being so heavy. Jellyfish are unusual because they are nearly transparent. Mosquitoes are unusual because they transmit diseases without dying themselves.
3 People think bears are very cuddly, but they’re extremely dangerous in the wild.

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**Vocabulary**

**Teaching Tip: Vocabulary cards**

A fun way to revise vocabulary is for students to make vocabulary flash cards for the class. Divide students into five groups and give each group ten cards. You can cut up A4 sheets of paper into eight pieces for this. Allocate a unit from the Student’s Book to each group and ask them to choose ten words from the unit. Students write the word and the part of speech on the front of the card, and a picture or a definition on the back. Students then swap cards with another group and one person tests the group. Keep the cards in a plastic file on the wall for use as a warmer or filler in future classes.

**Exercise 1**

- Students match the highlighted words in the text to the definitions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1. sadly  2. sprinter  3. painful  4. insect  5. mud  
6. cartoons  7. continuously  8. bite  9. aggressive
10. bad-tempered  11. dusk  12. tentacles  13. sting  
14. blood  15. kill

- Give students more information about the words from the text and ask them to make notes in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks (see Workbook pages 58–69).

**aggressive** is an adjective. It describes someone who is ready to fight or argue. The adverb is aggressively.

**bad-tempered** is an adjective. It describes a person who is often angry or impatient.

**bite** is countable noun. It can also be used as an irregular verb. The simple past form is bit.

**blood** is an uncountable noun for the red liquid inside the human body.

**cartoon** is a countable noun for a film made with moving pictures.

**continuously** is an adverb. It describes an action that doesn’t stop. The adjective is continuous.

**dusk** is an uncountable noun for the time in the evening when it is getting dark. The time in the morning when it is getting light is dawn.

**insect** is a countable noun for a living thing with six legs and two pairs of wings. Some common insects are flies, ants and beetles.

**kill** is a regular verb which means to make somebody die. The third person form is kills and the past simple form is killed.

**mud** is an uncountable noun for soft, wet earth. The adjective is muddy.

**painful** is an adjective. It describes something that hurts. It comes from the noun pain and the opposite is painless.

**sadly** is an adverb. It describes an action that makes you unhappy. The adjective is sad and the noun is sadness.

**sprinter** is a countable noun for a person who runs very fast. It comes from the verb sprint.

**sting** is a countable noun for the pain you get from insects or jellyfish. It can also be used as an irregular verb. The past simple form is stung.

**tentacle** is a countable noun for one of the long thin ‘legs’ that sea animals have. For example, an octopus has eight tentacles.

**Exercise 2**

- Students find the words in the text and read the sentences which contain them.
- Read out these prompts and check the meaning of the words:
  - Definitely [certainly]
  - A tropical illness [malaria]
  - An animal with a large head and short legs that lives in rivers in Africa [hippopotamus]
  - Metre, litre, ______ [kilogram]
  - 40 ______ of the population may catch a tropical illness [per cent]
  - Cows and horses eat this [grass]
  - Funny [comical]

**Exercise 3**

- Students in pairs match the photos and the words.
- Students find the words in the text and read the sentences which contain them.
- Students swap cards with another group and one person tests the group. Keep the cards in a plastic file on the wall for use as a warmer or filler in future classes.

**ANSWERS**

1. tiger  2. whale  3. snake  4. lion  5. mosquito  6. eagle  
7. jellyfish  8. hippo  9. elephant  10. bear  11. shark

**Quick Test: Guess the picture**

Tell students you are going to draw a picture on the board and you want them to guess the word. Choose a word from page 37 and draw it. The student who guesses first comes to the board. They choose another word from the page and draw it. You can continue playing as a whole class, or students can play in pairs with their books closed.

**Optional activity: Guess the animal**

**Aim:** To practise talking about animals.

**Preparation:** Write the following description on the board: It's big and grey and it's very heavy. It lives in Africa. It eats leaves. It has got a long trunk and sharp tusks. What is it? Students read the description and guess the animal. [an elephant]

In pairs students choose an animal from Vocabulary exercise 3, page 37 and write a description. They read out their description for the others to guess.

**More practice**

Workbook page 34
Target Vocabulary
The world's deadliest animals: aggressive  bad-tempered  bite  blood  cartoons  continuously  dusk  insects  kill  mud  painful  sadly  sprinter  sting  tentacles
Compound adjectives: bad-tempered  badly-written  first-class  good-looking  hard-working  left-handed  second-hand  well known
Suffixes: cloudy  enjoyable  friendly  helpful  lively  painful  rainy  washable
Animals: bat  bee  bear  eagle  goat  lobster  octopus  ox  parrot  prawn  rhinoceros  whale

Activate
• Focus on the words in the box and review their meaning by asking a few questions, e.g.
What do you call the thin 'legs' that some sea animals have? [tentacles]
What does someone do if they make an animal die? [kill it]
How do you describe a person who becomes angry very easily? [bad-tempered]
• Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 sting, painful
2 insects, dusk
3 mud, bad-tempered
4 continuously, sprinter
5 cartoons, tentacles
6 aggressive, bite
7 blood, Sadly
8 kill

Extend
Exercise 1 Compound adjectives
• Explain that compound adjectives are adjectives made with two words. Focus on the box in Activate and ask students to find a compound adjective. [bad-tempered]
• Students match the words to make compound nouns. If they are finding it difficult, they could look up the first word in a dictionary. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 friendly 2 cloudy 3 helpful 4 painful 5 enjoyable 6 rainy 7 washable 8 lively

Exercise 4 Animals
• Students look up the words in a dictionary and match them with the photos. Check the answers.
• Say the words for students to listen and repeat.

ANSWERS
1 ox 2 bat 3 goat 4 eagle 5 parrot 6 whale 7 octopus 8 bear 9 rhinoceros 10 bee 11 prawn 12 lobster

Exercise 5
• Students write the animals in the table.
• Give students two minutes to add more animals to each group. Compare with the class.

ANSWERS
land: goat, ox, bear, rhinoceros
sea: lobster, prawn, whale, octopus
air: eagle, parrot, bee, bat

Quick Test: Just two minutes
Write the new words from Vocabulary page 38 on cards. Divide the class into two teams. Put a chair at the front of the class. Choose one student from Team A and ask them to sit on the chair. Explain that they have two minutes to define the words for their team to guess them. They get two points for every word their team guesses correctly. Team B must keep quiet and write down any words Team A fails to guess. They get one point for each of these words. Now choose a student from Team B to come to the front. Continue until all the words have been defined.

Vocabulary Notebooks
Remind students to make notes on new vocabulary in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks.

More practice
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Comparative adjectives

Warm-up
• Ask: What’s the difference between African and Asian elephants? Elicit possible answers. [Asian elephants are smaller and have smaller ears.]

Explore

Exercise 1
• Students read the text and underline examples of adjectives comparing the two elephants. Explain that this form of the adjective is called the comparative because we are comparing two things. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
larger, heavier, bigger, more intelligent, better

Teaching Tip: Comparative
Students are sometimes tempted to use more to form the comparative of all adjectives. If you hear a mistake, use the prompt long or short adjective? and ask the student to repeat the sentence correctly.

Exercise 2
• Students complete the table with the adjectives from the text. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 larger  2 heavier  3 more intelligent  4 better

• Books closed. Ask students to explain the different ways of forming the comparative. Write their ideas on the board and elicit more examples of adjectives in each group.

• Open books. Students compare your table on the board with the table in the book. Did they forget anything?

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Exploit

Exercise 1
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 wider  2 further  3 more dangerous  4 bigger
5 faster  6 more expensive  7 heavier

Exercise 2
• Students answer the questions in pairs. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 The Atacama Desert is colder than the Arabian Desert. 2 The Atacama Desert is drier than the Arabian Desert. 3 The Arabian Desert is bigger than the Atacama Desert. 4 The Arabian Desert is higher than the Atacama Desert. 5 The Arabian Desert is hotter than the Atacama Desert. 6 The Arabian Desert is wetter than the Atacama Desert.

Exercise 4
• Students in pairs think of two places they know.
• Focus on the box. Answer any questions about adjectives students don’t remember.
• Students compare the two places using the adjectives in the box. Monitor and make a note of any mistakes. Correct them on the board at the end of the activity.

Quick Test: Dictation
Instructions: See Quick Test on page 9.
Preparation: Write crocodiles and alligators on the board. Crocodiles and alligators are from different families. In general, crocodiles are larger than alligators and they are a lighter colour. Crocodiles also have longer and thinner noses than alligators. Finally, people say that crocodiles are more aggressive than alligators.

More practice
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Grammar Builder page 69, exercises 1–3

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 5 (PAGE 69)
Exercise 1
1 higher  2 easier  3 bigger  4 wetter  5 friendlier
6 nicer  7 taller  8 later

Exercise 2
1 noisier  2 shorter  3 wider  4 further  5 hotter
6 better  7 heavier  8 larger

Exercise 3
2 Books are more interesting than TV. / TV is more interesting than books.
3 Wayne Rooney is more famous than Ronaldhino. / Ronaldhino is more famous than Wayne Rooney.
4 Lions are more dangerous than elephants. / Elephants are more dangerous than lions.
5 Girls are more intelligent than boys. / Boys are more intelligent than girls.
6 Money is more important than love. / Love is more important than money.
7 Baseball is more exciting than football. / Football is more exciting than baseball.

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Skills  

Our world

Target Vocabulary
Geographical features:
- beach
- desert
- forest
- hill
- island
- lake
- mountains
- ocean
- rainforest
- river
- sea
- valley
- waterfall

Continents:
- Africa
- Asia
- Australia
- Europe
- North America
- South America

Vocabulary Notebooks
Remind students to use the Vocabulary Notebook in their Workbooks to make a note of new vocabulary.

Vocabulary

Exercise 1
- Students work individually.

Exercise 2 1.31
- Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.
- Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.
- Read through the Look out! box with students.

ANSWERS
1. island, sea
2. river, mountains, valley
3. desert
4. forest
5. lake
6. ocean
7. hill
8. beach
9. waterfall
10. Lake is not illustrated.

Exercise 3 1.32
- Students work individually. Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.

ANSWERS
1. rainforest
2. Sea
3. island
4. Mountains
5. River
6. Desert
7. Lake

Exercise 4 1.33
- Play the CD once, pausing for students to repeat each word.

Exercise 5
- Students work in pairs. Monitor and help.

ANSWERS
1. The Amazon rainforest is in South America.
2. The Black Sea is in Asia.
3. The island of Tasmania is in Australia.
4. The Atlas Mountains are in Africa.
5. The Euphrates River is in Asia.
6. The Gobi Desert is in Asia.
7. Lake Superior is in North America.

More practice
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Listen

Exercise 1 1.34
- Explain that students are going to listen to a radio quiz.
- Play the CD for them to listen and complete the questions. They then try to answer the questions in pairs.

ANSWERS
1. Europe
2. River
3. ocean
4. Desert
5. islands
6. Lake

Exercise 2 1.35
- Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers to exercise 1.

ANSWERS
1. North America
2. the Black Sea
3. the Pacific Ocean
4. Asia
5. Possible islands: Mallorca, Sicily, Malta, Cyprus, Corsica, Sardinia, Rhodes, Crete
6. Africa

TAPESCRIP'T
Quizmaster: Welcome to the Geography Quiz. Our first contestant is Kevin from London. Are you ready, Kevin?
Kevin: Yes.
Quizmaster: OK. Here’s the first question: Are the Rocky Mountains in North America or Europe?
Kevin: They’re in North America.
Quizmaster: That’s correct. Well done. Here’s the next question: Which sea does the River Danube flow into – the Black Sea or the Mediterranean?
Kevin: Is it the Mediterranean? … I think it’s the Mediterranean.
Quizmaster: No, that’s the wrong answer. The Danube flows into the Black Sea. OK. Question 3: Which ocean is between America and Asia?
Kevin: That’s easy. It’s the Pacific Ocean.
Quizmaster: That’s right – the Pacific Ocean. Are you ready for the next question?
Kevin: Yes.
Quizmaster: OK. Here it is. Where’s the Gobi Desert – in Africa or Asia?
Kevin: The Gobi Desert. Mmm, I’m not sure.
Quizmaster: Have a guess.
Kevin: Asia?
Quizmaster: That’s right. It’s in China. Question five: Can you name two islands in the Mediterranean Sea?
Kevin: Cyprus – that’s in the Mediterranean. I often go there on holiday.
Quizmaster: Lucky you! Can you name another island?
Kevin: Malta.
Quizmaster: Well done. They’re both in the Mediterranean Sea. You’ve got four points, Kevin. Now for the last question: In which continent is Lake Victoria?
Quizmaster: Is that your final answer?
Kevin: Yes, Australia.
Quizmaster: Oh, dear, Kevin. Lake Victoria is in Africa.
Kevin: Oh, yes, of course!
Quizmaster: You’ve got four points! Well done, Kevin!

Speak

Exercise 1
- Students write three quiz questions individually.

Exercise 2
- In pairs, students ask and answer each other’s questions.
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Superlative adjectives

**Warm-up**
- Write: Antarctica is ______ ______ continent on the board and elicit the answer. [the coldest] Explain that we use the superlative to talk about one thing out of a group.

**Explore**

**Exercise 1**
- Look at the photos and ask students: Where is it? [Antarctica] Which animals live there? [penguins]
- Students read the article and underline the superlatives.

**ANSWERS**
1 the coldest 2 the worst 3 the lowest 4 the wettest 5 the driest 6 the most difficult

**Exercise 2**  
- Students complete the table.
- Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.
- Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.

**ANSWERS**
1 the largest 2 the heaviest 3 the hottest 4 the most difficult 5 the worst

**Follow-up**
Grammar Reference page 68

**Exploit**

**Exercise 1**
- Students work individually.
- Discuss the statements with the class.

**ANSWERS**
1 the funniest 2 the hottest 3 the most important 4 the best 5 the most exciting 6 the most difficult

**Exercise 2**  
- Students work individually.
- Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.

**ANSWERS**
1 the furthest 2 the deepest 3 the most dangerous 4 the longest 5 the fastest 6 the largest 7 the biggest [Quiz answers: 1a, 2c, 3b, 4a, 5a, 6b, 7b]

**TAPESCRIPT**
1 Oslo is further north than Ottawa, but Reykjavik is the furthest north – 2,874 km from the North Pole.
2 The deepest Ocean in the world is the Pacific. The Mariana Trench near the Philippines is more than 11,000 metres deep.
3 Crocodiles and elephants are dangerous but snakes kill more people per year so they are the most dangerous. 2,000 deaths are caused by crocodiles, 600 by elephants and 100,000 by snakes.
4 All three rivers are more than 6,000 kilometres long. The Amazon and the Yangtze are both about 6,400 kilometres, but the longest is the Nile, which is more than 6,800 kilometres.
5 The lion is very fast, but the cheetah is the fastest animal in the world. It can run at 110 kilometres per hour.
6 The largest land animal is the elephant. However, the blue whale is much bigger and is the largest and heaviest animal in the world. They can be 30 metres long and weigh 130 tonnes.
7 The three largest continents are Africa, Asia and North America. But which is the biggest? The answer is Asia – it’s 45 million square kilometres.

**Exercise 3**
- Students work in pairs. Monitor and help.
- Compare answers as a class.

**ANSWERS**
1 What’s the most beautiful continent in the world? 2 What’s the most interesting city in your country? 3 What’s the best way to travel? 4 What’s the worst food in the world? 5 What’s the easiest subject at school? 6 Who’s the best football player in the world? 7 Who’s the funniest person in the class?

**Students’ own answers.**

**Quick Test: Sentence transformation**
Write the sentences on the board. Students write the opposite using the word in brackets.

Geography is the easiest subject. (Physics)
Antarctica is the coldest place. (Mali)
A cheetah is the fastest animal. (a sloth)

**More practice**
Workbook page 38
Grammar Builder page 69, exercises 4–6

**ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 5 (PAGE 69)**

**Exercise 4**
2 the highest 3 the easiest 4 the wettest 5 the nicest 6 the worst 7 the funniest 8 the furthest

**Exercise 5**
2 Who’s the most intelligent person in your family? 3 What’s the most popular food in your country? 4 Who’s the most famous person in the world? 5 What’s the most important school subject? 6 What’s the most boring sport?

**Exercise 6**
2 France is hotter than Britain, but Spain is the hottest. 3 Harry is more intelligent than Dave, but Robert is the most intelligent. 4 Magazines are cheaper than books, but newspapers are the cheapest. 5 History is more interesting than science, but music is the most interesting. 6 Kate is friendlier than Steve, but Wendy is the friendliest. 7 New York is larger than London, but Tokyo is the largest. 8 Rugby is better than tennis, but football is the best.
Writing  PAGE 42

A postcard

Target Language

Postcard: Hi … Dear … We’re in …
It’s lovely / great here. The weather is …
This is a picture of … every day / morning / afternoon
Wish you were here. Bye for now. See you …

Prepositions of place: at a campsite in a youth hostel
on a lake by a river

Holiday accommodation: apartment cottage hotel
villa youth hostel

Warm-up

• Students cover the writing and focus on the postcards. Elicit the countries in the photos. [Turkey, Scotland]

Read

• Put students in pairs. Student A reads the first postcard and Student B reads the second one. They answer the questions for their postcard and then tell their partner about the postcard. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

Dan and Kate’s postcard
1 They’re in Turkey. 2 They think it’s lovely.
3 It’s fantastic. 4 They’re staying at a campsite.
5 It’s the beach near the campsite.
6 They go swimming every day and Kate goes sailing.

Sally’s postcard
1 She’s in Scotland. 2 They think it’s great.
3 It isn’t very good. 4 They’re staying in a youth hostel.
5 It’s Loch Ness. 6 They go walking in the mountains.

• Focus on the postcards and elicit the following information:
 – We start a postcard with Hi … or Dear …
 – Postcards only contain one paragraph.
 – This paragraph contains information about the place, the weather, the accommodation and the activities you do every day.
 – We use a short phrase before finishing the postcard, e.g. Wish you were here! or See you next week.
 – We finish the postcard with Love or Bye for now.

Prepare

Exercise 1
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 It’s lovely here and the weather is fantastic.
2 Wish you were here.
3 See you next week.

Exercise 2
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
We’re at a campsite in a small village … the beach near the campsite … We’re in a youth hostel near Loch Ness … in the mountains

Teaching Tip: Using short forms

The more informal a piece of writing is, the more usual it is to use short forms. Postcards are extremely informal and so we always use short forms on a postcard, e.g. We’re in Turkey. It’s lovely here.

Exercise 3
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

ITALY – villa   EGYPT – hotel   SPAIN – apartment
FINLAND – cottage   AUSTRIA – youth hostel

Write

Exercise 1
• Read through the Writing tip with students.
• Students choose a place from Prepare exercise 3 and make notes. Monitor and help.

Exercise 2
• Students read through the instructions and writing plan. Make sure they understand what they are going to write.
• If the writing is done in class, circulate and monitor. If you notice common errors, write them on the board and ask the class to correct them.
• Ask students to check each other’s postcards. Has all the information been included? Are there any errors? After peer correction, students write a second postcard and hand it in.

SAMPLE ANSWER
Dear Debbie,
I’m in Spain. It’s great here and the weather is fantastic. I’m in an apartment near the sea with some friends. This is a picture of the beach near the apartment. We go windsurfing every morning and in the afternoon we sunbathe on the beach. Wish you were here.

Love

Jane

Marking Scheme

• Use of Hi … or Dear … to start the postcard. [1 mark]
• Content of main paragraph to include information about where they are. [1 mark]
• Content of main paragraph to include what the place and the weather is like. [1 mark]
• Content of main paragraph to include information about the accommodation. [1 mark]
• Content of main paragraph to include information about the picture. [1 mark]
• Content of main paragraph to include what they do every day. [1 mark]
• Use of an appropriate final sentence. [1 mark]
• Appropriate end to the letter. [1 mark]
• Use of short forms. [1 mark]
• Correct use of prepositions. [1 mark]

More practice

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Review  (PAGE 43)

Language Skills

Exercise 1  
• Students work individually, then compare answers. 
• Play the CD for students to check their answers. 
• Students practise the dialogue in pairs. 

ANSWERS  
1 doing 2 on 3 like 4 than 5 apartment 6 seaside 7 sail 8 lovely 9 does 10 That

Exercise 2  
• Students read the dialogue again and answer the questions. Check the answers. 

ANSWERS  
1 Jane is reading her emails.  
2 Jane has got an email from Anne.  
3 Anne is in Malta.  
4 The weather is fantastic.  
5 They’re staying in an apartment in a small village.  
6 Anne is learning to sail.  
7 She’d like to learn to sail.  
8 Anne’s mum and dad are in the second photo.

Exercise 3  
• Students complete the sentences with the correct forms of the adjectives. Check the answers. 

ANSWERS  
1 the biggest 2 more interesting 3 the worst 4 happier 5 better 6 the most intelligent 7 nicer 8 older

Dictionary Corner

Teaching Tip: Register 
The OSD contains a number of labels which give students information about how formal a word is, and in what situation you can use it, e.g. 
formal: used in serious or official language 
informal: used between friends, or in a relaxed situation 

Activity: Students look up freezing, obtain, specs and defamatory to find out their register. Freezing and specs are informal; obtain and defamatory are formal.

Exercise 1  Compound nouns: nature 

Exercise 2  Synonyms: extreme adjectives 

Exercise 3  Holiday words

Follow-up
Self Check, Workbook pages 40–41 
Test Unit 5, Teacher’s Book pages 78–79
This unit includes
Vocabulary: places in town • sequence words • expressions with time • prepositions + nouns • jobs: -er or -or?
Grammar: past simple: be and can • past simple affirmative (regular verbs)
Skills: reading, listening and talking about places in town • talking about past ability • memory game
Writing: phone messages
Workbook pages 42–49

Reading PAGES 44–45

Warm-up
• Look at the unit title and ask students: What do you do when you go out and about? [go shopping, play sports, visit relatives, meet friends]
• Read the title of the reading page, Around town. Elicit places that students go to in town. [the shops, the library, the sports centre, restaurants, etc.]

Before Reading
• Students look at the photos and answer the questions in pairs. Then discuss the questions as a class.

Background Notes
Skydiving is a sport in which you jump from an aeroplane and fall for as long as you safely can before opening your parachute.

Read

Exercise 1
• Students read the Reading tip. Check that they have understood by asking: What is a skydiver? [a person who jumps from planes with a parachute] How do you know? [because of the context of the text]
• Students read the text quickly to answer the question. Ask them to underline the sentence where they found the information. Check the answer.

ANSWER
Definition b is the correct definition of freefall. (They wanted to freefall for 3,000 metres and then open their parachutes.)

Exercise 2 1.39
• Play the CD while students read the text a second time and do the exercise. With a weaker class, ask students to underline the relevant lines in the text. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 b (He jumped 1,000 times before he was 19.)
2 c (One morning at an airport near Lake Taupo, he prepared for a routine jump.)
3 c (The plane climbed slowly to 4,500 metres …They wanted to freefall for 3,000 metres and then open their parachutes.)
4 c (He couldn’t open it because of the cords from the main parachute.)
5 c (He could see a car park and a park next to it.)

Optional Activity: Reading skills
Aim: To focus on paragraph order.
Students number the questions in the order that the information appears in the text. Then they close their books and ask and answer the questions with a partner. Monitor and help.

Understanding Ideas
• Students read the questions and think of possible answers.
• Students discuss their answers in pairs.
• Bring the class together to compare answers.

Teaching Tip: Using your imagination
Do this activity with the whole class by asking the students to close their eyes and imagine that they are going skydiving. Tell them to imagine the following steps: You’re checking your equipment. You’re getting onto the plane. The plane is taking off. The plane is at 4,500 metres. The door opens. You jump. After each step, ask them how they feel, and write their answers on the board.

SAMPLE ANSWERS
1 They find it exciting. It gives them a high. It helps them forget their problems. It’s different from their everyday lives.
2 So the students could have a souvenir of their jump; just in case anything went wrong.
3 Because the bushes stopped his fall.
Vocabulary

Teaching Tip: Countable and uncountable nouns
Make sure students understand that countable nouns can be counted and so have a singular and plural form, whereas uncountable nouns cannot be counted and so do not have a plural form. Encourage students to record nouns with the symbols [C] for countable or [U] for uncountable. If a noun has no plural form, encourage them to write two example sentences to illustrate the difference between the two forms.

Exercise 1
• Students label the picture. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
1 parachute 2 helmet 3 goggles 4 altimeter 5 harness 6 jumpsuit 7 boots

Exercise 2
• Students match the highlighted words in the text to the definitions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
1 ready 2 ground 3 lung 4 equipment 5 penknife 6 experience 7 instructor 8 cords 9 alive 10 main 11 landed 12 impossible 13 bushes 14 pilot 15 film
• Give students more information about the words from the text and ask them to make notes in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks (see Workbook pages 58–69).

alive is an adjective which cannot be used before a noun, e.g. All my grandparents are still alive. The opposite is dead.
bush is a countable noun for a small thick tree with many low branches, e.g. a rose bush.
cord is a countable noun for a piece of strong, thick string.
equipment is an uncountable noun for the things that are needed to do a particular activity, e.g. a sport. We say a piece of equipment to talk about one item.
experience can be countable or uncountable. As a countable noun it refers to something unusual or exciting that has happened to you, e.g. The book is about her experiences in China. As an uncountable noun it refers to the knowledge you have of doing something, e.g. She has a lot of driving experience.
film can be a noun or a verb. As a verb it is regular so the third person form is filmed and the past simple form is landed.
lung is a countable noun for one of the two organs in your body used for breathing.
main is an adjective used only before a noun which means the most important thing, e.g. The main reason I'm here is to help you.
penknife is a countable noun for a small knife that closes.
pilot is a countable noun for a person that flies an aircraft.
ready is an adjective that means you are prepared to do something.

Quick Test: Buzz
Divide students into groups of three or four. Ask students if they ever watch quiz shows on the TV. Establish that each team on a quiz show needs a buzzer. Pretend that you are taking one out of your pocket and put the imaginary buzzer on your desk. Press it to demonstrate the noise it makes, e.g. Bzzzz! Tell students to put their own imaginary buzzers on their desks and to invent a noise for it. Ask each group to demonstrate their buzzer noise to the rest of the class.
Tell students you are going to give them a definition for the words from the reading and they have to press their buzzer to answer. Emphasize that you will not accept any answers that are shouted out. Read out the definitions in Vocabulary on page 45 and invite the first team that presses their buzzer to answer the question. If the team answers correctly award them two points, if not move on to the next definition. The team with the most points is the winner.

Optional Activity: Interview
Aim: To role play an interview with Michael Holmes.
Preparation: Ask students in pairs to write down five questions they would like to ask Michael.
Students work in different pairs to role play the interviews. Student A is Michael and Student B asks their questions. Then swap.
Students could write up their interviews for homework.

More practice
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**Vocabulary**

**Target Vocabulary**

- Alive, bush, cord, equipment, experience, film, ground, impossible, instructor, land, lungs, main, penknife, pilot, ready
- **Sequence words:** after that, as soon as, finally, first of all, later, then
- **Expressions with time:** at times, on time, run out of time, take your time, time flies, waste time
- **Preposition + noun:** at home, at night, at the seaside, by car, by hand, for a walk, in danger, in a hurry, in the morning, in the mountains, in a newspaper, on foot, on holiday, on my own, on the radio, on TV

** Activate**

- Focus on the words in the box and review their meaning by asking a few questions, e.g.:
  - What do you call the organs you use to breathe? [Lungs]
  - What does a plane do when it comes down out of the sky? [Land]
  - How do you describe a person who isn’t dead? [Alive]
- Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

** Extend**

**Exercise 1 Sequence words**

- Introduce the concept of sequence words by writing the following on the board: I get up at 7 a.m. ______ I have a shower and ______ I get dressed ______ I have breakfast. Elicit the missing words. [First of all, then, After that]
- Students find these words in the text in **Read** on page 44 and underline them. Then they find and underline three more sequence words.
- Students match the words with the definitions. Check the answers.

**Answers**

1. After that 2. finally 3. first of all 4. then 5. later 6. as soon as

**Exercise 2**

- Students circle the correct words in the sentences. Check the answers.

**Answers**

1. Finally 2. First of all 3. As soon as 4. Then 5. Later 6. After that 7. Later 8. First of all

**Exercise 3 Expressions with time**

- Write on the board: it was ______ to jump! Elicit the missing word. [Time] Elicit more expressions with time.
- Students look up the word time in their dictionaries and match the sentences to the expressions. Check the answers.

**Answers**

1. time flies 2. on time 3. at times 4. take your time 5. run out of time 6. waste time

**Exercise 4 Preposition + noun**

- Write the prepositions at, in and on the board.
- Read out the following and elicit the right preposition for each word: the seaside, the morning, TV.
- Students write the nouns in the correct column. Check the answers.

**Answers**

- at: the seaside, home, night
- in: a newspaper, the mountains, the morning
- on: TV, my own

**Teaching Tip: Learning prepositions**

Choose four important prepositions (e.g. in, on, at, for) and allocate one preposition to each corner of the room. Stick a different coloured sheet of card in each corner and label it with the preposition. Write the expressions from the exercise on slips of paper and get students to stick them in the right corner. Get students to add to the card as they come across different expressions containing the prepositions. Test them regularly on the prepositions by reading out an expression and asking them to point at the correct corner.

**Exercise 5**

- Point out that students can use their dictionaries to find the correct preposition to use in a phrase by looking up the noun in the expression.
- Students complete the expressions with the help of their dictionaries. Check the answers.

**Answers**

1. in 2. on 3. by 4. for 5. in 6. on 7. on 8. by

**Quick Test: Gapped dictation**

Students work in pairs. Explain that you are going to read out ten gapped sentences and students have to write down the missing words. Emphasize that they should not attempt to write down the whole sentence. After you have read out the sentences, give students five minutes to reconstruct them from the words they have written. Check the answers.

1. Wait a minute! I’m not . . . [ready]
2. First you boil the water . . . you add the spaghetti. [Then]
3. They weren’t late. They were . . . time. [On]
4. We haven’t got much time, so we’re . . . a hurry. [In]
5. My brother is a driving . . . He teaches people how to drive. [Instructor]
6. Peter called his wife as . . . as he got to the hotel. [Soon]
7. Do your homework and don’t . . . time. [Waste]
8. We always go to school . . . foot. [On]
9. You need to check your . . . before you climb a mountain. [Equipment]
10. I prefer studying with friends to studying . . . my own. [On]

**Vocabulary Notebooks**

Remind students to make notes on new vocabulary in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks.

**More practice**

Workbook page 43
Grammar  PAGE 47

Past simple: be and can

Warm-up
• Ask a few students: Where was your last holiday?

Explore
Exercise 1  1.40
• Focus on the photo. Ask students: Where is it? [the Emirates Towers, Dubai]
• Play the CD for students to underline the past simple forms of be and can in the dialogue.

ANSWERS
Are you … we’re in … Were you there … No, we weren’t … We were in Dubai … What was it like? … It was amazing … we were at … They’re two … What could you see? … We could see … we couldn’t see … they are so high

Teaching Tip: Past simple
Point with your right thumb over your right shoulder to indicate past tense. Do this when students say the present form of a verb instead of the past, and ask them to repeat the sentence correctly.

Exercise 2
• Students complete the table. Check the answers.
• Then read the Look out! box with the class.

ANSWERS
1 was 2 were 3 wasn’t 4 weren’t 5 Was 6 was 7 wasn’t 8 Were 9 were 10 weren’t 11 could 12 couldn’t 13 Could 14 could 15 couldn’t

Follow-up
Grammar Reference page 70

Exploit
Exercise 1
• Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 were 2 wasn’t 3 was 4 weren’t 5 wasn’t 6 were 7 weren’t 8 wasn’t

Exercise 2
• Read the example and do the next question with the whole class. Students continue individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 Budhia Singh could run marathons when he was three. 2 Maria Sharapova could play tennis when she was four. 3 David Beckham could play football when he was five. 4 Michael Schumacher could drive when he was four. 5 Sergey Karjakin could play chess when he was four.

Exercise 3
• Read the example and do the next question with the whole class. Students continue individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 I couldn’t go to school because I was ill. 2 I couldn’t read my book because it was dark. 3 She couldn’t swim because the water was very cold. 4 We couldn’t eat our dinner because we weren’t hungry. 5 I couldn’t speak to Kevin because he wasn’t home. 6 They couldn’t play tennis because it was wet. 7 I couldn’t sleep because I wasn’t tired. 8 They couldn’t drive because they weren’t 17 years old.

Exercise 4
• Read the example and do the next question with the whole class. Students continue individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 Could you read when you were four? 2 Could you write your name when you were two? 3 Could you walk when you were one? 4 Could you count to 10 when you were three? 5 Could you speak English when you were nine? 6 Could you ride a bike when you were ten? 7 Could you swim when you were four?

Exercise 5
• Focus on the example. Model and drill the phrases.
• Students ask and answer the questions in pairs.
• A few students tell the class about their partner.

ANSWERS
Students’ own answers.

More practice
Workbook page 44
Grammar Builder page 71, exercises 1–3

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 6 (PAGE 71)
Exercise 1
2 Joe and Helen were in Alexandria on Wednesday. 3 Joe wasn’t in Paris on Tuesday. 4 Helen was in Liverpool on Saturday. 5 Joe was in Qatar on Thursday. 6 Joe and Helen weren’t in Liverpool on Friday. 7 Helen wasn’t in Istanbul on Monday.

Exercise 2
2 was – She was in Paris. 3 Was – No, she wasn’t. She was in Alexandria. 4 Was – No, he wasn’t. He was in Liverpool. 5 Were – No, they weren’t. Joe was in Qatar and Helen was in Athens. 6 were – They were in Alexandria. 7 was – He was in Qatar. 8 Were – Yes, they were.

Exercise 3
1 couldn’t go 2 couldn’t find 3 couldn’t finish 4 couldn’t understand 5 couldn’t hear 6 couldn’t ring 7 couldn’t sleep 8 couldn’t play
In town

Target Vocabulary
Places in town: bank bus station car park department store library museum park police station post office railway station tourist information office town hall

Vocabulary Notebooks
Remind students to use the Vocabulary Notebook in their Workbooks during the lesson to make a note of new vocabulary.

Vocabulary

Exercise 1
• Students match the places with the words in the box.

Exercise 2 $1.41
• Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.
• Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.

ANSWERS
1 park 2 town hall 3 post office 4 museum 5 library 6 department store 7 tourist information office 8 car park 9 police station 10 railway station 11 bank 12 bus station

Exercise 3
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 railway station 2 library 3 post office 4 tourist information office 5 park 6 bus station 7 car park

More practice
Workbook page 45

Listen $1.42
• Focus on the words in the list in exercise 1.
• Play the CD for students to do the task. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 car park 2 department store 3 tourist information office 4 post office 5 railway station 6 library 7 bus station

TAPESCRPT
1 Man 1 Go on … go on … There’s lots of space behind the car.
Man 2 We’re very near to that blue car.
1 Man 1 Which blue car?
Man 2 That one.
1 Man 1 Oh, dear. Sorry.

Optional Activity: Dialogue
A Where’s the tourist information centre?
B It’s in the railway station.
A Is it next to the ticket office?
B No, it isn’t. It’s opposite the shop.
A Thanks.

Speak

Exercise 1
• Focus on the prepositions. Check understanding.
• Students in pairs ask and answer about places on the map.

ANSWERS Students’ own answers.

Exercise 2
• Students write sentences about their town or city. Monitor and help.

ANSWERS Students’ own answers.

Exercise 3
• Individual students describe a place for the others to guess.

ANSWERS Students’ own answers.
Grammar  PAGE 49

Past simple: affirmative (regular verbs)

Warm-up

• Ask: How often do you go to the library with your friends?

Explore

Exercise 1

• Write on the board: Why didn’t the two friends meet? Students read the text and answer the question. [because they were at different libraries]

• Focus on the verbs in blue and ask: How do we form the past simple of regular verbs?

ANSWER

We form the past simple of regular verbs by adding the ending -ed or -or.

Exercise 2

• Point out that there are some spelling rules for forming the past simple of regular verbs.

• Focus on the four groups in the Learn this! box and ask students for an explanation of each rule.

• Point out that the letter y only changes to -ied when it is preceded by a consonant. Contrast: study – studied; play – played.

• Point out that the final consonant is only doubled when it is preceded by one vowel. Contrast: chat – chatted; wait – waited.

• Students complete the Learn this! box. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 wanted, waited, asked, answered, walked
2 decided, agreed, arrived, phoned
3 hurried
4 jogged

Exercise 3

• Explain that -ed can be pronounced in three different ways: /t/; /d/ or /ɪd/. Model and drill the three pronunciations.

• Play the CD for students to listen and repeat.

Teaching Tip: Pronunciation of -ed endings

Prepare three cards to represent the three pronunciations of -ed, one for /t/, one for /d/ and one for /ɪd/. When students pronounce a regular past simple form incorrectly, show them the card and ask them to repeat the sentence correctly.

Exercise 4

• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 last night 2 yesterday evening 3 yesterday afternoon
4 the day before yesterday 5 last week 6 last month
7 three months ago 8 last year 9 two years ago

Follow-up

Grammar Reference page 70

Exploit

Exercise 1

• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 visited 2 watched 3 hurried 4 parked 5 decided
6 asked 7 stopped 8 arrived

Exercise 2

• Write: Why did the man go to the bank? on the board. Students read the text and answer the question. [to use the bank’s car park while he was in America]

• Students complete the text. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

1 walked 2 wanted 3 replied 4 agreed 5 parked
6 returned 7 asked 8 continued 9 answered

Exercise 3

• Look at the example. Read A yourself. One students reads B and another reads C. Ask a third student to continue the memory game and continue until the verbs have been used.

ANSWERS

Students’ own answers.

Quick Test: Sentence transformation

Read out the present simple sentences and students write them in the past simple.

I wait for the bus every day. [I waited for the bus yesterday.]

She helps her mum every day. [She helped her mum yesterday.]

He jogs in the park every day. [He jogged in the park yesterday.]

We arrive on time every day. [We arrived on time yesterday.]

You phone your sister every day. [You phoned your sister yesterday.]

They watch TV every day. [They watched TV yesterday.]

We chat to our friends every day. [We chatted to our friends yesterday.]

More practice

Workbook page 46
Grammar Builder page 71, exercises 4–6

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 6 (PAGE 71)

Exercise 4

1 phoned 2 answered 3 watched 4 hurried 5 studied
6 missed 7 stopped 8 visited 9 travelled 10 spotted

Exercise 5

1 hurried 2 studied 3 watched 4 answered 5 visited
6 stopped 7 missed 8 phoned

Exercise 6

1 I walked to school every day.
2 They agreed to meet at six o’clock.
3 Kevin jogged in the park before breakfast.
4 Sue studied maths at school.
5 The bus stopped near the school.
6 We arrived at school at quarter to nine.
7 Jim watched television after dinner.
8 Sally phoned her friend on her mobile.
9 Fred helped his mum with the washing up.
10 The football match started at seven o’clock.
11 We lived in London.
12 My dad worked in Manchester.
A phone message

Target Language

Phone message: Jenny phoned from London at 10. She wants to talk to you. It’s urgent. Can you call her back? Please call her on 674533. You can phone her on her mobile.

Warm-up

• Focus on the notes and elicit that they are phone messages. Elicit what information should be in the message. [Who called? What’s the message? What’s their number?]

Read

Exercise 1

• Students read the phone messages and complete the table.

ANSWERS
1 at the police station 2 at the park 3 in London 4 at the garage

Exercise 2

• Students find similar sentences in the phone messages and complete the missing words.

ANSWERS
1 You can phone him on his mobile. 2 Please phone Dave Adams on 674533. 3 Can you phone her tomorrow at Mary’s house? 4 Can you call him back?

• Focus on the phone messages and elicit the following information:
  – Phone messages start with the name of the person the message is for and finish with the name of the person writing the message.
  – They have only one paragraph containing the following information: the name of the person who phoned, where they are, what the message is, what their phone number is.

Prepare

• Explain that students are going to listen to the two phone conversations that generated the two phone messages. Play the CD for students to complete the messages.

ANSWERS
1 Alison 2 café 3 two 4 06588 49327 5 garage 6 ready 7 afternoon 8 five 9 243055

TAPESCRIPT
1 Mrs Brown Hello. Alison Oh, hello, is that Mrs Brown? Mrs Brown Yes, speaking. Alison Hello, this is Alison. Can I speak to Mandy, please? Mrs Brown She isn’t here at the moment. Can I take a message? Alison Yes, please. I’m going to the café with Vicky this afternoon. I wanted to invite Mandy. Mrs Brown OK. What time are you going to the café? Alison At two o’clock.

Mrs Brown OK, I’ll give her the message. Alison Thanks. Can you ask her to phone me on my mobile? Mrs Brown Yes, of course. What’s your number? Alison 06588 49327 Mrs Brown That’s 06588 49327. Alison Thanks, Mrs Brown. Mrs Brown You’re welcome, Alison. Goodbye.

2 Mechanic Hello, this is Peter Grey from Grey’s Garage. Can I speak to Mr Simpson, please? Sarah I’m sorry. He isn’t here at the moment. Mechanic Can I leave a message, please? Sarah Yes, of course. Mechanic Can you tell him that his car is ready? He can pick it up this afternoon. The garage closes at five. Sarah OK, I’ve got that. I’ll give him your message. Can you give me your phone number, please? Mechanic Yes, it’s 243055. Sarah 243055. OK. Mechanic Thanks very much. Sarah Goodbye. Mechanic Goodbye.

Teaching Tip: Prepositions in phone messages

Highlight the use of the preposition on in phone messages, e.g.
You can phone him on his mobile.
Please phone him on 674533.

Write

• Students read through the instructions and writing plan. Make sure they understand what they are going to write.
• Students write their phone messages individually.
• If the writing is done in class, circulate and monitor. If you notice common errors, write them on the board and ask the class to correct them.
• Ask students to check each other’s writing. Has all the information been included? Are there any errors? After peer correction, students write a second draft.

SAMPLE ANSWER
Alison,
Cath phoned. She’s in town. She wants to buy you a shirt, but she needs to know your size. It’s urgent. Can you call her back on her mobile? Her number is 01752 61927.
Jane

Marking Scheme

• Use of name only to start the message. [1 mark]
• Layout of message as one paragraph. [1 mark]
• Inclusion of name of caller. [1 mark]
• Inclusion of their whereabouts. [1 mark]
• Coherent explanation of the message. [2 marks]
• Inclusion of the caller’s number. [1 mark]
• Use of name only to finish the message. [1 mark]
• Correct use of the preposition on. [1 mark]
• Correct grammar and spelling. [1 mark]
Review (PAGE 51)

Language Skills

Exercise 1 (1.45)

- Students work individually, then compare answers.
- Play the CD for students to check their answers.
- Students practise the dialogue in pairs.

**ANSWERS**
1. Are 2. cooking 3. isn’t 4. phoned 5. About 6. wants 7. think 8. on

Exercise 2

- Students work individually. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

Exercise 3

- Students work individually. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
1. We lived in Oxford and we studied engineering at university.
2. His mobile wasn’t on so I couldn’t speak to him.
3. She stayed at home and watched TV.
4. We couldn’t go to the park because we were at our grandparents’ house.
5. I phoned my sister at 6 o’clock and we chatted about our friends.
6. I was at home so I could watch the film on TV.

Exercise 4

- Students write the past form of the verbs in the correct column. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
- add -ed: stayed, watched, jumped
- finish in e + -ed: arrived, loved, decided
- y + -ied: studied, hurried, tried
- double final consonant + -ed: jogged, chatted, stopped

Dictionary Corner

**Teaching Tip: Example sentences**

Example sentences are very important in a dictionary because they show you how a word is used.

**Activity:** Write the following sentences on the board:

- We sat ______ the ground to eat our picnic. [on]
- The car will be ready ______ you to collect on Friday. [for]
- We all learn ______ experience. [from]
- My main ______ for learning English is to get a better job. [reason]
- The bird landed ______ the roof. [on]

Students look up the words ground, ready, experience, main and land to complete the sentences.

**Exercise 1 In town**

- Students look up the word reference book in their dictionary.
- Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  - reference book has no blue key symbol which indicates that it is not an Oxford 3000 keyword.
  - reference book is a noun.
  - The [C] symbol indicates that reference book is countable.
  - Examples of reference books are dictionaries and encyclopedias.
- Students continue working individually. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

**Exercise 2 Jobs: -er or -or?**

- Students look up the verb instruct in their dictionary.
- Guide them to look at the entries following the verb until they reach instructor.
- Focus on the dictionary entry and elicit the following information:
  - instructor is a noun ending in -or.
- Students continue working individually. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
instructor, interviewer, inspector, sailor, translator, diver

**Follow-up**

Self Check, Workbook pages 48–49
Test Unit 6, Teacher’s Book pages 80–81
This unit includes

Vocabulary: countries • nationalities • university life • collocations with do, give, go and take • places of work • prepositions: biography • chemistry • stages in life

Grammar: past simple: affirmative (irregular verbs) • past simple: negative and interrogative

Skills: reading, listening and talking about famous people • describing your weekend • game: 20 questions

Writing: an email

Workbook pages 50–57

Reading

Warm-up

- Look at the unit title and ask students: What kind of people are world famous? [sports celebrities, film stars, pop singers, musicians, politicians, scientists]
- Read the title of the reading page, Discoveries. Elicit some important discoveries. [electricity, TV, computers, mobile phones, cars]

Before Reading

Background Notes
Ada Lovelace (1815–1852) was the daughter of the Romantic poet, Lord Byron. From 1842–43 she worked with Charles Babbage on a machine of his called the Analytical Engine. She wrote a set of notes explaining how to calculate Bernoulli numbers with the Engine. These calculations are recognized by historians as the world’s first computer program.

- Students cover the task and focus on the photos. Ask students if they recognize any of the scientists.
- Students read the task and match the scientists with their work. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 c 2 d 3 a 4 b

Read

Exercise 1

- Students look at the main photo and read the text quickly to answer the questions.

Answer
The famous scientist in the photo is Marie Curie. She is famous because she discovered radium.

Exercise 2

- Students read the Reading tip. Check that they have understood by asking: What usually comes first in a biographical text? [information about the person’s birth and childhood]
- Play the CD while students read the text a second time and do the exercise. Check the answers.

Optional Activity: Reading skills

Aim: To focus on paragraph organization.

Preparation: Write the following headings on the board:

1 Marie’s early life
2 Her marriage to Pierre
3 Life after Pierre

Dictate the following questions and students say which paragraph contains the answers:

1 How did Pierre Curie die? [2]
2 What did Marie’s parents do? [1]
3 How did Marie die? [3]
4 Where did she meet Pierre? [2]
5 Where was Marie born? [1]
6 Where did Marie spend the rest of her life? [3]
7 How many children did they have? [2]
8 Where did Marie study science? [1]

Understanding Ideas

- Students read the questions and think of possible answers.
- Students discuss their answers in pairs.
- Bring the class together to compare answers.

Sample Answers
1 Intelligent, hard-working, kind, generous, etc.
2 She tried to cure people who were ill.
Vocabulary

Teaching Tip: Using synonyms and antonyms
Encourage students to make a note of any synonyms (words with similar meaning) and antonyms (words with opposite meaning) when they are recording new vocabulary. These words are marked with the symbols SYN and OPP in a dictionary. Students can use the same symbol in their own notes, e.g. wealthy SYN rich, awake OPP asleep.

Exercise 1
- Students match the highlighted words in the text to the definitions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**
1 rest 2 ill 3 discovered 4 governess 5 wealthy 6 genius 7 extremely 8 collected 9 prize 10 needy 11 awake 12 laboratory
- Give students more information about the words from the text and ask them to make notes in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks (see Workbook pages 46–55).

awake is an adjective for someone who isn’t sleeping. It is not used before a noun. The opposite is asleep.
collect is a regular verb which means to go and get something from a particular place. The third person form is collects and the past simple form is collected. A synonym of collect is the phrasal verb pick sb up.
discover is a regular verb which means to find something that nobody has found before. The third person form is discovers and the past simple form is discovered.
extremely is an adverb which is slightly stronger than very.
genius is a countable noun for a person with a great and unusual ability.
governess is a countable noun for a woman who was employed in the past to teach the children of a rich family.
il is an adjective for someone who isn’t well. It is not used before a noun. In American English the word sick is used.
laboratory is a countable noun for a room or laboratory that is used for scientific research.
needy is an adjective for someone who does not have enough money, food, clothes, etc. The needy describes this group of people in general.
prize is a countable noun for something of value that is given to the winner of a race, competition, game, etc.
rest is a noun used in the construction the rest of (sb or sth). It means the part that is left or the ones that are left.
wealthy is an adjective for a person who has a lot of money. Rich is a synonym of wealthy.

Exercise 2
- Students find the words in the text and read the sentences which contain them.
- Read out these prompts and check the meaning of the words:
  - A white radioactive metal used to treat illnesses [radium]
  - An illness [cancer]
  - A high-level university teacher [professor]
  - You can win this if you make an outstanding contribution to literature, peace or science [Nobel Prize]
  - Without anyone knowing [secretly]
  - Another radioactive metal [polonium]
  - It produces dangerous rays that can cause illness or death [radioactivity]
  - For example, a car crash [road accident]

Quick Test: Synonym race
Tell students you are going to read out synonyms for the words from the lesson. They have a minute to guess as many words as possible. Read out the synonyms in the list and stop after one minute. Repeat until students can guess all the words in less than a minute.
sick [ill] very [extremely]
not asleep [awake] place of research [laboratory]
trophy [prize] pick up [collect]
poor [needy] what’s left [rest]
clever person [genius] found [discovered]
teacher [governess] rich [wealthy]

Optional Activity: Make a presentation
Aim: To give a short presentation about a famous scientist.
Preparation: Ask students to research information about a famous scientist for homework.
Students write their presentation in class. Monitor and help.
They practise their presentation in pairs. Monitor and correct any mistakes.
They give their presentation to the class without saying the name of the person. The class has to guess who the scientist is.

More practice
Workbook page 50
**Vocabulary**

Target Vocabulary

| A great scientist: awake collected discovered extremely genius governness ill laboratory needy prize rest wealthy |
| University life: degree graduate lecture lecturer notes professor research undergraduate |
| Collocations with do, give, go and take: do a course do research give advice give lectures go to a lecture go to university take a break take a degree take notes |
| Places of work: court laboratory operating theatre stock exchange studio surgery |
| Prepositions: biography: after at for in into of to with |

**Activate**

**Exercise 1**

- Focus on the words in the box and review their meaning by asking a few questions, e.g.
  - What's a synonym for picked up? [collected]
  - How do you describe a person who isn't asleep? [awake]
- Students complete the sentences. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1 extremely, awake  
2 prize, collected  
3 rest, governness  
4 needy, ill, wealthy  
5 laboratory, genius, discovered

**Extend**

**Exercise 1 University life**

- Students use their dictionaries to match the words with the definitions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1 h 2 d 3 e 4 f 5 a 6 g 7 b 8 c

**Exercise 2 Collocations with do, give, go and take**

**Teaching Tip: Collocations**

Encourage students to use their dictionaries to find the correct verb that collocates with a noun. Write on the board: *I always ______ lots of notes when I'm in a lecture.* Ask students which word they need to look up to find the correct verb. [notes] Get one student to look up notes and tell the class the correct verb. [take] Remind students to look up the noun in the expression when they need to check a collocation.

- Remind students of the meaning of ‘collocation’ = a combination of words that is very common. The wrong combination sounds incorrect.
- Elicit expressions with do, give, go and take. [do research, give a lecture, go to university, take a degree, etc.]
- Students use their dictionaries to complete the sentences with the correct verb. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1 take 2 give 3 go 4 do 5 go, do, take 6 give 7 do

**Exercise 3 Places of work**

- Students use their dictionaries to complete the sentences with the places of work. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1 laboratory 2 operating theatre 3 stock exchange 4 court 5 surgery

**Exercise 4 Prepositions: biography**

**Background Notes**

Prince Sultan bin Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud was born on June 27, 1956 in Saudi Arabia. He went to school in Riyadh. After school he studied Social and Political Science at Syracuse University in the USA. He studied for a pilot’s licence and became a certified civil pilot. He was also a fighter pilot in the Royal Saudi Air Force.

In 1985 he flew in the Space Shuttle Discovery as part of an international crew of seven. He was the payload specialist on the flight. Sultan is the youngest person to fly in the Space Shuttle, as he was twenty-eight at the time.

- Write on the board: Prince Sultan bin Salman bin Abdulaziz Al Saud. Ask students what they know about him.
- Students complete the biography with the prepositions. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

1 on 2 in 3 to 4 in 5 After 6 at 7 in 8 for 9 in 10 in 11 on 12 in 13 at

**Quick Test: Right or wrong**

Divide the class into three teams. Explain that they have to decide if the sentences you say are right or wrong. They have to repeat the incorrect sentences with the right word. They get two points if they answer correctly. If they are wrong, the sentence is passed to the next team for one bonus point.

Read out the following sentences:

- A person without money is wealthy. [WRONG – needy]
- A scientist works in an office. [WRONG – laboratory]
- An undergraduate is a university student. [RIGHT]
- Professor White does lectures on geology. [WRONG – gives]
- Mia studied maths in Manchester University. [WRONG – at]
- You get a governess if you win a competition. [WRONG – prize]
- A lecturer is an important teacher at a university. [WRONG – professor]
- A doctor works in a surgery. [RIGHT]
- I want to give research into a new plastic. [WRONG – do]
- Dr El-Baradei was born in June 17th, 1942. [WRONG – on]
- A lecture is a university qualification. [WRONG – degree]
- They give advice about careers at my school. [RIGHT]
- A judge works in an operating theatre. [WRONG – court]
- We’re moving in Paris next year. [WRONG – to]

**Vocabulary Notebooks**

Remind students to make notes on new vocabulary in the Vocabulary Notebook section of their Workbooks.

**More practice**

Workbook page 51
Grammar  PAGE 55

Past simple: affirmative (irregular verbs)

Warm-up
• Write on the board: be, become, begin, give, go, make, spend and teach. Ask: What do these verbs have in common? [They’re all irregular.] Ask: How do we know they are irregular? [Because they have an irregular past simple form.]

Explore

Exercise 1
• Students complete the text with the past simple forms of the irregular verbs in brackets. Check the answers by eliciting the spelling and writing the verb forms on the board.

ANSWERS
1 was 2 became 3 spent 4 went 5 began 6 gave 7 taught 8 made

Teaching Tip: Irregular past simple forms
Students will need frequent reminding of the past simple forms of irregular verbs, so give them a quick test at the beginning or the end of each class. Always elicit the spelling of the past simple forms and write them on the board, so that they are being exposed to the form visually as well as orally.

Exercise 2
• Students use the irregular verb list on page 80 to complete the past simple forms. Check the answers by eliciting the spelling and writing the verb forms on the board.

ANSWERS
1 got 2 came 3 did 4 had 5 wrote 6 knew 7 took 8 spent 9 became 10 won

Follow-up
Grammar Reference page 72

Exploit

Exercise 1
• Students complete the sentences with past simple forms from Explore. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 spent, became, gave, won 2 was, went, got 3 wrote

Exercise 2
• Read through the Look out! box with students. Turn to the irregular verb list and get students to study the past simple forms for a few minutes. Give students a quick test on some of the verbs.
• Students complete and match the sentence halves. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
began – ran broke – spoke went – sent made – paid read – said saw – wore sold – told

Quick Test: Dictation
Write on the board: Doctor Mohamed El-Baradei.
Doctor Mohamed El-Baradei was born in Cairo on 17th June, 1942. He studied law at Cairo University and then continued his studies in Geneva. Finally, he went to New York to get a doctorate in International Law. In 1997 El-Baradei became Director General of the International Atomic Energy Agency. He and the agency won the Nobel Peace Prize in 2005 for helping people use nuclear energy safely in the world.

More practice
Workbook page 52
Grammar Builder page 73, exercises 1–3

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 7 (PAGE 73)
Exercise 1
1 I – won 2 I – got 3 R – studied 4 R – lived 5 R – worked 6 I – took 7 I – came 8 R – started
Exercise 2
1 e 2 h 3 g 4 a 5 f 6 b 7 c 8 d
Exercise 3
1 ran 2 gave 3 made 4 went 5 saw 6 were 7 said 8 broke 9 began 10 caught
On the map

**Target Vocabulary**

**Countries:** Australia Brazil China Egypt France Germany Italy Jordan Kuwait Oman Poland Russia Saudi Arabia Spain Sweden Syria Turkey the UAE the USA Yemen

**Vocabulary Notebooks**

Remind students to use the Vocabulary Notebook in their Workbooks during the lesson to make a note of new vocabulary.

**Vocabulary**

**Exercise 1**

- Students put a cross on the map where they live.

**ANSWERS**

Students' own answers.

**Exercise 2**

- Students work in pairs. Check the answers.

**ANSWERS**

Students' own answers.

**Exercise 3**

- Students write the countries and the nationalities.
- Play the CD for students to listen and check their answers.
- Play the CD again, pausing for them to repeat each word.

**ANSWERS**


**Exercise 4**

- Students label the countries on the map. Monitor and help. Check the answers by asking students to spell the countries.

**ANSWERS**

1 Egypt 2 Saudi Arabia 3 Yemen 4 Oman 5 Jordan 6 Syria 7 Turkey 8 Italy 9 Poland 10 Germany 11 France 12 Spain 13 Britain

**More practice**

Workbook page 53

**Listen**

**Exercise 1**

- Focus on the photos. Students discuss the questions in pairs.

**Optional Activity: Dialogue**

A Is your English teacher a man or a woman?
B He’s a man.
A Where’s he from?
B He’s Australian. What about your English teacher?
A She’s a woman.
B Is she British?
A No, she isn’t. She’s American. She’s from the USA.
Grammar 

Past simple: negative and interrogative

Warm-up
• Ask a few students: How often do you take photos?

Explore

Exercise 1 1.50
• Ask: Who can you see in the photo? [Bill Gates]
• Students complete the dialogue, then listen and check.

ANSWERS
1. photo
2. London
3. Africa
4. acts
5. documentaries
6. speech

Exercise 2
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS

negative: I didn't take it. I didn't go. I didn't know that.
interrogative: Where did you take it? No, I didn't.

Did a lot of acts perform? Yes, they did.

Exercise 3
• Students read the Learn this! box and complete the rules.

ANSWERS
1. didn't
2. did

Follow-up
Grammar Reference page 72

Exploit

Teaching Tip: Past simple negative and interrogative
As with the present simple where students forget to use the infinitive form after don't and doesn't, they often forget to use it after did and didn't too. You can use the same reword card to show them when they forget and ask them to repeat the sentence correctly.

Exercise 1
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1. Did Suzie take the photo? No, she didn't.
2. Did Molly take the photo? Yes, she did.
3. Did Molly go to the Live 9 event? Yes, she did.
4. Did Suzie go to the Live 9 event? No, she didn't.
5. Did Suzie watch the event on TV? Yes, she did.
6. Did Helen watch the event on TV? No, she didn't.
7. Did Bill Gates make a speech at the event? Yes, he did.

Exercise 2
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1. I didn't watch Live 9 on television.
2. We didn't go on holiday last year.
3. It didn't rain last weekend.
4. I didn't have breakfast this morning.

5. My sister didn't break my mobile phone.
6. England didn't win the World Cup in 2010.

Exercise 3
• Students tick the activities in the chart.

ANSWERS
Student's own answers.

Exercise 4
• Model the activity. Students ask you the questions.
• Put students in pairs. Student A asks Student B the questions and ticks the chart. Then swap.

ANSWERS
Student's own answers.

Exercise 5
• Students tell the class about their partner's weekend.

Quick Test: Sentence transformation
Read out the affirmative sentences and students write them in the negative or the interrogative past simple.

I wear jeans. (–)
You miss the bus. (?)
Mark takes photos. (–)
Sally reads a magazine. (?)
My friends say hello. (–)
You run to school. (?)
We make pizzas for dinner. (?)

More practice
Workbook page 54
Grammar Builder page 73, exercises 4–8

ANSWERS GRAMMAR BUILDER 7 (PAGE 73)

Exercise 4
1. They didn't watch TV last night.
2. He didn't win a Nobel Prize.
3. I didn't see you at school.
4. Harry didn't tidy his room yesterday evening.
5. I didn't forget your books.
6. We didn't go to school yesterday.
7. She didn't study French at university.
8. You didn't buy a new sweatshirt.

Exercise 5
2. didn't take
3. didn't do
4. didn't send
5. didn't win
6. didn't work
7. didn't have
8. didn't write
9. didn't become
10. didn't spend
11. didn't finish

Exercise 6
2. What time did you get up?
3. Did you go to school?
4. Did it rain in the morning?
5. Where did you have lunch?
6. Did you watch television?
7. What time did you go to bed?

Exercise 7
Students' own answers.

Exercise 8
2. Who did you go with?
3. What was the weather like?
4. Did you go to London?
5. How did you go there / to England?
6. How long did you spend in England?
7. What did you think of the food? / What was the food like?
8. Did you speak English?
Writing  [PAGE 58]

An email message

Target Language

Email: Dear … Hi … I hope you’re well. Great to hear from you. Say hi to (Frank). How was your weekend? (Frank) sends his love. Speak to you soon.

Linking words: and but so then

Warm-up
• Ask students: How often do you send emails?

Read

Exercise 1
• Students read the emails quickly and answer the question. Check the answer.

ANSWER
John had a better weekend than Peter.

Exercise 2
• Students read the emails again and tick the activities. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
John: do homework, go shopping, have lunch in a café, play tennis, watch a basketball match, watch a DVD
Peter: go to bed early, have a barbecue, play volleyball

Exercise 3
• Students read the emails again and answer the questions. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 He bought two new T-shirts.
2 Yes, he did.
3 No, he didn’t.
4 No, they didn’t.
5 He thought it was very boring.
6 Because he didn’t feel well.
   • Focus on the emails and elicit the following information:
     – We can use Dear (name) or Hi (name) to start an email.
     – The emails have two paragraphs; the first contains information about Saturday and the second about Sunday.
     – We can use Love or Best wishes to finish an email.

Prepare

Exercise 1
• Read through the Writing tip with students.
• Students mark the phrases J or P. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
John: I hope you’re well. Say hi to (Frank). How was your weekend?
Peter: Great to hear from you! (Frank) sends his love. Speak to you soon.

Exercise 2
• Students work individually.

ANSWERS
Students’ own answers.

Teaching Tip: Linking words in emails
Common linking words in emails are and, but, so and then. We use and to add information and but to contrast information. So is used to say the consequence of something and then is used to say what happened next.

Write
• Students read through the instructions and writing plan. Make sure they understand what they are going to write.
• Students write their emails individually.
• If the writing is done in class, circulate and monitor. If you notice common errors, write them on the board and ask the class to correct them.
• Ask students to check each other’s writing. Has all the information been included? Are there any errors? After peer correction, students write a second draft and hand it in.

SAMPLE ANSWER
Hi Karen,
I hope you’re well. I’m fine, but I didn’t have a very good weekend. On Thursday morning I did all my homework, and in the afternoon I went shopping with my parents. I wanted to buy a new jacket, but I couldn’t find one I liked. In the end I didn’t buy anything.
On Friday I got up very late. We had lunch in a restaurant, but I didn’t enjoy the meal. I didn’t feel well in the afternoon, so I couldn’t go out with my friends.
Speak to you soon.
Love
Jane

Marking Scheme
• Use of Dear or Hi (name) to start the email. [1 mark]
• Use of a useful phrase to start the first paragraph. [1 mark]
• Two clear paragraphs. [1 mark]
• Content of first paragraph to include information about Saturday. [1 mark]
• Content of second paragraph to include information about Sunday. [1 mark]
• Use of a useful phrase before the end. [1 mark]
• Use of Best Wishes or Love to end the email. [1 mark]
• Correct use of linking words. [1 mark]
• Correct spelling and grammar. [2 marks]

More practice
Workbook page 55
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Language Skills

Exercise 1  $1.51
• Students work individually, then compare answers.
• Play the CD for students to check their answers.
• Students practise the dialogue in pairs.

ANSWERS
1 How  2 went  3 was  4 bought  5 didn’t  6 Did
7 On  8 about  9 had  10 See

Exercise 2
• Students work individually. Check the answers.

ANSWERS
1 F (He had an exciting weekend.)  
2 T  
3 F (His parents bought him a present.)  
4 F (He didn’t know about Tony’s exam.)  
5 F (He ate in a restaurant on Saturday evening.)  
6 F (He stayed at home.)  
7 T  
8 T

Exercise 3  Chemistry
• Focus on the dictionary entry for radium and elicit the following information:
   – The chemical symbol for radium is Ra.
   – The subject label indicates that the word radium is related to CHEMISTRY.
   – You can find more information about the periodic table of elements on pages R34-5 of the OSD.
• Students continue working individually.

ANSWERS
1 radium  2 copper  3 aluminium  4 iron  
5 magnesium  6 brass  7 uranium  8 lead

Teaching Tip: Phrasal verbs
Students can find phrasal verbs in the OSD by looking for the PHR V symbol towards the end of the entry. Remind them that a phrasal verb can have more than one meaning.

Activity: Write on the board the following definitions:
- to repair a building and make it more modern (do sth up)
- to cheat somebody (do sb out of sth)
- to manage without having something (do without)
- to fasten a piece of clothing (do sth up)
- to get rid of something (do away with sth)

Students look up the verb do to find phrasal verbs that match the definitions.
Workbook answer key

Page 1

Unit 1

READING  A day in the life of two African children
1 2 drives   3 clean   4 walks   5 iron   6 cooks   7 does
8 go   9 get up   10 make   11 looks after
2 1 T   2 T   3 F   4 T   5 F
3 1 c   2 e   3 a   4 g   5 h   6 d   7 f   8 b

VOCABULARY  Supermum!
1 2 c   3 b   4 a   5 b   6 a   7 b   8 c   9 c   10 a   11 c
12 c   13 c   14 a   15 a
2 make: your bed, a lot of noise
have: a break, a shower, a celebration
do: the shopping, the washing, your homework
3 2 have   3 does   4 make   5 have   6 have, do
7 does   8 makes
4 2 d   3 f   4 a   5 c   6 b
5 2 Look after or at that expensive picture. I think it’s fantastic!
3 It’s your dog! Look around after it please! Give it food and take it for a walk!
4 Is your bag in your bedroom? In the kitchen? Get a move on and look for it!
5 Look here! Stop the car now!
6 I want to visit Rome and look around around all the important places.

GRAMMAR  Present simple: affirmative
1 2 goes to school by bus   6 studies English at school
3 works in London   7 goes to the park every Friday
4 plays tennis every Saturday   8 gets up late on Sunday mornings
5 lives in Manchester   9 speaks three languages
2 2 on Tuesdays, he studies English.
3 On Wednesdays, he watches television.
4 On Thursdays, he works in a café.
5 On Fridays, he goes out with friends.
6 On Saturdays, he listens to the radio.
7 On Sundays, he reads books.
3 3 Julie cooks dinner on Mondays.
4 Martin studies French on Tuesdays.
5 Julie watches TV on Thursdays.
6 Martin cooks dinner on Thursdays.
7 Julie plays football on Tuesdays.
8 Martin and Julie go to the cinema on Fridays.

SKILLS  Talking about family and friends
1 2 aunt   3 sister   4 daughter   5 grandfather   6 nephew
7 grandmother   8 wife
2 2 cousin   3 father   4 husband   5 uncle   6 brother
7 daughter   8 sister
3 2 Where is John’s DVD?
3 Have you got your brother’s bike?
3 This is my parents’ car.
5 These are Sandra’s pens.
6 The students’ bags are in the classroom.
4 2 leaves   3 wives   4 boxes   5 teeth   6 sandwiches
7 trees   8 people   9 stories   10 photos
5 1 sandwiches   2 leaves   3 trees   4 stories   5 people
4 photos, teeth

GRAMMAR  Present simple: negative
1 A Connor   B Tom   C Jack
2 2 My parents don’t like fish.
3 I don’t like pizza.
4 Ben doesn’t play tennis.
5 My parents don’t watch TV.
6 My friend doesn’t go to school by bus.
7 Bella doesn’t eat meat.
8 We don’t like computer games.
9 She doesn’t study science.

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3 2 doesn’t play   3 don’t like   4 doesn’t study
5 don’t work   6 don’t get up   7 doesn’t drive
8 don’t come
4 2 Melanie doesn’t play football.
3 Melanie walks to school.
4 Tom and Vicky don’t speak French.
5 Tom and Vicky play football.
6 Tom and Vicky don’t walk to school.

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WRITING  An informal letter
1 1 21 Brighton Road, Hastings   2 24th July   3 Dear
4 Best wishes,
2 1 g   2 d   3 f   4 a   5 c   6 b   7 e
3 1 so   2 then   3 or   4 and
4 2 15th   3 30th   4 31st   5 11th   6 22nd
5 Students’ own answers.

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Self check 1: Grammar
1 1 They play volleyball on Tuesdays.
2 My mum teaches English at our school.
3 Jack goes to school by bike.
4 My brother and sister wash their hands before meals.
5 We hate homework!
6 You work a lot.
7 Alice studies before dinner.
8 My dad watches football on TV.
2 1 get up   2 stays   3 play   4 study  5 do  6 hates
7 read   8 watch
3 doesn’t, verb
4 1 don’t   2 doesn’t   3 don’t like   4 doesn’t play
5 don’t go   6 don’t enjoy
5 1 No, they don’t drive to school. They walk to school.
2 No, Lily doesn’t work in a bank. She works in a shop.
3 No, they don’t live in Paris. They live in New York.
4 No, they don’t speak English. They speak French.
5 No, Tom doesn’t cook pizzas. He cooks pasta.
6 No, Sally doesn’t study architecture. She studies science.
7 No, Mike and Steven don’t like tennis. They like chess.
8 No, Alice doesn’t come from Liverpool. She comes from Manchester.

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Self check 1: Vocabulary
1 Across
2 daughter   15 this
3 lunch / dinner
4 evening
5 holiday
6 this
7 home
8 party
9 school
10 family
11 nice
12 afternoon
13 nice

Down
1 leaves   10 aunt
2 don’t enjoy
3 grandchild   11 goes
4 doesn’t   14 children
5 doesn’t   15 teach
6 don’t stay up
7 not

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**Unit 2**

**Reading**

To practice your reading skills, choose a text or a paragraph from the book and practice reading it aloud. Pay attention to the context and the meaning of the text. How do the characters feel? What are they doing? What is the setting? Is the mood positive or negative? Practice using the text to answer questions about the content.

**Grammar**

Practice using the present simple tense to make questions. For example, if you are talking about what you like to do for fun, you could say:

- Do you like to play basketball?
- Do you like to go swimming?
- Do you like to go to the gym?
- Do you like to read books?
- Do you like to listen to music?

Challenge!

2. What do people celebrate New Year? In January.
4. 5. Students' own questions.

**Skills**

To practice your skills, choose a task or activity from the book and practice it. Pay attention to the context and the meaning of the task or activity. How are the characters using the task or activity? What are the steps involved? Practice using the task or activity to answer questions about the content.

**Vocabulary**

Practice using the vocabulary to make statements or questions. For example, if you are talking about your hobbies, you could say:

- I like to play basketball.
- I like to go swimming.
- I like to go to the gym.
- I like to read books.
- I like to listen to music.

Self check 2: Vocabulary

**Across**

1. take
2. sometimes
3. when
4. stand
5. awful
6. go
7. which
8. playing
9. never

**Down**

1. terrible
2. does
3. usually
4. swimming
5. play
6. popular
7. hate
8. where
9. read

**Writing**

To practice your writing skills, choose a prompt or topic from the book and practice writing about it. Pay attention to the context and the meaning of the prompt or topic. How do the characters feel about the prompt or topic? What are they saying? Practice using the prompt or topic to answer questions about the content.

**Skills**

Practice using the skills to solve problems or complete tasks. For example, if you are solving a math problem, you could say:

- I need to add 2 and 3.
- I need to subtract 5 from 10.
- I need to multiply 4 and 5.
- I need to divide 20 by 4.

**Vocabulary**

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- I like to go to the gym.
- I like to read books.
- I like to listen to music.

**Self check 2: Grammar**

**Across**

1. Come
2. Bring
3. Phone
4. Don't forget

**Down**

1. a
2. b
3. c
4. d
5. e
6. f
7. g
8. h

**Writing**

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**Unit 3**

**READING Home school**
1. corridor 3 library 4 computer room 5 gym 6 stairs
2. playing field 8 staff room
3. travel to school 3 prepare lessons 4 discuss problems
5. make friends 6 stay for a night
4. 1 d 2 a 3 e 4 b 5 c
5. 1 HS 2 both 3 HS 4 NS 5 NS 6 HS

**VOCABULARY School of the air**
1. subjects 3 take place 4 post 5 population 6 annual
7. lonely 8 chat 9 library 10 travel 11 borrow
12. on their / its own 13 isolated 14 revise 15 discuss
2. corridor 3 staff room 4 canteen 5 stairs 6 gym
7. playing fields 8 hall
3. down 3 away 4 off 5 apart 6 out
4. whisper 3 interview 4 argue 5 discuss 6 shout
7. announce

**GRAMMAR there is / there are**
1. There aren’t 3 There isn’t 4 There aren’t 5 There aren’t
6. There isn’t 7 There isn’t 8 There aren’t
2. 1 bikes 2 CDs 3 dogs 4 pencils 5 book 6 girls
7. cars 8 computer
3. 1 are there 2 are there 3 are there 4 are there
5. There are one book.
4. Students’ own pictures.
5. 2 Are there any children in the classroom? No, there aren’t.
3. Are there any books on the shelves? Yes, there are.
4. Are there any plants near the window? No, there aren’t.
5. Are there any posters on the wall? Yes, there are.
6. Is there a pen on the desk? No, there isn’t.
7. Is there a noticeboard on the wall? Yes, there is.
8. Is there a computer in the classroom? Yes, there is.

**SKILLS Talking about school**
1. Students’ own timetables.
2. Students’ own answers.
3. 2 It’s ten past ten. 6 It’s quarter past nine.
4. It’s half past three. 7 It’s five to twelve.
5. It’s twenty-five past seven. 8 It’s half past four.
6. It’s quarter to one.
4. 2 CD player 3 shelves 4 board 5 desk 6 cupboard
7. clock
8. (Possible answers)
9. 2 It’s on the desk. 5 It’s in front of the board.
10. 3 It’s near / next to the board. 6 It’s under the desk.

**GRAMMAR have to**
1. 2 have to 3 don’t have to 4 doesn’t have to 5 have to
6. don’t have to
2. 2 He doesn’t have to wear a school uniform.
3. He has to carry some books to school.
4. He doesn’t have to walk to school.
5. He has to study chemistry.
6. He has to walk home.
3. 2 Do you have to get up 6 Do you have to do
3. Do you have wear 7 Do you have study
4. Do you have to tidy 8 Do you have to come
5. Do you have to walk (Students’ own answers.)
4. 2 We don’t have to use computers at school.
3. We have to play basketball in P.E. lessons.
4. Do you have to get up early?
5. We have to listen to the teacher.
6. Does John have to work hard at school?
7. They don’t have to take exams every year.

**WRITING A note**
1. We, geography 3 I, school 4 Tom, UK
5. Monday, February 6 Where’s, The
**Unit 4**

**READING** Playing the clown

1. meal 3 wedding 4 picnic 5 invitation 6 party
2. parties 3 clothes 4 never 5 enjoy 6 boring 7 think
3. F 2 T 3 4 F 5 T 6 F
4. 1 outside 2 use a room 3 after John 4 students 5 enjoys

**VOCABULARY** Holiday planner

1. c 3 a 4 c 5 c 6 a 7 b 8 a 9 b 10 c 11 c
2. F 2 T 3 4 F 5 T 6 F
3. c 3 a 4 c 5 6 a 15 b
4. c 3 a 4 c 5 6 a 15 b

**GRAMMAR** Present continuous

1. F 2 T 3 4 F 5 F
2. F 2 T 3 4 F 5 F
3. F 2 T 3 4 F 5 F
4. F 2 T 3 4 F 5 F
5. c 3 a 4 c 5 6 a 6 c

**SKILLS** Describing clothes

1. top 2 dress 3 jeans 4 cap 5 jacket 6 trousers
2. blouse 8 shirt 9 skirt 10 boots 11 shorts 12 tie
3. T-shirt 14 shoes 15 jumper 16 sweatshirt

**GRAMMAR** can and adverbs

1. 2 Sue can drive a car, but she can't ride a bike.
2. Tom can't speak French and he can't play volleyball.
3. Mike and Tom can ride a bike, but Sue can't.
4. Mike, Sue and Tom can drive a car.
2. Students' own answers.
3. Can you play a sport? 5 Can you stand on your head?
4. Can you ride a bike? 6 Can you swim 100 metres?
5. Can you speak French? 7 Can you use a computer?
6. early 3 hard 4 quickly 5 carefully 6 easily
7. beautifully 8 fluently

**WRITING** An invitation

1. theme park 3 wedding anniversary 4 sightseeing
2. museum 3 invite 4 soon 5 Hi 6 organizing
3. 2 Can you bring some food, please?
Workbook answer key

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Unit 5

Reading: Crocodiles

1. eagle 2. mosquito 3. snake 4. jellyfish 5. hippo 6. lion
7. mosquito 8. shark 9. snake 10. tiger 11. whale
18. jellyfish 19. eagle 20. bear 21. lion
22. kill 23. long 24. heavy 25. aggressive 26. run 27. bite
28. hundreds 29. about 20 centimetres 30. over six metres
31. about 1,000 kilograms 32. 50 to 80 years
33. near rivers and in the sea 34. Yes, they can.

Vocabulary: The world's deadliest animals

1. tentacles 2. kill 3. mud 4. bad-tempered 5. aggressive
13. continuously 14. sprinters 15. sadly
16. well known 17. good-looking 18. badly written
19. second-hand 20. hard-working 21. left-handed 22. first-class
23. friendly 24. washable 25. enjoyable 26. 5 cloudy 27. lively
28. rainy 29. helpful
30. lively 31. cloudly 32. painful 33. enjoyable 34. helpful
35. rainy 36. friendly 37. washable

Grammar: Comparative adjectives

6. wider 7. quieter 8. uglier 9. more dangerous 10. higher
11. more important 12. earlier 13. bigger
14. Harry 15. is more intelligent than Susan.
16. My sister 17. is nicer than my brother.
18. My mum's car 19. is bigger than my dad's car.
20. Mark 21. is friendlier than Peter.
22. Your exam results 23. are worse than my exam results.
24. Football 25. is more exciting than tennis.
26. Mars 27. is further from the sun than the Earth.
28. The Bullet 29. is more expensive than the Arrow.
30. The Arrow 31. is heavier than the Bullet.
32. The Arrow 33. is longer than the Bullet.

Skills: Our world

1. lake, sea, ocean, island, valley, mountains, waterfall, desert, rainforest, river, hill
10. the 11. 4 12. the 13. 6 14. the 15. 7 16. 8

Challenge!

1. Lake Superior – North America
2. The Amazon Rainforest – South America
3. The Mediterranean Sea – Europe
4. Mount Everest – Asia
5. The River Nile – Africa
6. The Arabian Desert – Asia
7. Lake Victoria – Africa
8. Mount Sinai – Africa

Grammar: Superlative adjectives

1. the worst 2. the highest 3. the heaviest 4. the most famous 5. the largest
6. the most expensive 7. the latest 8. the ugliest
9. the most dangerous 10. the coldest 11. the biggest
12. the most intelligent 13. the hottest 14. the most famous
15. the noisiest

Challenge!

Students' own answers.

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**Unit 6**

**READING  A postman flies home**

1. then 3 after that 4 a few moments later 5 later that day 6 in the end
2. went to 3 ordered 4 watched 5 parked
3. decided 3 noticed 4 arrived 5 phoned 6 shouted 7 asked

**Grammar Past simple: affirmative (regular verbs)**

1. -ed: walked
   -d: cycled, decided
   -ied: hurried, replied
   double consonant and add -ed chat, stopped
2. arrived 3 watched 4 jogged 5 studied 6 visited
3. f a 4 e 5 c 6 b
4. 2 months 3 week 4 morning 5 ago 6 yesterday
5. 7 last
6. 2 I played basketball last weekend.
7. 3 I cycled to the sports centre last night.
8. 4 I listened to the news yesterday morning.
9. 5 My dad cooked dinner yesterday.
10. 6 Steve phoned his cousin on Saturday evening.
11. 7 It rained a lot in Manchester last month.
12. 8 The bus stopped at the end of our road two minutes ago.

**Vocabulary A flying visit to the park**

1. b 3 b 4 b 5 c 6 a 7 a 8 a 9 c 10 b 11 a
2. 12 a 13 c 14 b 15 c
3. 2 Then / Next 3 As soon as / When 4 Then / Next 5 Finally
4. 6 Later
5. 1 i in 2 at, on 3 by, on 4 on, at 5 for, in 6 at / by, on

**Grammar Past simple:**

1. Were 2 wasn't 3 Were 4 was 5 Were 6 weren't 7 were 8 Was 9 was
2. (Students' own answers.)
3. Where were you at half past three yesterday afternoon?
4. Where were you at nine o'clock on Friday night?
5. Where were you at half past eleven yesterday morning?
6. Where were you at eleven o'clock on Saturday morning?
7. Where were you at eight o'clock this morning?
8. Where were you at eight o'clock this morning?
9. was 2 were 3 was 4 was 5 were 6 was 7 was 8 were
10. 2 He could drink water.
11. He could sleep.
12. He couldn't talk to his family.
13. He couldn't talk to his family.
14. He couldn't walk.
15. He could stand up.
16. Could he drink water while he was in the box? Yes, he could.
17. Could he sleep while he was in the box? Yes, he could.
18. Could he stand up while he was in the box? Yes, he could.
19. Where were you at half past three yesterday afternoon?
20. Where were you at nine o'clock on Friday night?

**Skills In town**

1. bus station, j 2 car park, a 3 library, b 4 museum, g
2. park, c 6 post office, h 7 police station, d
3. railway station, f 9 tourist information office, i 10 town hall, e
4. go 3 a car 4 visit 5 a pizza 6 have 7 a park
5. pay for 9 a friend 10 take

**Self check 1: Grammar**

1. Where were you at half past three yesterday afternoon?
2. Where were you at nine o'clock on Friday night?
3. Where were you at half past eleven yesterday morning?
4. Where were you at eleven o'clock on Saturday morning?
5. Where were you at eight o'clock this morning?
6. Where were you at eight o'clock this morning?
7. was 2 were 3 was 4 was 5 were 6 was 7 was 8 couldn't
8. 1 -ed 2 most 3 -d 4 -e 5 consonant 6 -ied
9. vowel 8 double
10. 1 hurried 2 jogged 3 walked 4 stayed 5 arrived
11. 6 returned 7 lived 8 cycled
12. 5 1 watched 2 played 3 studied 4 visited 5 listened
16. 6 parked, walked 7 chatted

**Self check 6: Vocabulary**

1. Across 2 penknife
   1 penknife 2 film
   3 before 4 message
   5 could 6 couldn't
   7 speak 8 library
   9 park 10 stopped
   11 tree 12 helmet
   13 park 14 land
   15 metre 16 soon

**Writing A phone message**

1. 2 You can pick it up tomorrow.
2. The library is open from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.
3. He's going to the football match tonight.
4. He wants you to go with him.
5. The match starts at 8 p.m.
6. Can you call him on his mobile?
7. 1 on 2 from 3 to 4 at 5 at 6 on
8. Important information: this is Lisa, I'm meeting Anna this afternoon, I'm going to be late, at the library, at half past three, phone me on my mobile, 07428 6986

4. Students' own messages.

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**Unit 7**

**READING**  Alexander Fleming

1. born 2. worked 3. moved 4. died 5. was 6. studied 7. invented 8. became
2. a  b  c  d  e  f  g  h  i
3. d  a  e  c  b  a  g  h  i

**VOCABULARY**  A great scientist

2. degree 3. go 4. lectures 5. take 6. notes 7. lecturers 8. research 9. Professor 10. graduate

**GRAMMAR**  Past simple: affirmative (irregular verbs)

4. Jason read books in bed.
5. I sent a lot of emails at the weekend.
6. My mum made my bed.
7. My parents got up early.
8. yesterday evening 3. yesterday afternoon 4. the day before yesterday 5. last week 6. last month 7. two months ago 8. last year 9. three years ago

**SKILLS**  On the map

3. My penfriend is French.
4. This radio is Chinese.
5. Selin is Turkish.
6. We're Egyptian.
7. Our English teacher is Australian.
8. This pasta is Italian.
9. That car is American.
10. I housework 2. friends 3. a phone call 4. a dream
11. lunch 6. a bus 7. a photo

**GRAMMAR**  Past simple: negative and interrogative

1. Students' own answers.
2. Did Celia watch TV? Yes, she did.
3. Did Fred and John play computer games? Yes, they did.
5. Did Celia do any housework? Yes, she did.
6. Did Fred and John take any photos? No, they didn't.
7. Did Andy go for a ride on his bike? Yes, he did.
8. Did Celia play computer games? No, she didn't.
3. You didn't leave home at two o'clock. When did you leave home?
4. Sam and Ed didn't take the bus to town. How did Sam and Ed go to town?
5. Kate didn't spend £100. How much did Kate spend?
6. You didn't buy a radio. What did you buy?
7. Harry's team didn't win five matches last year. How many matches did Harry's team win?
8. didn't 3. wanted 4. wasn't 5. did you do 6. went 7. Was 8. didn't see 9. took 10. didn't arrive

**WRITING**  An email message

5. for 2. On 3. with 4. On 5. in 6. on 7. in 8. to 9. at
6. Students' own emails.

**Self check 2: Grammar**

1. I won 2. paid 3. spoke 4. fought 5. sold 6. ran 7. gave 8. came
2. I went 2. bought 3. had 4. ate 5. gave 6. met
3. I did they meet 2. did Jane go 3. did Tom eat 4. did he listen to the news 5. did they travel to Italy 6. did Mike buy
4. I No, we didn't go shopping yesterday. We watched TV at home.
5. No, he didn't see his friends at the weekend. He visited his uncle and aunt.
6. No, Sara didn't study for her exams. She played chess.
7. No, they didn't have fried eggs for breakfast. They ate toast for breakfast.
8. No, Tom didn't make a phone call last night. He sent an email.
9. No, their parents didn't fly to Rome. They drove to Paris.
10. Students' own answers.

**Self check 7: Vocabulary**

1. Across 2. Down
3. knew 1. lecturer
4. laboratory 2. government
5. court 6. move
6. moved 7. a phone call
7. listen to the news
8. gave
9. a phone call
10. did they meet
11. extremely 9. Yemeni
12. taught 10. spent
13. gave 11. extremely
14. won 12. Chinese
15. bought 13. taught
16. visited 14. Turkish
17. wrote 15. have
18. went 16. took
19. sent 17. saw
20. came 18. won

**Students’ own answers.**

**Self check 7: Vocabulary**
Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with an expression using the word in brackets.

1. Peter never stops working at lunchtime. (break)
   Peter never ________ a __________ at lunchtime.
2. My mother washes the clothes on Mondays. (washing)
   My mother ________ the __________ on Mondays.
3. I am very similar to my sister. (look)
   I ________ my sister.
4. I usually finish my exercises before dinner. (homework)
   I usually ________ my __________ before dinner.
5. You're going to be late if you don't hurry up. (move)
   You're going to be late if you don't ________ a __________ on.
6. Our nieces and nephews are very noisy. (noise)
   Our nieces and nephews ________ a lot of __________.
7. David often stays with his friends after football practice. (hang)
   David often ________ with his friends after football practice.
8. Do you always celebrate with your family? (celebration)
   Do you always ________ a __________ with your family?
9. Be careful! We're going to crash! (look)
   ________! We're going to crash!
10. If we get lost, we can call our friends. (phone call)
    If we get lost, we can ________ a __________ ________ to our friends.

2 Read the text.

Jane gets ________ well with her sister's children, so she sometimes looks ________ them when her sister goes to work. Jane gets ________ at about 7.30 and she ________ a shower before she wakes up the children. The younger children ________ her a hand to make breakfast while the older children ________ the beds. After breakfast Jane helps them look ________ their uniforms. At this time in the morning they ________ ________ Jane crazy because they spend ________ getting dressed. When they're ready, Jane takes them to school. On the way home she ________ the shopping, so that she can cook a nice meal for the children when they come home from school.

Marks: __ /10

Reading

3 Read the text and choose the correct answers.

The twin town of Kodinho

In the south of India there is a village with a mystery. More twins are born in Kodinho, in the state of Kerala, than anywhere else in the world. Doctors really don't know why although they probably have some ideas. The country with the biggest number of twins is Nigeria. In general, Asia is the continent with the lowest number of twins – only 4 sets per 1,000 babies. China has one of the lowest numbers with 1 birth in 300 being multiple. Yet in Kodinhu 45 sets of twins are born per 1,000 babies, which is nearly six times the global average. At the last count there were 220 sets of twins among Kodinhu's 2,000 families.

In the village there is a special association called TAKA for families with twins. This association aims to help parents with twins because it is very expensive to have two children at the same time.

1. Kodinho has the highest number of . . . in the world.
   a] twins  b] children  c] doctors

2. Doctors . . . the twin mystery.
   a] understand  b] don't understand  c] can't stand

3. Compared to the rest of the world there are . . . twin births in Asia.
   a] more  b] fewer  c] as many

4. . . . twins are born in Kodinhu than anywhere else in the world.
   a] Six times more  b] Four times more  c] Fewer

5. The association for twins, TAKA, exists . . .
   a] in all of India  b] in all of Kerala.  c] only in Kodinho.

Marks: __ /5

4 Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

1. What is the mystery of the village of Kodinho?

2. How many sets of twins are born on average in Asia?

3. How many sets of twins are born in Kodinhu?

4. Which families can be members of TAKA?

5. Why does TAKA help parents with twins?

Marks: __ /15
Grammar

5 Find the mistake in each line. Write the correction below.

1 We live in a new town outside Cairo. We not have
2 a very big house, but I like very much it. I've got
3 one brother and three sisters. My sisters all goes
4 to school, but my brother has 20 years old,
5 so he don't go to school any more. He's a student
6 and he studies medicine at university to Alexandria.
7 My brother comes home often to visit us. He
8 travels on train, so it takes him about three hours.
9 My parents is always very happy. My mother
10 makes a dinner special and we have a celebration.

6 Rewrite the affirmative sentences in the negative, and the negative sentences in the affirmative using the words given.

1 I get on well with my sister. (my brother)
2 Keira doesn't do her homework in class. (at home).
3 We don't have a break in the morning. (in the afternoon)
4 Tom hangs around with his friends. (his cousins)
5 My parents don't have lunch at home. (at work)
6 Jack hasn't got a daughter. (a son)
7 My niece doesn't get up early. (late)
8 We've got a shower. (bath)
9 You look like your father. (your mother)
10 Sarah helps her mother with the shopping. (with the washing)

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Alex Hello, I'm Alex.
Tom Hi, I'm Tom. Are you new?
Alex Yes, I 1 _________. We're in the 2 _________ class.
Tom Oh, nice to 3 ________ you. Where's your house?
Alex I 4 ________ near the school. What about you?
Tom Me, too. What are your hobbies?
Alex Well, I play football and I 5 ________ swimming at the weekend. Do you like sport?
Tom Not really. I like 6 ________ computer games and 7 ________ TV.
Alex Have you got any brothers or 8 ________?
Tom Yes, I've 9 ________ one brother. But he's three years old so he 10 ________ go to school.

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1
A How many brothers and sisters have you got?
B 1 __________________________
   His name's Tony. He's 15.
A What does he do?
B 2 __________________________
   He goes to the same school as me.

Dialogue 2
A 3 __________________________?
B Laila's one of my friends.
A 4 __________________________?
B She's 16.
A 5 __________________________?
B She lives next door.

Writing

9 Write an informal letter to a penfriend. Write about 70 words and organize your writing into three paragraphs:
   • write about yourself
   • write about your family
   • write about your school

Marks: __ /20
TOTAL: __ /100
**Vocabulary**

1. Complete the sentences, replacing the underlined words with a suitable word or expression.

   1. My favourite hobby is riding a bike.
      My favourite hobby is _________.
   2. It’s not safe to swim in the sea today.
      It’s _________ to swim in the sea today.
   3. Those boys often use physical force together.
      Those boys often _________ together.
   4. It’s very difficult to become a professional athlete.
      It’s very _________ to become a professional athlete.
   5. Soldiers walk in regular steps when they go from one place to another.
      Soldiers _________ when they go from one place to another.
   6. They looked at the list of days and months before planning their holiday.
      They looked at the _________ before planning their holiday.
   7. It’s not typical for students to live away from home.
      It’s _________ for students to live away from home.
   8. I enjoy going for a relaxing run after work.
      I enjoy going _________ after work.
   9. Residents often go for a pleasant walk through the park at weekends.
      Residents _________ through the park at weekends.
   10. In football, you hit the ball with your foot into the net.
       In football, you _________ the ball into the net.

   **Marks: __ /10**

2. Complete the text.

   Being a basketball player isn’t _________ in fact it’s quite hard as you have to _________ a lot. A _________ day for a professional player starts early in the morning at the arena. The players begin with a warm up; first of all they _________ around the court slowly and then they _________ very fast from one end to the other. After that, they get close to the net and _________ shooting. Basketball players also need to develop mental strategies for dealing with their opponents, so, after a short _________ they get together again and watch DVDs of matches of other teams. They have to work out how to _________ as well as attack. The training _________ is much harder just before a match, but after a match the team has a _________ for two days.

   **Marks: __ /10**

**Reading**

3. Read the text and complete the sentences.

   **Made in Spain**

   Rafa Nadal is a professional Spanish tennis player. He has won six Grand Slam singles titles, and the 2008 Olympic gold medal in singles. Nadal became the World No. 1 in August 2008 after beating Roger Federer at Wimbledon in one of the best games ever played there. He subsequently lost this position to Federer again after the Swiss player’s triumph at the Madrid Masters in July 2009.

   One of Nadal’s uncles Toni Nadal, a former professional tennis player, introduced him to tennis when he was three years old. He has been coaching him ever since. His other uncle is a retired professional football player. Until Nadal was twelve he played tennis and football all the time. At this point his father made him choose between the two sports so that he would still have time for his school work. By the age of sixteen, Nadal was ranked in the world’s top 50 players.

   1. Rafa Nadal is from _________.
   2. _________ won the 2009 Madrid Masters.
   3. Nadal has been playing tennis since he was _________.
   4. _________ of Nadal’s relatives used to be professional sportsmen.
   5. Nadal stopped playing _________ when he was twelve.

   **Marks: __ /5**

4. Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

   1. What did Nadal win in the 2008 Olympic Games?
      _________
   2. How long was Nadal ranked Number 1 in the world?
      _________
   3. Who is Nadal’s coach?
      _________
   4. Why did Nadal give up playing football?
      _________
   5. What did Nadal achieve when he was sixteen?
      _________

   **Marks: __ /15**
Grammar

5 Write the questions.

1. ____________? Peter goes to school by bus.
2. ____________? Yes, I have. I've got five brothers and sisters.
3. ____________? We have lunch at one o'clock.
4. ____________? My sister likes news programmes.
5. ____________? Yes, she does. My teacher speaks perfect English.
6. ____________? I go swimming twice a week.
7. ____________? I play chess with my cousin.
8. ____________? Yes, they are. My dad's from Cairo and my mum's from Alexandria.
9. ____________? Gary plays football in the park.
10. ____________? My hobbies are rollerblading and ice skating.

6 Order the words to write sentences. Put the adverbs in brackets in the correct place.

1. my brother / do the washing-up / after / dinner (never)
2. we / not read a newspaper / at the weekend (often)
3. my cousins / be at my house / after school (always)
4. John / not read a book / when / he / be / in his room (usually)
5. they / be late for school / when / they / catch the bus? (sometimes)
6. Tina / not do her homework / before / she / go out (always)
7. we / be ill / during the summer holidays (hardly ever)
8. you / watch TV / before / you / go to bed? (usually)
9. gymnastics / not be easy / when / you / start (often)
10. my sisters and I / argue / when / my parents / be home (hardly ever)

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Edward Have you __________ a computer?
John Yes, I have.
Edward How __________ do you play computer __________?
John Well, I hardly __________ play during the week because I've got a lot of homework. But at weekends I have more __________ time and so I sometimes play in the morning.
Edward Do you __________ sport at the weekend?
John Yes, I do. I really __________ cycling, so every Saturday afternoon I meet some friends and we __________ cycling. I __________ like ice skating too but not as much, so we sometimes go to the ice rink.
Edward Do you play any team sports?
John No, I don't. I __________ like hockey and I'm not very good at basketball.

Marks: __/10

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1
A What do you think of swimming?
B __________
A How often do you go jogging?
B __________

Dialogue 2
A __________?
B In my free time I read.
A __________?
B I play hockey and tennis.
A __________?
B No, I don't. I hate football!

Marks: __/10

Writing

9 Imagine you have a computer club. Write an announcement for your club. Write about 70 words and include the following information:

• when you meet
• where you meet
• what you do every week
• what you do every month
• what your phone number and / or email address is

Marks: __/20
TOTAL: __/100
Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences, replacing the underlined words with a suitable verb.

1 Our geography teacher often speaks in a loud voice in class.
   Our geography teacher often ________ in class.
2 We never go on trips abroad.
   We never ________ abroad.
3 We tried to speak in a soft voice so that the teacher didn't hear us.
   We tried to ________ so that the teacher didn't hear us.
4 Maria has a conversation with her friends at lunch time.
   Maria ________ with her friends at lunch time.
5 The dentist is going to extract one of my teeth.
   The dentist is going to ________ one of my teeth.
6 They are going to make the winner known tomorrow.
   They are going to ________ the winner tomorrow.
7 We're practising because we have to get ready for the next basketball season.
   We're practising because we have to ________ for the next basketball season.
8 Steven's parents met his teacher to talk about his progress.
   Steven's parents met his teacher to ________ his progress.
9 I'm going to remove all the posters in my room.
   I'm going to ________ all the posters in my room.
10 For homework, we have to ask questions to our grandparents about their life in the past.
   For homework, we have to ________ our grandparents about their life in the past.

Marks: __ /10

2 Complete the text.

Richard isn't a very good student. His worst subject is ________ because he finds it hard to take ________ all the important dates from the past. He never goes to the ________ to study, and he doesn't often ________ books to read at home on his ________ either, unless, of course, they are about sport. Richard's favourite subject is ________ education. He usually wears sports clothes and he hardly ever takes his tracksuit ________. He loves playing football on the playing ________ outside and he often watches it on TV. After the game he sometimes calls a friend to ________ the match. However, Richard's best sport is athletics and he's busy training for the marathon that ________ place in his city every spring.

Marks: __ /10

Reading

3 Read the text and choose the correct answers.

A day in a Chinese boarding school

Students get up at six and have breakfast together at 7.10. The first class starts before eight, and lessons continue until the break at 9.40, when all the children do their morning exercises in the playground. Lessons continue after the break until lunchtime at 11.35. The students have a two-hour lunch break which many of them spend sleeping.

In the afternoon lessons start again at 1.30 and go on until 3.15 when the students stop to do compulsory eye exercises. Classes finish at 4.10 and then they have dinner. After dinner the students spend a few hours playing basketball, before going back to class at six for three hours of self study.

At the end of the day the students go back to their rooms at 9.30, and when the lights go out at 9.40 most of them go straight to sleep.

1 Before the first class, students . . .
   a play a game. b have a meal. c do their exercises.
2 The students do their morning exercises . . .
   a outside. b in the gym. c in their classroom.
3 After lunch, most of the students . . .
   a do sport. b do homework. c go to bed.
4 Lessons in the afternoon before the break last for . . .
   a nearly two hours. b two hours. c more that two hours.
5 Immediately after dinner, the students . . .
   a go to bed. b do sport. c study in their rooms.

Marks: __ /5

4 Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

1 What do the students have to do at 6 a.m.?

2 What time is the first break?

3 How long do they have for lunch?

4 What do the students have to do during the afternoon break?

5 How do the students spend their evenings?

Marks: __ /15
Grammar

5 Find the mistake in each line. Write the correction below.

1 There are an isolated island, 3,500 km west of Chile,  
   called Easter Island. Are between two and three    
   thousand people living there, but there not many jobs.  
2 There are farms, so most people work as farmers.  
3 Easter Island exports wool because there is a lot    
   of sheep. There are a farms, so most people work as farmers.  
4 There aren't a rivers. In the past it was covered with  
   palm trees, but now there isn't as many trees. Tourists  
5 visit Easter Island although there isn't any airport. It is  
   popular because there is some stone statues there.  

6 Complete the dialogues with the correct form of  
   have to and the verb in brackets.

1 Why is John still in bed? (go)  
   Because __________________ to work today.  
   He's on holiday.  
2 Can't you be quiet? (make)  
   ______________________ so much noise?  
3 Why is your father carrying a suitcase? (travel)  
   Because __________________-- to London on  
   business.  
4 Why are we walking so slowly? (hurry)  
   Because __________________-- We've got plenty  
   of time.  
5 Why is your sister in her room? (study)  
   Because __________________-- Her exams start  
   tomorrow.  
6 Can we stay in bed tomorrow morning? (get up)  
   __________________-- early tomorrow?  
7 Why aren't you going to Laura's barbecue? (look after)  
   Because __________________-- my little sister. My  
   parents are going out.  
8 Why can't Tony and Jim go to football practice? (do)  
   Because __________________-- their homework.  
9 Can Diana wear normal clothes to work? (put on)  
   __________________-- a uniform?  
10 Why are you looking so happy? (buy)  
   Because my phone is working again.  
   __________________-- a new one.

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Beth     What time __________ you have to get to school?
Anna    We have __________ be there at 8.30. Our first  
         __________ starts at 8.40.  
Beth      What __________ you got at 8.40 on Mondays?
Anna    Physics. I can't __________ it. It's really hard.  
Beth          What's your favourite __________?
Anna    PE. I __________ it. It's great.  
Beth         Is there __________ gym at your school?
Anna    Yes, there is, but there __________ any playing  
         fields, so we can't do sport outside. Do you like PE?  
Beth      It's not __________ But I prefer reading.

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1  
A What do you think of I.C.T.?  
B __________________--
   I can't stand computers.  
A Which subject do you like best?  
B D.T. __________________--
   I love it.

Dialogue 2  
A __________________--?  
B At half past two I've got maths.  
A __________________--?
   Yes, it's great! I love doing experiments.  
A __________________--?
   English. I love learning languages.

Writing

9 Imagine you are a student at the Australian School  
of the Air. Write a note about your daily timetable.  
Follow the plan. Write 80–100 words.

• introduce your school  
• write about the morning  
• write about lunch  
• write about the afternoon

Marks: __ /20  
TOTAL: __ /100
Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences, replacing the underlined words with a suitable word or expression.

1 My teacher is moving to a different country next year.
   My teacher is moving ________ next year.
2 I’ve just seen a very interesting documentary on TV.
   I’ve just seen a ________ documentary on TV.
3 What time did you reserve the table for?
   What time did you ________ the table for?
4 Karen has gone home to change her clothes for dinner.
   Karen has gone home to ________ ________ for dinner.
5 The hotel they stayed at cost a lot of money.
   They stayed at an ________ hotel.
6 We were still hungry after the meal. The food was awful.
   We were still hungry after the meal. The food was ________.
7 Our barbecue starts at 7 o’clock, so we don’t have long to prepare.
   Our barbecue starts at 7 o’clock, so we don’t have long to ________ ________.
8 I’m sorry you’re ill. I hope you feel better soon.
   I’m sorry you’re ill. I hope you ________ ________ soon.
9 We had a holiday worth remembering last year.
   We had a ________ holiday last year.
10 Time passes very quickly when you’re enjoying yourself.
   Time passes very ________ when you’re enjoying yourself.

Marks: __ /10

2 Complete the text.

My brother has decided to ________ a barbeque in the summer. It will be ________ of course, so hopefully the weather will be nice. Our parents are going to help us pay for the food and drink. He’s going to send ________ to 30 ________ and ask all of our family to come too so our house will be really _________. Our cousin lives ________ in France so he will have to take a ________ to get here. My brother will ________ it for him. The last time I saw him was a year ago! I’m going to buy some new ________ because my trousers are too formal. I really enjoy it when we all get ________!

Marks: __ /10

Reading

3 Read the text and complete the sentences.

**Have a football party!**

For teens who love football and food, this party idea is a celebration to remember. A football trainer can come directly to your back garden or meet you at a local playing field. The event is usually outdoors and you can still have a good time if it rains! Your guests will take part in some mini football competitions, play fun games and practise their football skills. Then they can take a break and have something to eat and drink before the mini match! We will prepare picnic food for everyone. At the end of the party all your guests will get a personalised certificate. Football parties are three and a half hours long so you’ll need to have lots of energy. The football trainers like having fun and are friendly. They will put a smile on your face. Please call us on 07733 445566 to book your football party to remember!

1 This party is especially for ________.
2 Guests don’t need to make any ________.
3 The ________ is the last activity.
4 The football trainers are ________.
5 The football trainers will give your guests a ________

Marks: __ /5

4 Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

1 Who will come to your party?

2 Where can you have your party?

3 What will your guests do at the party?

4 Why do you need to have lots of energy?

5 What can you do if you want to have a football party?

Marks: __ /15
Grammar

5 Complete the text with the correct present continuous form of the verbs in the box.

change do leave put on save sell rise try
turn off use

Saving energy

The price of electricity 1 __________ fast, so families all over the world 2 __________ to save energy. How 3 ________ they __________ this?

Well, first of all, many people 4 __________ all their light bulbs to energy saving bulbs. Shops in many countries 5 __________ the old bulbs any more.

Secondly, people 6 __________ their central heating as much, and they 7 __________ an extra jumper instead.

We spoke to a representative from the Energy Trust. How 8 ________ he __________ energy?

‘19 __________ all the lights in my house when no one is in the room. I 10 __________ them on any more because it’s just a waste of energy,’ he said.

6 Rewrite the sentences with can and an adverb.

1 My aunt is a good swimmer.

2 Those children are fast runners.

3 My friend is a quick worker.

4 You’re a beautiful writer.

5 I’m a fluent English speaker.

6 Harry’s writing is very clear.

7 It’s easy for her to solve the problem.

8 I know the correct spelling of most words.

9 My sister is a perfect cook.

10 The students are quiet workers.

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Daniel What do you usually 1 _______ at the weekend?

Charlie I spend most of the weekend in sports 2 _______ because I do a lot of sport. I wear a sweatshirt and 3 _______ bottoms if it’s cold or if it’s hot a T-shirt and 4 _______.

Daniel What sports do you play?

Charlie I can run very 5 _______, so I do athletics. I also play hockey quite 6 _______.

Daniel How about tennis?

Charlie No, I’m terrible at tennis. I play really 7 _______.

Daniel Why 8 ________ you wearing sports clothes now?

Charlie Because I 9 ________ going to school. Our school has a uniform so we 10 ________ wear what we like.

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1
A What colour is your new top?
B 1 _______. Dark green.

Dialogue 2
A Can you wear jeans to school?
B No, 2 _______.
A 3 _______?
B I usually wear a shirt and trousers to school.

Dialogue 3
A 4 _______?
B Tim, look, he’s got an orange jumper.

Dialogue 4
A 5 _______?
B Anna’s wearing a long purple dress and black boots.

Writing

9 Write an invitation to a basketball match. Write 40–60 words. Include this information:

- the event
- when it starts (time / day)
- the place
- a request

Marks: __ /10

TOTAL: __ /100
Vocabulary

1. Complete the sentences with an expression using the correct form of the word in brackets.

1. We couldn’t see the sun because it was so ________.
   (cloud)
2. Simon failed the exam because his essay was ________.
   (write)
3. Your brother is so popular because he’s very ________.
   (look)
4. Beth’s children are very ________, so she’s often exhausted at the end of the day.
   (live)
5. It rains ________ in winter in my country.
   (continue)
6. Nobody speaks to my uncle because he’s very ________.
   (temper)
7. Dave’s new white jacket isn’t ________, so he’ll have to be careful at dinner.
   (wash)
8. Your broken arm must be very ________.
   (pain)
9. My grandfather was successful because he was very ________.
   (work)
10. In general, boys are more ________ than girls.
    (aggression)

   Marks: ___ /10

2. Complete the text.

Madagascar is the fourth largest ________ in the world. It is in the Indian ________ off the south-eastern coast of ________. In the east there is an area of ________, but the jungle is disappearing because the trees are being cut down. This is causing the land to fall into the rivers and fill them with ________. In the north there is a range of ________, whose highest peak is Maromokotro. Madagascar is home to many unusual animals, including lemurs. These primates eat ________, like ants and beetles, but ________ many species are now extinct. Madagascar became ________ all over the world because of the animated films of the same name. These ________ are about a group of animals who escape from a zoo and visit the island.

   Marks: ___ /10

3. Read the text and choose the correct answers.

Australia: the island continent

The country of Australia is both the world’s smallest continent and the world’s biggest island. Its nearest neighbours are Indonesia about 4,000 km to the north, Papua New Guinea 150 km to the north-east and New Zealand about 2,000 km to the south-east. Much of the land is very dry and a large part of it is desert. These dry areas are known as the outback. Many animals are found in Australia that do not exist anywhere else in the world, for example marsupials like the kangaroo and the koala. Australia has the greatest number of reptiles of any country, with 755 species. Among these are some of the deadliest snakes in the world. Most of the population lives in the cities in the south east of the country, like Sydney, Melbourne and the capital, Canberra. Australians take a great interest in the environment and they think the greatest danger facing their country is climate change.

1. Australia is the largest . . . in the world.
   a. continent.  
   b. island.  
   c. country.
2. The nearest country to Australia is . . .
   a. New Zealand.  
   b. Indonesia.  
   c. Papua New Guinea.
3. Over 700 species of . . . live in Australia.
   a. snakes  
   b. reptiles  
   c. marsupials
4. The capital of Australia is . . .
   a. Sydney.  
   b. Melbourne.  
   c. Canberra.
5. Many Australians are interested in . . .
   a. ecology.  
   b. politics.  
   c. business.

   Marks: ___ /5

4. Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

1. Where is New Zealand in relation to Australia?

   __________

2. What do Australians call the dry area of their country?

   __________

3. Which countries other than Australia have kangaroos and koalas?

   __________

4. Where do most Australians live?

   __________

5. What are the people of Australia worried about?

   __________

   Marks: ___ /15
Grammar

5 Find the mistake in each line. Write the correction below.

Cheetahs versus leopards
1. Cheetahs and leopards are the more beautiful big cats, but how are they different? A cheetah’s spots are simplest that those of a leopard, and its head is smaller. In general, leopards are bigger than cheetahs and they are also most powerful because they do not run fast. A leopard’s teeth are stronger because they hunt often large animals.
2. Cheetahs have longer and thinner legs than leopards so they can run faster, and their tails are more flat so they keep their balance. Leopards are most slower than cheetahs. Cheetahs be the fastest animals in the world!

6 Complete the sentences with the opposite comparative or superlative adjectives.

1. Jordan is nearer Egypt than Turkey. Turkey is ___________ from Egypt than Jordan.
2. Monday is the worst day of the week. Saturday is ___________ day of the week.
3. Silver is cheaper than gold. Gold is ___________ than silver.
4. History is the most boring subject. Science is ___________ subject.
5. Chinese is more difficult than English. English is ___________ than Chinese.
6. Asia is the largest continent. Australia is ___________ continent.
7. Flying is the safest way to travel. Riding a motorbike is ___________ way to travel.
8. The country is quieter than the city. The city is ___________ than the country.
9. July is often the driest month of the year. April is often ___________ month of the year.
10. In my country winter is colder than summer. In my country summer is ___________ than winter.

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Harry Hi Stuart. Where’s your brother?
Stuart He’s in Santorini.
Harry 1. ________ is Santorini?
Stuart It’s one of the Greek 2. ________.
Harry Is it 3. ________ biggest one?
Stuart No. Crete is a lot 4. ________ than Santorini. In fact, Crete is the 5. ________ of all of them.
Harry So, is Santorini nice?
Stuart Yes, it is. It’s one of the 6. ________ beautiful islands. It looks like a postcard.
Harry Is Greece 7. ________ Europe or in Asia?
Stuart Europe, I think. Would you 8. ________ to go there?
Harry I don’t know. It’s a bit hot for me. It’s 9. ________ than Britain anyway.
Stuart That’s true. But at least the weather is 10. ________ reliable. I prefer to know it’s going to be sunny on holiday, don’t you?

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1
A Is the River Seine in Germany?
B No, it isn’t.
A Are the Himalayas in Europe?
B No, they aren’t.

Dialogue 2
A 1. ___________?
B The Canary Islands are in the Atlantic Ocean.
A 4. ___________?
B Lake Titicaca is in South America.
A 5. ___________?
B The Indian Ocean is between Africa and Australia.

Writing

9 Imagine you are in a different city for the weekend. Write a postcard to a friend. Write 50–70 words. Include this information:

• the city
• the weather
• the accommodation
• the picture
• your activities

Marks: __/10

TOTAL: __/100
Vocabulary

1. Complete the sentences with an expression using the word in brackets.

1. You don't have to hurry. You can _______ _______ _______. (time)
2. There was nobody there. I was _______ _______ _______. (own)
3. We can buy everything from the same shop if we go to a _______ _______. (store)
4. I've had a terrible morning. _______ _______ _______. (first)
5. It’s a beautiful day. Why don’t we _______ _______ _______? (walk)
6. My little brother can be very annoying _______ _______. (at)
7. These dresses aren't made in a factory. They're made _______ _______. (hand)
8. They haven't got bikes, so they go to school _______ _______. (foot)
9. I didn't finish the exam because I _______ _______. (ran)
10. When my handbag was stolen, we went to the _______ _______ to report the crime. (police)

Marks: __ /10

2. Complete the text.

The summer holidays are an ideal time to take up a new sport, whether you're _______ holiday _______ the seaside or _______ the mountains. As _______ you arrive at your holiday destination, go to the _______ information office and find out what activities are available. Don’t _______ time, or all the places may be taken by the time you get around to booking. Most activity courses start early _______ the morning, so make sure you arrive _______ time. If you go _______ car, your first job will be finding a safe place to leave it. After _______ you can go off and enjoy an unforgettable experience, be it kite surfing or mountain biking, jet skiing or hang gliding.

Marks: __ /10

Reading

3. Read the text and complete the sentences.

Zorbing

Zorbing is the latest very popular adventure activity to come out of New Zealand. The sport involves rolling down a hill in a large inflatable ball called a zorb. The zorb is made up of two different balls, both made of flexible plastic. The outer ball is about three metres in diameter, and the inner ball is about 60 cm smaller. They are connected by hundreds of different cords. The air between the two balls absorbs the shock of the ball hitting the ground as the riders roll downhill.

There are two types of zorbing rides: dry and wet. On a dry ride, the rider wears a harness inside the zorb whereas on a wet ride, there is no harness. Instead warm or cold water – depending on the weather – is added to the zorb. The wet ride experience is compared to being a pair of socks in a washing machine.

1. Zorbing was invented in _______.
2. Zorbs are made of _______.
3. The balls are connected by _______.
4. On a dry ride, riders have to wear a _______.
5. Riders say the wet ride is like being in a _______.

Marks: __ /5

4. Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

1. What is a zorb?

2. How many balls make up a zorb?

3. How big is the inner ball?

4. Why don't the riders get hurt?

5. What are the different types of rides?

Marks: __ /15
Grammar

5 Find the mistake in each line. Write the correction below.

1 The American Thomas Nuttal were a famous nineteenth century botanist. However, his expeditions wasn’t very successful because he can never find his way back to camp. His colleagues often help him by lighting torches to show him the way. One night, his colleagues could find him, and so a group of men start looking for him. Unfortunately, Nuttal decided that the men are probably Indians and so he tried to escape. The men stopped looking for him three days later, when he accidentally walked back into the camp.

6 Complete the mini dialogues with the affirmative or negative past simple form of the verb in brackets.

1 Why was Tania late for work?
   Because she [missed] the bus. (miss)

2 Why did Ben get out of bed?
   Because he [heard] a noise. (can / hear)

3 Why didn't we win the match?
   Because we [did not win] very good. (be)

4 Why was your barbecue successful?
   Because I [planned] it well. (plan)

5 Why didn't Jack and Dan go to school yesterday?
   Because they [were] ill. (be)

6 Why did your grandparents move house?
   Because they [lived] too far away from us. (live)

7 Why did your father leave his job?
   Because he [was] happy. (be)

8 Why can't your aunt and uncle speak English?
   Because they [studied] French at school. (study)

9 Why was your teacher angry with you?
   Because I [was] rude to him. (be)

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Beth Hi. Sorry, I'm late.
Sophie We have to hurry. The bookshop closes [6] ________ five minutes.
Beth [7] ______ is the bookshop?
Sophie It's not far.
Beth Is it the one opposite the [8] ________ office?
Sophie No, it's the one [9] ________ to the museum.
Beth We're late. Let's go shopping instead.

Marks: __ /10

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1
A Where were you last night?
   B [1] ________
   We watched the football on TV.

A Where was David yesterday morning?
   He played football there with some friends.

Dialogue 2
   B The museum is opposite the railway station.

Dialogue 3
   B My parents were at the mall last night.

Dialogue 4
   B Holly could read when she was four.

Marks: __ /10

Writing

9 Imagine you are staying at your cousin's house in the UK, but your cousin isn't at home. A friend phones about a tennis match. Write a message to your cousin. Write 30–50 words and include the following information:

• who called
• where are they
• what is the message
• what is the caller's number

Marks: __ /20

TOTAL: __ /100
Vocabulary

1. Complete the sentences with an expression using the word in brackets.

1. The surgeon was exhausted when he left the ________ _________. (theatre)
2. Teachers are the best people to ________ ________ to students on their future career. (give)
3. Stephen Hawking ________ ________ 1942. (born)
4. Most brokers are based at the ________ _________. (stock)
5. That lecturer speaks so fast that it's impossible to ________ _________. (notes)
6. John is staying on at university to ________ ________ black holes. (research)
7. Isabel's grandmother ________ ________ old age when she was 102. (died)
8. To be a secretary you have to ________ ________ in typing. (course)
9. Can I borrow your notes? I didn't ________ yesterday. (lecture)
10. My sister wasn't ready, so I ________ by the front door. (waited)

Marks: __ /10

2. Complete the text.

Sir Isaac Newton ________ born on 4th January 1643 in a small village in Lincolnshire. When he was 18, he ________ to Cambridge University, initially to ________ a degree in Law. However, he soon became interested in other subjects like Mathematics and Physics and he spent a lot of time in the university ________ doing experiments with light. He graduated in 1665, but he stayed ________ the university because of his research. Five years later, he started teaching as a university ________ and he ________ lectures on optics. In 1696 he moved ________ London. Newton died ________ 20th March 1727. He was a very intelligent man and lots of modern scientists say he was a ________.

Marks: __ /10

Reading

3. Read the text and choose the correct answers.

Adunis

Ali Ahmad Said Asbar, also known as Adunis, is a Syrian writer who has made his career largely in Lebanon and France. He has written more than twenty books. From an early age he worked in the fields, but his father also made him memorize words. Soon he began to write and in 1947 he won a scholarship to go to a school in Latakia, the city of his birth. Later he won another scholarship so he could study philosophy at the Syrian University in Damascus. In 1956 he moved to Beirut, Lebanon, where he founded a magazine with a colleague. From 1970 to 1985 Adunis was professor of Arabic literature at the University of Lebanon. In 1980 he emigrated to France and became professor of Arabic at the Sorbonne in Paris for a year. Many literary experts would like to see Adunis win the Nobel Prize in Literature.

1. Ali Ahmad Said Asbar was born in . . .
   a. France.  b. Syria.  c. the Lebanon.
2. As a child, Said had to . . .
   a. stay at home.  b. go to school.  c. help on the farm.
3. Said's parents didn't have to . . .
   a. pay for his education.  b. work very hard.  c. get up early.
4. Said was Professor of Arabic at a . . . university.
5. In his life Said has won . . .
   a. a competition.  b. a Nobel prize.  c. several scholarships.

Marks: __ /5

4. Read the text again and answer the questions with a complete sentence.

1. Where is Said most famous?
   __________________________________________________________
2. What degree did he take?
   __________________________________________________________
3. What did he do in Beirut in 1956?
   __________________________________________________________
4. What did he lecture on at the University of Lebanon?
   __________________________________________________________
5. Where did he emigrate to in 1980?
   __________________________________________________________

Marks: __ /15
Grammar

5 Complete the text with the correct past simple form of the verbs in the box.

do find give go leave plan see think win write

Few people know that Alexander Fleming 1 _________ his discovery of penicillin in 1928. So, how 2 _________ he 3 _________ it? Well, when he 4 _________ on holiday that year, he 5 _________ the bacteria he was investigating in some dishes in the corner of his laboratory. On his return, he 6 _________ a green substance in one of the dishes. He 7 _________ more research into the substance and later 8 _________ it the name 'penicillin'. He 9 _________ about it in a medical journal, but at first scientists 9 _________ it could be used to cure patients. However, with the help of the chemists Howard Florey and Ernst Chain the drug was soon being mass produced. In 1945 the three men 10 _________ the Nobel Prize in Medicine.

Marks: __ /10

6 Write past simple questions and answer them with the words given.

1 what / you / take to the barbecue? (a salad)

2 what time / your parents / come home (at midnight)

3 what / you / do last night? (homework)

4 who / your friends / fly with? (Spanair)

5 where / Susan / go on holiday? (to Turkey)

6 when / you / meet your best friend? (five years ago)

7 who / the students / see at the park (their teacher)

8 how much money / Harry / spend on holiday? (£500)

9 where / Mark / buy his dictionary (a bookshop)

10 what / your mother / make for dinner? (a curry)

Marks: __ /10

Language skills

7 Complete the dialogue.

Rob   Hi, Nick. How 1 _________ your weekend?

Nick Terrible. I 2 _________ enjoy it at all.

Rob  Why? What did you 3 _________?

Nick We 4 _________ camping. We 5 _________ home on Friday evening at about six, but there 6 _________ a lot of cars. We didn't 7 _________ to the campsite until midnight.

Rob How 8 _________ you put up the tent?

Nick We didn't. We slept in the car.

Rob What about the rest of the weekend?

Nick We put up the tent the next morning, and then it 9 _________ to rain. We 10 _________ all weekend inside the tent waiting for the rain to stop. I'm never going camping again!

Marks: __ /10

8 Complete the mini-dialogues.

Dialogue 1
A Where was Dostoyevsky from?
B 1 _________

He was born in Moscow.

A What language did Shakespeare speak?
B 2 _________

He lived in Stratford and London.

Dialogue 2
A 3 _________?
B I was born in Madrid, Spain.
A 4 _________?

Dialogue 3
A 5 _________?
B Yes, I did my homework last night.

Marks: __ /10

Writing

9 Write an email to a friend to describe your last holiday. Write 90–110 words and include the following information:

• where you went
• who you went with
• what you did

Marks: __ /20

TOTAL: __ /100
Test answer key

Test Unit 1
Exercise 1
1 has a break  2 does the washing  3 look like
4 do my homework  5 get a move on  6 make a lot of noise
7 hangs around  8 have a celebration  9 Look out!
10 make a phone call
Exercise 2
1 on 2 after 3 up 4 has 5 give 6 make 7 for 8 drive
9 ages 10 does
Exercise 3
1 a 2 b 3 b 4 a 5 c
Exercise 4
1 More twins are born in Kodinho that anywhere else in the world.
2 In Asia there are 4 sets of twins per 1,000 babies.
3 In Kodinho there are 45 sets of twins per 1,000 babies.
4 Families with twins in Kodinho can be members of TAKA.
5 TAKA helps them because it is very expensive to have two children
at the same time.
Exercise 5
1 don't have 2 like it very much 3 all go 4 brother is 20
5 doesn't go 6 in Alexandria 7 often comes home 8 by train
9 My parents are 10 a special dinner
Exercise 6
1 I don't get on well with my brother.
2 Keira does her homework at home.
3 We have a break in the afternoon.
4 Tom doesn't hang around with his cousins.
5 My parents have lunch at work.
6 Jack's got a son.
7 My niece gets up late.
8 We haven't got a bath.
9 You don't look like your mother.
10 Sarah doesn't help her mother with the washing.
Exercise 7
1 am 2 same 3 meet 4 live 5 go 6 playing 7 watching
8 sisters 9 got 10 doesn't
Exercise 8
1 I've got one brother.
2 He's a student.
3 Who's Laila?
4 How old is she?
5 Where does she live?
Exercise 9
Students' own answers.

Test Unit 2
Exercise 1
1 cycling 2 dangerous 3 fight 4 hard 5 march 6 calendar
7 unusual 8 jogging 9 stroll 10 kick
Exercise 2
1 easy 2 train 3 typical 4 jog 5 sprint 6 practise
7 break 8 defend 9 routine 10 rest
Exercise 3
1 Spain 2 Roger Federer 3 three 4 Two 5 football
Exercise 4
1 He won a gold medal.
2 He was ranked number 1 for 11 months.
3 Nadal's coach is his uncle, Toni Nadal.
4 He gave up football to have time for his school work.
5 He became one of the top 50 tennis players in the world.
Exercise 5
1 How does Peter go to school?
2 Have you got any brothers and sisters?
3 When do you have lunch?
4 What programmes does your sister like?
5 Does your teacher speak English?
6 How often do you go swimming?
7 Who do you play chess with?
8 Are your parents Egyptian / from Egypt?
9 Where does Gary play football?
10 What are your hobbies?
Exercise 6
1 My brother never does the washing-up after dinner.
2 We don't often read a newspaper at the weekend.
3 My cousins are always at my house after school.
4 John doesn't usually read a book when he is in his room.
5 Are they sometimes late for school when they catch the bus?
6 Tina doesn't always do her homework before she goes out.
7 I'm hardly ever ill during the summer holidays.
8 Do you usually watch TV before you go to bed?
9 Gymnastics isn't often easy when you start.
10 My sisters and I hardly ever argue when my parents are home.
Exercise 7
1 got 2 often 3 games 4 ever 5 free 6 do 7 like 8 go
9 quite 10 don't
Exercise 8
1 I really like it / swimming.
2 I never go jogging.
3 What do you do in your free time?
4 What sports do you play / do?
5 Do you like / play football?
Exercise 9
Students' own answers.
Test Unit 3

Exercise 1
1 shush 2 travel 3 whisper 4 chats 5 take out
6 announce 7 prepare 8 discuss 9 take down 10 interview

Exercise 2
1 history 2 in 3 library 4 borrow 5 own 6 physical 7 off
8 field 9 discuss 10 takes

Exercise 3
1 b 2 a 3 c 4 a 5 b

Exercise 4
1 They have to get up at 6 a.m.
2 The first break is at 9.40.
3 They have two hours for lunch.
4 They have to do eye exercises.
5 They go back to class to do self study.

Exercise 5
1 There is 2 There are 3 there aren't 4 some farms
5 there are 6 There are 7 any rivers 8 there aren't
9 an airport 10 there are

Exercise 6
1 he doesn't have to go 6 Do we have to get up
2 Do you have to make 7 I have to look after
3 he has to travel 8 they have to do
4 we don't have to hurry 9 Does she have to put on
5 she has to study 10 I don't have to buy

Exercise 7
1 do 2 to 3 lesson 4 have 5 stand 6 subject 7 love
8 a 9 aren't 10 bad

Exercise 8
1 I hate it.
2 It's great.
3 What lesson have you got at half past two?
4 Do you like chemistry / science?
5 What's your favourite subject?

Exercise 9
Students' own answers.

Test Unit 4

Exercise 1
1 abroad 2 fascinating 3 book 4 get dressed 5 extravagant
6 terrible 7 get ready 8 get well 9 memorable 10 fast

Exercise 2
1 organize 2 outdoors 3 invitations 4 guests 5 crowded
6 abroad 7 flight 8 book 9 jeans 10 together

Exercise 3
1 teenagers 2 picnic food 3 mini match 4 friendly
5 personalised certificate

Exercise 4
1 A football trainer.
2 In your back garden or at a local playing field.
3 Take part in some mini football competitions, play fun games and
practise their football skills.
4 Because the parties are three and a half hours long.
5 You can call them on 07733 445566 to book your football party.

Exercise 5
1 is rising 2 are trying 3 are … doing 4 are changing
5 aren't selling 6 aren't using 7 are putting on 8 is … saving
9 am turning off 10 am not leaving

Exercise 6
1 My aunt can swim well.
2 Those children can run fast.
3 My friend can work quickly.
4 You can write beautifully.
5 I can speak English fluently.
6 Harry can write clearly.
7 She can solve the problem easily.
8 I can spell most words correctly.
9 My sister can cook perfectly.
10 The students can work quietly.

Exercise 7
1 wear 2 clothes 3 tracksuit 4 shorts 5 fast 6 well
7 badly 8 aren't 9 am 10 can't

Exercise 8
1 My new top is green. / It's green.
2 we can't (wear jeans to school).
3 What do you usually wear to school?
4 Who's got a jumper?
5 What's Anna wearing?

Exercise 9
Students' own answers.
**Test Unit 5**

Exercise 1
1. cloudy 
2. badly-written 
3. good-looking 
4. lively 
5. continuously 
6. bad-tempered 
7. washable 
8. painful 
9. hard-working 
10. aggressive

Exercise 2
1. island 
2. Ocean 
3. Africa 
4. rainforest 
5. mud 
6. mountains 
7. insects 
8. sadly 
9. well known 
10. cartoons

Exercise 3
1. b 
2. c 
3. b 
4. c 
5. a

Exercise 4
1. It's about 2,000 km to the south-east of Australia. 
2. They call it the outback. 
3. Kangaroos and koalas are only found in Australia. 
4. They live in the cities in the south east of the country. 
5. They're worried about climate change.

Exercise 5
1. most beautiful 
2. are simpler 
3. than those 
4. are bigger 
5. more powerful 
6. often hunt 
7. thinner legs 
8. are flatter 
9. slower 
10. cheetahs are

Exercise 6
1. further 
2. the best 
3. 3 more expensive 
4. the most interesting 
5. easier 
6. the smallest 
7. the most dangerous 
8. noisier 
9. wettest 
10. hotter

Exercise 7
1. Where are the islands? 
3. the 4 bigger 
5. biggest 
6. most 
7. 7 in 
8. like 
9. hotter 
10. more

Exercise 8
1. It's in France. 
2. They're in Asia. 
3. Where are the Canary Islands? 
4. Where's Lake Titicaca? 
5. Which ocean is between Africa and Australia?

Exercise 9
Students' own answers.

**Test Unit 6**

Exercise 1
1. take your time 
2. on my own 
3. department store 
4. First of all 
5. go for a walk 
6. at times 
7. by hand 
8. on foot 
9. ran out of time 
10. police station

Exercise 2
1. on 
2. at 
3. in 
4. soon 
5. tourist 
6. waste 
7. in 
8. on 
9. by 
10. that

Exercise 3
1. New Zealand 
2. flexible plastic 
3. hundreds of cords 
4. harness 
5. washing machine

Exercise 4
1. It's a large inflatable ball. 
2. Two balls make up a zorb. 
3. It's about 2.40 m in diameter. 
4. Because of air between the two balls. 
5. There are dry rides and wet rides.

Exercise 5
1. was 
2. a famous 
3. expeditions weren't 
4. he could never 
5. often helped 
6. couldn't find 
7. started 
8. men were 
9. he tried to 
10. men stopped 
11. walked back

Exercise 6
1. missed 
2. could hear 
3. weren't 
4. planned 
5. were 
6. lived 
7. wasn't 
8. couldn't find 
9. studied 
10. was

Exercise 7
1. were 
2. tried 
3. wasn't 
4. was 
5. turned 
6. in 
7. Where 
8. post 
9. next 
10. store

Exercise 8
1. We were at home. 
2. He was at the park. 
3. Where is the museum? 
4. Where were your parents last night? 
5. When could Holly read?

Exercise 9
Students' own answers.
# FUNCTIONS BANK

## Introducing people
- **Good morning.**
- **Good afternoon.**
- **Good evening.**
- **How are you?**
- **Fine, thanks. And you?**
- **Hi I'm Jenny.**
- **Nice to meet you (too).**
- **How old are you?**
- **I'm [17].**
- **What about you?**
- **This is [Martin].**
- **Where are you from?**
- **I'm from [London].**

## Asking for information
- **I'd like some information, please.**
- **What time do you open / close?**
- **How much does it cost (to get in)?**
- **How much is it for a child?**
- **Last entry is at four o'clock.**

## On the phone
- **Hello. Is that [John]?**
- **Yes, speaking.**
- **This is [Joanna].**
- **Can I speak to [Mark], please?**
- **Just a moment.**
- **She / He isn't here.**
- **Do you want to leave a message?**
- **No, it's OK, thanks.**
- **I'll try his / her mobile.**
- **I'll try again later.**
- **Please tell him / her I called.**
- **What's your number?**

## Talking about your weekend
- **How was your weekend?**
- **It was OK / great / not bad, thanks.**
- **What did you do on [Friday]?**

## Giving an opinion
- **Do you like music / films / books?**
- **Who's your favourite singer?**
- **He's / She's OK. But I prefer [Justin Timberlake].**
- **Who do you like, then?**
- **He's terrible.**
- **I can't stand it.**
- **He's all right / OK / not bad.**
- **She's great / brilliant.**
- **I love them.**

## Giving directions
- **Excuse me. Where's the [library]?**
- **It's near the [canteen].**
- **Go along the corridor / street.**
- **Turn left / right.**
- **Go up / down the stairs.**
- **First / Second floor.**
- **Go past the [stairs].**
- **The [canteen] is on your right / left.**
- **Go through the doors.**
- **Go outside / inside.**

## Making arrangements
- **Do you want to go [swimming] on [Friday]?**
- **I'm afraid I can't.**
- **What about [Saturday]?
- **Are you doing anything on [Sunday]?**
- **I'm free at [four] / on [Thursday].**
- **Let's go on [Thursday], then.**
- **Let's meet at the [bus stop] at [four].**
- **See you there.**

## In a café
- **Can I help you?**
- **Can / Could I have [a cheese sandwich]?**
- **I'd like [a coffee].**
- **Here's your change.**
- **Enjoy your meal.**
- **That's [£6.50], please.**

## Buying a train ticket
- **I'd like a ticket to London, please.**
- **Single or return?**
- **Which platform is it?**
- **The next train is at [11.45].**

## Giving advice
- **Can I ask your advice?**
- **You should / shouldn't ...**
- **Do you think so?**
- **You're probably right.**
- **Thanks for the advice.**