

# **Learning Objectives**

Unit	Communication Goals	Vocabulary	Grammar
] New	Suggest ways to enjoy life more     Describe people's personalities     Compare perspectives on life     Share a life changing.	Personality types     Word Skill:     Classifying by positive and negative meaning	Gerunds and infinitives: changes in meaning     GRAMMAR BOOSTER
Perspectives page 2	Share a life-changing experience		Gerunds and infinitives: summary     Grammar for Writing:     parallelism with gerunds and infinitives
2 Musical	Describe the music you listen to     Explain the role of music in your life     Describe a creative person     Discuss the benefits of music      Elements of music     Describing creative personalities  Word Skill:		The present perfect and the present perfect continuous: finished and unfinished actions Noun clauses
Moods	- Discuss the Deficits of Husic	Using participial adjectives	GRAMMAR BOOSTER
page 14			Finished and unfinished actions: summary     The past perfect continuous     Grammar for Writing: noun clauses as adjective and noun complements
3 Money	Talk about your financial goals Express buyer's remorse Describe your spending habits Discuss reasons for charitable giving	Expressing buyer's remorse     Describing spending habits     Charity and investment	Future plans and finished future actions     The past unreal conditional: inverted form
Matters			GRAMMAR BOOSTER
page 26			The future continuous The future perfect continuous
4	Discuss appropriate dress     Comment on fashion and style	Describing fashion and style	Quantifiers
	Evaluate ways to change one's	Using the prefix self-      Quantifiers: review     A few and few, a     Using of     Without referent     Grammar for W     subject-verb agree	GRAMMAR BOOSTER
Looking Good <sub>page 38</sub>	Discuss appearance and self-esteem		Quantifiers: review Afew and few, a little and little Using of Without referents Grammar for Writing: subject-verb agreement with quantifiers with of
5	Politely ask someone not to do something     Complain about public	Ways to soften an objection     Ways to perform community service	Possessives with gerunds     Paired conjunctions
Community	conduct     Discuss social responsibility	Word Skill:	GRAMMAR BOOSTER
page 50	Identify urban problems	Using negative prefixes to form antonyms	Conjunctions with so, too, neither, or not either     So, too, neither, or not either: short responses

Conversation Strategies	Listening/ Pronunciation	Reading	Writing
Use Actually to soften a negative response Use I wonder to elicit an opinion politely Use You know to indicate that you are about to offer advice or a suggestion	Listening Skills: Infer point of view Listen for main ideas Understand from context  PRONUNCIATION BOOSTER  Content words and function words	Texts:  • A magazine article about finding balance in life  • A magazine article about optimism vs. pessimism  • A survey about perspectives on life  Skills/strategies:  • Relate to personal experience  • Identify supporting details	Task:  • Describe personality types  Writing Skill:  • Paragraph structure: review
<ul> <li>Use So to indicate a desire to begin a conversation</li> <li>Confirm information with right?</li> <li>Use You know to introduce information and be less abrupt</li> <li>Begin answers with Well to introduce an opinion</li> </ul>	Listening Skills:  Listen to activate vocabulary  Listen for main ideas  Listen for supporting details  PRONOUS AND ENGINEERS  Intonation patterns	Texts:  Brief CD reviews from a website Interviews: the role of music in one's life A biography of Ludwig van Beethoven Skills/strategies: Make personal comparisons Activate language from a text	Task:  • Describe yourself Writing Skill:  • Parallel structure
Use Hey to indicate enthusiasm Use to tell you the truth to introduce an unexpected assertion Ask What do you mean? to clarify Agree informally with You're telling me	Listening Skills: Infer reasons Listen for main ideas Listen for details  PRONUMENTATION GO STATES Sentence rhythm	Texts:  • Financial tips from a newspaper  • Interviews: financial goals  • A magazine article about Paul Newman's philanthropy  Skills/strategies:  • Make personal comparisons  • Express and support an opinion	Task: • Explain your financial goals Writing Skill: • Sequencing events: review
Use Can you believe to indicate disapproval Use Don't you think to promote consensus Begin a response with Well to convey polite disagreement or reservation Stress the main verb to acknowledge only partial agreement	Listening Skills:  Infer information  Listen to activate vocabulary  Listen to summarize  Express and support an opinion  PRONOUTE TRUE GOSSER  Linking sounds	Texts:  • A newspaper article about casual dress at work  • A magazine article about how the media affects self-image  Skills/strategies:  • Examine cultural expectations  • Identify supporting details  • Apply ideas	Task:  • Compare two people's tastes in fashion  Writing Skill:  • Compare and contrast: review
Use Do you mind to express concern that an intended action may offend Use Actually to object politely Use expressions such as I hope that's not a problem to soften an objection Say Not at all to indicate a willingness to comply	Listening Skills:  Listen to summarize  Listen for details  Critical thinking  PRONOMIZATION GO PORKE  Unstressed syllables	Texts:  • A graph depicting world population changes  • Interviews: pet peeves about public conduct  • An interview about "megacities"  Skills/strategies:  • Interpret data from a graph  • Express your ideas  • Confirm content  • Understand from context  • Infer information	Task:  • Complain about a problem  Writing Skill:  • Formal letters: review

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6	Exchange opinions about the treatment of animals	Ways animals are used or treated	The passive voice with modals
Animals	Discuss the benefits of certain pets	<ul> <li>Describing pets</li> <li>Describing character traits</li> </ul>	GRAMMAR BOOSTER
page 62	Compare animal characters     Debate the value of animal conservation	- Describing Character trans	Modals and modal-like expressions: summary
7	Give shopping advice     Discuss your reactions to ads	Describing low prices and high prices	Passive forms of gerunds and infinitives
Advertising	Persuade someone to buy a product	<ul> <li>Shopping expressions</li> <li>Ways to persuade</li> </ul>	CRAMMAR BOOSTER
and Consumers	Describe consumer shopping habits		Grammar for Writing: past forms of gerunds and infinitives
8		<ul> <li>Describing parent and teen behavior</li> </ul>	Repeated comparatives and double comparatives
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Family Trends <sub>page 86</sub>		<ul> <li>Making comparisons: summary</li> <li>Other uses of comparatives, superlatives, and comparisons with <u>as as</u></li> </ul>	
9 History's	Speculate about the out-of-the-ordinary     Present a theory about a past event      Ways to say "I don't know"     Ways to express certainty     Word Skill:     Using adjectives with the		Indirect speech with modals     Perfect modals in the passive voice for speculating about the past
Mysteries	Discuss how believable a story is	suffix <u>-able</u>	GRAMMAR BOOSTER
page 98	Evaluate the trustworthiness of news sources		<ul> <li><u>Say, ask</u>, and <u>tell</u>: summary</li> <li><b>Grammar for Writing:</b> other reporting verbs</li> </ul>
10	Explain the benefits of leisure activities	Ways to express fear and fearlessness	Order of modifiers
Control of the Contro	<ul> <li>Describe hobbies and other</li> </ul>	Word Skills:	GRAMMAR BOOSTER
Your Free Time page 110	Compare your use of leisure time     Discuss the risk-taking personality	Using collocations for leisure activities     Modifying with adverbs	Adverbs of manner     Intensitiers

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Conversation Strategies	Listening/ Pronunciation	Reading	Writing
Use I've heard to introduce a statement of popular opinion     Use for one thing to provide one reason among several in supporting an argument     Use believe it or not to introduce surprising information	Listening Skills: Listen to activate vocabulary Express and support an opinion Draw conclusions Make comparisons PRONUNCIATION BOOSTER Sound reduction	Texts:  • The Chinese Zodiac  • A discussion board about the humane treatment of animals  • An article about animal conservation  Skills/strategles:  • Evaluate ideas  • Understand from context  • Critical thinking	Task:  • Express an opinion on animal treatmen Writing Skill:  • Persuasion
Soften a wish or a statement of intent with I think I'd like to Respond with nothing in particular to indicate indecision or avoid commitment Make a suggestion by saying something would be a good bet Say Of course to make an affirmative answer stronger	Listening Skills: Listen to activate vocabulary Support reasoning with details Apply ideas  PRONUNCIATION BOOSTER Vowel sounds	Texts: Interviews: reactions to ads A presentation of eight advertising techniques A magazine article about compulsive shopping Skills/strategies: Understand from context Infer information Relate to personal experience	Task:  • Explain an article you read  Writing Skill:  • Summarize and paraphrase another person's ideas
Use I hate to say it, but to introduce unwelcome information     Respond with I suppose to indicate partial agreement     Use But to introduce a dissenting opinion	Listening Skills:  Listen to apply grammar  Listen to activate vocabulary  Make personal comparisons  Listen to summarize  Listen for details  Compare and contrast  Critical thinking  PRONUNCIATION BOOSTER  Stress placement	Texts:  A brochure about falling birthrates  A newspaper article about China's elderly population  Case studies: aging parents  Skills/strategles:  Identify cause and effect  Summarize  Confirm content  Draw conclusions	Task:  Describe your relationship with a family member  Writing Skill:  Avoiding run-on sentences and comma splices
Respond with Beats me to admit lack of knowledge Say You're probably right to acknowledge another's encouragement Ask a question with Why else would to confirm one's own opinion	Listening Skills:  Listen for main ideas  Listen to summarize  Draw conclusions  PRONUNCIATION BOOSTER  Reduction and linking	Texts:  • Encyclopedia entries about well-known mysteries  • A magazine article about the world's greatest hoaxes  Skills/strategies:  • Draw conclusions  • Activate prior knowledge  • Confirm facts	Task:  • Write a news article Writing Skill:  • Avoiding sentence fragments
Use kind of like to make a loose comparison  Use I hate to say this, but to excuse oneself for disagreeing  Use Well, even so to acknowledge someone's point but disagree politely	Listening Skills:  • Listen to define  • Relate to personal experience  PRONUNCIATION BOOSTER  • Vowel sounds	Texts:  Statistics comparing technological promises vs. reality Message-board posts about unusual hobbies A magazine article about technology and leisure time Skills/strategies: Draw conclusions Identify supporting details	Task:  Comment on another's point of view  Writing Skill:  Expressing and supporting opinions clearly

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Preview

Topic Preview. Look at the map of the world. Where do you think the artist is from?



- **B** Express Your Ideas.
  - 1. What is unusual about the way the map depicts the world?
  - 2. What do you think the artist is trying to say with the illustration? Is the artist being serious or funny?

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation between two colleagues working temporarily in another country.

GILBERT: Oh, man! Am I ready to head home!

ANNA: Are you kidding? I can't get enough of this place.

GILBERT: Well, it's been three weeks, and I think I've had about

enough. I'm tired of eating strange food.

ANNA: Wow! I feel just the opposite. I can't get over how much I enjoy being here. I love how different the food is.

GILBERT: Well, not me. And frankly, it's a pain in the neck having to work so hard to understand what people are saying to me.

ANNA: I actually think it's fun trying to figure out how to communicate. Stop complaining! You'll be home before you know it!

GILBERT: Fine by me. There's no place like home.

- Think and Explain. Read the conversation again. With a partner, explain the meaning of each of the following statements.
  - 1. "Am I ready to head home!"
  - 2. "I can't get enough of this place."
  - 3. "I think I've had about enough."
  - 4. "I can't get over how much I enjoy being here."
  - 5. "It's a pain in the neck having to work so hard."
  - 6. "There's no place like home."
- Identify Supporting Details. Read each statement and with a partner decide who you think said it—Anna or Gilbert. Support your opinion with information from the conversation.
- F Compare and Contrast. Discuss the questions.
  - How would you describe Anna's and Gilbert's personalities? How are they different?
  - 2. Who are you more like, Gilbert or Anna?



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in my life."	"I prefer closer to	to stick o home."

# Activate Language from a Text. Check which of the following statements you think you would make about foreign travel. Then compare and discuss opinions with a partner. "I can't get enough of visiting new and interesting places." "I think it's fun trying to figure out how to communicate when I don't know the language." "I think it's fun trying to figure to head home." "After a few days I'm ready to head home."

# Suggest ways to enjoy life more

Grammar Snapshot. Read the article and notice the use of forget, stop, and remember.



Are you burning the candle at both ends?
Do you feel you have no time for yourself?
Do you forget to call family on birthdays or holidays? Have you stopped going out with friends because you're too busy? Do you have trouble relaxing and having fun?

If you recognize yourself, you should remember to slow down and take more time for everything. Living a balanced life is about integrating the many vital areas of your life, including your health, friends, family, work, and romance. Here are some tips for restoring a healthy perspective. First, remember to make time for the important people in your life. Stop overscheduling and spend quality time with friends and family. Second, learn to eat, talk, walk, and drive more slowly. And don't forget to turn your cell phone off sometimes. People who really want to talk to you will call back. Third, learn to live in the present and stop worrying about the future. And finally, take it easy and begin enjoying the simple things in life. Stop to smell the roses.

- B Relate to Personal Experience. Discuss the questions.
  - 1. Did you recognize yourself or someone you know in the article? Give examples.
  - 2. Did you find the tips helpful? Why or why not?

Grammar. Gerunds and infinitives: changes in n	neaning
Some verbs are followed by either a gerund or an infinitive with for example: <u>love</u> , <u>hate</u> , <u>can't stand</u> , <u>like</u> , <u>prefer</u> , <u>begin</u> , <u>start</u> , <u>co</u> <u>Begin enjoying</u> the simple things in life. OR <u>Begin to enjoy</u> the	ntinue.
Some verbs change meaning, depending on whether they are fo	AND DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERT
remember + infinitive = remember to do something Remember to make time for the important people in your life	e
I have to remember to send an e-mail to my friend.  remember + gerund = remember something that happened if remember having more time for myself.  Do you remember going there when you were a kid?	in the past  Some verbs are followed by infinitives. Learn to live in the present.  Some verbs are followed by gerunds. Lenjoy spending time with my friends.
forget + infinitive = forget to do something  Don't forget to turn your cell phone off.  He always forgets to call on my birthday.	Some verbs are followed by objects and infinitives. He reminded me to call my mother.
forget + gerund = forget something that happened in the pa I'll never forget seeing the mountains for the first time. Can you ever forget going to the beach?	For a complete list of verbs followed by gerunds, infinitives, and objects and infinitives, see page A3 in the
stop + infinitive = stop in order to do something Stop to smell the roses. Can you stop to pick up some chocolates for the party?	Appendices.  GRAMMAR BOOSTER  ▶ p. G1
stop + gerund = stop an ongoing action Stop over-scheduling and spend quality time with friends a You need to stop worrying so much.	ond family.  • Gerunds and infinitives:  summary  • Parrallelism with gerunds  and infinitives
Grammar Practice. Complete each sentence with a g Explain the meaning of each sentence.  1. I'll never forget (travel) abroad for the	"Number 1 is about remembering
<ol><li>When I feel stressed out, I remember (put) perspective.</li></ol>	things in
3. You need to stop (try) to do everything	at once.
4. If I forget (send) a card for a friend's bi	rthday, I try to remember (call)
5. We forgot (buy) flowers, so we stopped	
6. I remember (celebrate) holidays with n	iy family when I was young.
OW YOU CAN Suggest ways to enjo	w life more
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Notepadding. With a partner, write a list of suggestions for what someone can do to enjoy life more. Use remember, forget, and stop.	Stop worrying about the small things.

# 2

# GOAL

Describe people's personalities

- Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen. Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: Have you had a chance to meet the new manager?
  - B: Liz? Actually, no. Have you?
  - A: Not yet. I wonder what she's like.
  - B: Well, everyone says she's bad news.
  - A: You know, you can't believe everything you hear. She might turn out to be a real sweetheart.
  - Rhythm and intonation practice



B Vocabulary. Personality Types. Listen and practice.

#### **Positive**

- a sweetheart someone who is likable and easy to get along with
- a team player someone who works well with other people so the whole group is successful
- a brain someone who is intelligent and can solve problems that are difficult for others
- a people person someone who likes being with and works well with other people

#### Negative

- a tyrant someone, especially a boss, who makes people work extremely hard
- a workaholic someone who is always working and does not have time for anything else
- a pain in the neck someone who complains a lot and often causes problems
- a wise guy someone who says or does annoying things, especially to make himself or herself seem smarter than other people

Listening. Infer Point of View. Listen carefully to the conversations about people's personalities. Infer which expression from the Vocabulary the speaker would use to describe the person.

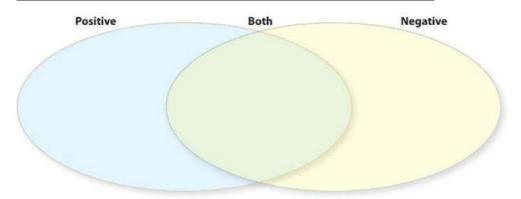
- 1. The woman thinks that Shelly is
  - a. a sweetheart
- b. a brain
- c. a pain in the neck
- 2. The woman thinks that Peter is a. a workaholic b. a tyr
  - b. a tyrant
- c. a team player

- 3. The man thinks that Paul is
  - a. a team player
- b. a people person
- c. a wise guy



Word Skills. Classifying by Positive and Negative Meaning. Fill in the diagram with the adjectives in the box. Decide which adjectives describe personalities positively, negatively, or both. Add other adjectives you know.

annoying	funny	lovable	outgoing	silly
easygoing	hardworking	modest	professional	smart
friendly	helpful	nervous	reliable	talkative
fun	impolite	offensive	serious	unfair



- Associate Words and Ideas. With a partner, write adjectives from the chart you think match each of the personality types. More than one answer is possible. Explain your choices.
  - 1. a sweetheart
  - 2. a team player ....
  - 3. a brain
  - 4. a pain in the neck
  - 5. a tyrant
  - 6. a wise guy
  - 7. a people person
  - 8. a workaholic

## NOW YOU CAN Describe people's personalities

Use the Vocabulary. Describe the personalities of people you know. Give specific examples to explain.

"My sister is such a tyrant! She makes her kids do all the housework!"

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a boss a friend a neighbor a spouse a teacher a relative

"My friend Hugo is a real people person. He's so outgoing and friendly."

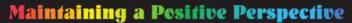
B Use the Conversation Strategies. Role-play a conversation about a person you haven't met yet. Use the Conversation Snapshot as a guide. Start like this: "Have you had a chance to meet ...?"

IDEAS

# GOAL

# Compare perspectives on life

- Reading Warm-up. Look at the glass of water. Do you see the glass as half full or half empty? What does that say about your perspective on life?
- Reading. Read the article about optimism. How do optimists and pessimists respond to problems differently?



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Have you ever wondered why some people feel down and defeated when faced with difficult situations, while others feel challenged and hopeful? These different reactions are due to how people interpret events—whether they think positively, from an optimistic viewpoint, or negatively, from a pessimistic viewpoint.

#### **Optimists and Pessimists**

The difference between optimists and pessimists isn't a difference in life experiences but rather in how people perceive and respond to problems. For example, an optimist who is going through a hard time feels confident that life will get better, while a pessimist is more cynical and believes life will always be difficult and painful. Pessimists tend to expect the worst and see only problems. Optimists, confronted with the same situations, expect the best. While a pessimist may give up, an optimist will look on the bright side and, instead of seeing a problem, will see a solution.

#### The Pros and Cons

There are pros and cons to both optimism and pessimism. A healthy dose of optimism can be uplifting and hopeful, while a healthy dose of pessimism can be realistic and wise. Achieving a balance of being realistic and hopeful isn't always easy.

#### Staying Optimistic

While we can learn from both optimists and pessimists, most of us need help being optimistic. Maintaining a hopeful, positive, yet realistic perspective in the face of hard times can be a real challenge—one many are facing right now in the world—but it is essential to living peacefully and happily. Just as it is important to recognize what is unjust and unfair in our lives and the world, it is important to see the beauty, love, generosity, and goodness as well.

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- C Relate to Personal Experience. Discuss the questions.
  - Do you agree with the author that "most of us need help being optimistic"? How do you think people can avoid negative thinking? Describe experiences from your own life.
  - 2. In your opinion, are there times when optimism can be bad, or when pessimism can be good? Explain.
- Identify Supporting Details. With a partner, rate these people's optimisim on a scale of 1 to 5 (1 being very optimistic and 5 being very pessimistic). Explain your answers, citing information from the article.

I wouldn't say that I'm cynical, but it's important to be realistic. Let's face it life is hard.



I think I can keep things in perspective. I try not to think negatively, but I'm realistic about the things I can't change.



I try to look on the bright side. I think it's better to try to see a solution instead of seeing a problem.



I find it difficult when things get tough. I sometimes feel completely hopeless. I just don't expect things to get better.



I've had some bad experiences, but I think they 've made me more realistic. It's not always possible to hope for the best, but good things do happen.



UNIT 1

## NOW YOU CAN Compare perspectives on life

A Frame Your Ideas. Complete the survey.

# Do you have a negative or positive perspective?

- 1. You wake up in the middle of the night with a stomachache. Your first thought is . . .
  - "I'm sure it's nothing."
  - (1'll take some medicine."
    - "I think I should go to the doctor."
- 2. You apply for your "perfect" job, but you don't get it. You think . . .
  - "Never mind. I'll find something else."
    - That's really unfair."
    - "It figures. I never get the job I want."
- 3. When you are introduced to someone new, you . . .
  - make friends easily with that person.
    - warm up" to that person gradually.
    - make that person prove to you that he or she is likable.
- 4. News about crime or disasters makes you . . .
  - want to do something to help.
    - realize that sometimes bad things happen.
    - feel unsafe and depressed.

- 5. When a friend feels down, you . . .
  - understand and try to offer support.
  - tell him or her about your problems too.
  - tell him or her how much worse it could be.
- 6. Your boss asks you out to lunch. You think . . .
  - "I must be getting a raise."
    - 2pts "That's really nice."
    - "Oh, no! I'm getting fired!"
- 7. If someone unexpectedly knocks on your door, you think . . .
  - "I wonder which friend is dropping by."
    - 2pts "I wonder who it could be."
    - I'm not answering. It must be a salesperson."

#### Add up your points.

- 7-10 You're an optimist. You always see the glass half full.
- 11-14 You're a bit of an optimist and a pessimist. You're very realistic.
- 15-21 You're a pessimist. You tend to see the glass half empty.
- B Draw Conclusions. With a partner, compare and explain your responses to the survey items. Does your score describe you and your perspective on life? Why or why not?
- Discussion.
  - 1. In your opinion, in order to succeed, how important is your perspective on life? Do you think it's better to be optimistic, pessimistic, or somewhere in the middle? Explain.
  - 2. Read the quotation by Winston Churchill. Do you agree with him? Why or why not?

"The pessimist sees difficulty in every opportunity. The optimist sees the opportunity in every difficulty."

Winston Churchill. British Prime Minister (1874 - 1965)



Share a life-changing experience

Listening. Listen for Main Ideas. Listen to each person talking about a life-changing experience. Then choose the best answer to complete each statement.

- The most significant experience of the first speaker's life was when he
  - a. became a father
  - b. began working
  - c. traveled to another country
  - d. got married
- The second speaker's life changed when she \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. got a full-time job
  - b. had a baby
  - c. got more free time
  - d. got married
- The third speaker's perspective on life changed when he
  - a. lost his home in a fire
  - b. lost his job
  - c. got divorced
  - d. had a serious illness



**B** Listening. Understand from Context. Read the statements. Then listen again to infer what each speaker means.

- When the first speaker says, "I was really able to see other people's points of view," he means that
  - a. he could understand how other people feel about things
  - b. he met people of different nationalities
- When the first speaker says, "It was a real eyeopener for me," he means that \_\_\_\_\_.
  - a. the experience was a bit scary
  - b. the experience taught him a lot
- When the second speaker says, "It hit me that I was responsible for her," she means that
  - a. she realized she had to take care of her baby
  - b. she regretted she had to take care of her baby

- When the second speaker says, "[It] is definitely a life-altering experience," she means that
  - a. the experience is not rewarding
  - b. the experience changes a person
- When the third speaker says, "That put things in perspective," he means that
  - a. he realized some things are not so important
  - b. he had to work day in and day out
- When the third speaker says, "You start to see the big picture," he means that
  - he understood what was really important in life
  - b. he realized how much he had lost
- Summarize. First, in your own words, summarize each person's life-changing experience. Then discuss which person's experience you identify with the most. Explain why.

air Work. Explore ideas about experiences that can change a erson's perspective on life. Complete the list with your partner.	Things that can chang one's perspective
otepadding. Think about a life-changing experience you have had. ke notes about it on your notepad.	-the birth of a child -a disaster -travel
What was the experience? When did it happen? Where?	
How did the experience change your perspective? How did you fee	el at the time?

**Group Work.** Share your life-changing experience with your classmates. Explain how this experience changed your perspective on life.

"Last year my mother had a serious illness. It really put things in perspective for me. All the disagreements we'd had in the past seemed so unimportant."

"A few years ago, I went on vacation to Europe. It hit me how useful it was knowing English. It came in handy in a lot of situations."

Presentation. Write a paragraph about a life-changing experience you have had.

Use it to present your story to your class or group.

# Writing: Describe personality types

#### Paragraph Structure: Review WRITING MODEL A paragraph consists of sentences about one topic. The most important sentence in a paragraph is the topic sentence. It Workaholics lead unbalanced lives. is usually the first sentence, and it introduces the topic of a They spend all their energy on paragraph. For example: work. They rarely take time to relax Workaholics lead unbalanced lives. and let their minds rest. I know because my father was a workaholic. In academic writing, all the supporting sentences that and he worked every day of the follow a topic sentence-details, examples, and other week. We hardly ever saw him. Even facts-must be related to the topic presented in the topic sentence. when he was not at work, we knew he was thinking about work. He seemed The last sentence of the paragraph is often a concluding never to think of anything else. sentence. A concluding sentence restates the topic In summary, not knowing how to sentence or summarizes the paragraph. A concluding escape from work makes it difficult sentence often includes phrases such as In conclusion for a workaholic to find balance in or In summary. his or her life.

A Prewriting. Brainstorming Ideas. Write a topic sentence for each personality type.

team players tyrants wise guys	
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3.	0.000
Now choose one of your topic sentences. On a separate sheet of paper, generate ideas you could use to support the topic.	Workaholics lead unbalanced lives.  -always think about work  -can't relax
Writing. On a separate sheet of paper, write a paragraph about the personality type you chose in Prewriting Make sure all the supporting sentences relate to the topic.	
End with a concluding sentence.	
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# Review

grammar · vocabulary · listening reading · speaking · pronunciation

new	<b>Listening.</b> Listen to the s. Decide if each speaker	is an optimist, a pessimis	t, or a realis	t.
1.	John	2. Susan	3. Matt	
	read the statements. Wr			listening who is most
1.	some that you can't. I			s in life that you can solve and a something is beyond your
2.		nes. You just have to ac little you can do abou	0.000000000	ct that bad things happen and
3.		a problem as both a cha experiences can make a		e faced and as an opportunity onger."
Com	plete each conversation	with a personality type.		
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2.	A: You know, without in time.	Sarah's help, I would n	never have o	completed that presentation ales campaign last month. She's
3.	a bench and worki			last weekend, and he was sitting on
4.	evening.	TANTA	2F-0 - 2159	she didn't say a word the whole  She's just not a
5.	A: Have you heard th to law school.	e news? My daughter	Audrey got	a perfect score on her entrance exam n school. She's such a
6.	A: I'm so tired of Ken said something tha	. The other day I made at really made me feel d	a mistake lumb.	at the computer lab at school, and he  Just try to ignore him.
	separate sheet of paper, erbs stop, remember, an	write advice for each per	son. Use	She should stop working so much
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3.		r with three kids, and I t that he hardly ever se		lot for his company. He feels his kids

4. Marisa has been using her credit cards a lot lately, and she can't keep up with the monthly

payments. And now she's having a hard time keeping up with all her bills.

- GOALS After Unit 2, you will be able to:
  - 1 Describe the music you listen to
  - 2 Explain the role of music in your life
  - 3 Describe a creative person

Information source: www.allmusic.com

4 Discuss the benefits of music

A Topic Preview. Look at the reviews from the music website. Are you familiar with any of these artists?



# B Express Your Ideas.

- 1. Which reviews did you find the most appealing? Why? Which musical genres in the reviews interest you the most?
- 2. Can you think of other artists for each genre?

14 UNIT 2

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation between two friends comparing musical tastes.

TANIA: Wow! You've got quite a CD collection!

KEN: I guess so. Let's put something on.

TANIA: Got any jazz?

KEN: How about some Gato Barbieri? I've got Fenix.

TANIA: Actually, his saxophone playing kind of gets on my nerves on that one.

KEN: Really? I'm totally into him. Fenix is one of my all-time favorites.

TANIA: Yeah, but it's pretty hard to dance to.

KEN: Well, have you heard some of his later stuff?

TANIA: No, what's it like?

KEN: It's got more of a Latin feel. It'll definitely

get the party started.

TANIA: Oh yeah? Let's give it a listen.

- Think and Explain. Read the conversation again. With a partner, explain the meaning of each of the following statements or questions.
  - 1. "You've got quite a CD collection."
  - 2. "Let's put something on."
  - 3. "His saxophone playing kind of gets on my nerves on that one."
  - 4. "I'm totally into him."
  - 5. "Have you heard some of his later stuff?"
  - 6. "It'll definitely get the party started."
  - 7. "Let's give it a listen."

#### STARTING POINT

A Frame Your Ideas. What recordings are your all-time favorites? Complete the chart.

Artist or group	Genre of music	
	Artist or group	Artist or group Genre of music

Pair Work. Talk with a partner about the music in your chart. Compare your musical tastes.

"I'm totally into Coldplay. That CD is fantastic!"

"Well, rock usually gets on my nerves, but maybe I'll give it a listen sometime."

# Describe the music you listen to

- A (1) Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen. Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: So what have you been listening to lately?
  - B: Mostly world music. Ever heard of Youssou N'Dour?
  - A: I think so. He's from Senegal, right?
  - B: That's right.
  - A: You know, I've actually never heard his music.
  - B: Well, he's got a terrific voice and a unique sound. I'd be happy to lend you a CD if you'd like.
  - A: All right, thanks. I'll let you know what I think.
  - Rhythm and intonation practice



beat the rhythm of a piece of music

That song has a great beat you can dance to.

lyrics the words of a song

Her catchy lyrics make you want to sing along. melody the order of notes in a musical piece

His song has an unforgettable melody.

sound the particular style or quality of an artist's or group's music

The band has created a new and exciting sound. voice the quality of sound produced when

She has a beautiful soprano voice.

Youssou N'Dour

(1) Listening. Listen to Activate Vocabulary. Listen to the pieces of music. With a partner, use the words from the Vocabulary to discuss what you like or don't like about the music.



Grammar. The present perfect and the present perfect continuous: finished and unfinished actions

#### Finished actions

Use the present perfect, not the present perfect continuous, when an action is completed at an unspecified time in the past. (Remember that actions completed at a specified time in the past require the simple past tense.)

I've already heard that CD. I heard it yesterday. How many times have you seen Youssou N'Dour in concert?

I've seen him twice. As a matter of fact, I just saw him last week.

Very recently finished actions: an exception

The present perfect continuous is preferred to describe very recently completed actions when results can still be seen.

They've been practicing. I see them putting their instruments away.

#### Unfinished or continuing actions

Use the present perfect OR the present perfect continuous to describe actions that began in the past, continue into the present, and may continue into the future.

Have you listened to any jazz lately? OR Have you been listening to any jazz lately?

I've listened to Beethoven since I was a child. OR I've been listening to Beethoven since I was a child.

# Words and phrases used with the present perfect for finished actions already ever never yet once, twice, three times How many .

Words and expressions often used with unfinished actions these days for tately for a while since recently How long all day this year

# GRAMMAR BOOSTER

- Finished and unfinished actions: summary The past perfect
- continuous

<b>rammar Practice.</b> Write $\underline{F}$ if the action is finished. W	rite <u>U</u> if the action is unfinished or continuing.
<ol> <li>He's played with their band for almost ten years.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Ladysmith Black Mambazo hasn't beer playing many concerts lately.</li> </ol>
<ol><li>Caetano Veloso has made dozens of recordings.</li></ol>	6. Have you ever gone to a classical concert?
<ol><li>They've never heard of Alexandre Pires.</li></ol>	7. How many times have you heard Carmina Burana?
<ol> <li>We've been listening to that CD all day. Let's play something different.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>They've played Brahms's First Symphony twice this year.</li> </ol>
irammar Practice. Complete the biography of Vanes ast tense, the present perfect, or the present perfect con erfect continuous if the action is unfinished or continuir	atinuous. Use the present
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her concert debut with the Lon	don Philharmonic.
(d market)	umerous classical
ecordings, but it was in 1994 that she	the field of
op music with The Violin Player. The album immedi	ately extremely
	(7. become)
oopular with pop and classical music fans.	
In more recent years, she (8. play)	ith other pop artists such as Annie Lennox,
anet Jackson, and Prince. Vanessa-Mae	her audiences for over a decade,
(9. enter and she continues to astonish them with her innovati	
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# GOAL

# Explain the role of music in your life

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Grammar Snapshot. Read the commentaries and notice the noun clauses.



Frankly, I can't imagine what my life would be like without music. It's what gets me through the day. Listening to music is how I get going in the morning. Later, at work, it's how I stay productive. And in the evening, it's what helps me unwind.

Patricia Nichols, 34 Vancouver, Canada



It's my opinion that music is a kind of international language—a way for people to communicate with whomever they meet. The fact that enjoyment of music is universal makes it an ideal way to bring cultures together. Music can open doors for you everywhere you go in the world.

Santigi Matomi, 27 Freetown, Sierra Leone



I'm a performer, and music is a part of who I am. It's a way for me to express what's in my heart. The truth is, whether or not I perform is not really a choice—I have to do it. Whatever happens during the day—good or bad—comes out in my music.

Alison Wu, 19 Shanghai, China

- Make Personal Comparisons. Do any of the comments above ring true for you? Explain and discuss.
- G Grammar, Noun clauses

A noun clause can be a subject, a direct object, an indirect object, a subject complement, or the object of a preposition.

Whatever happens during the day comes out in my music. [subject]
I don't know why I'm so crazy about his music. [direct object]
I'll give whoever calls first the tickets. [indirect object]
Music is what helps me unwind. [subject complement]
Music is a way for people to communicate with whomever\* they meet.
[object of a preposition]

Indirect speech is expressed using a noun clause.

They asked whether / if we could recommend some good recordings. The violinist explained that the concerto was quite difficult to play.

A noun clause can also be introduced by  $\underline{\text{whoever}}, \underline{\text{whomever}}, \text{ or } \underline{\text{whatever}},$  meaning any person or any thing.

Whoever can combine hip-hop with pop is sure to be a hit. The audience always loves whatever they play.

Noun clauses often follow phrases with impersonal <u>It</u> subjects. It's my opinion that music is a kind of international language.

In writing, subject noun clauses are often preceded by phrases such as the fact, the idea, etc.

The fact that enjoyment of music is universal is quite interesting.

\*very formal

#### REMEMBER

A noun clause can begin with that, if, whether (or not), or a question word.

I believe that life would be empty without music.

We asked them if they could play the song for us again.

OR We asked them whether (or not)
they could play the song for us again.
I'm not sure why the band decided to
break up.

Do you know which / what instrument she plays?

They asked her how she trained her voice to be so beautiful.

When a noun clause is a direct object, the word that may be omitted.

I believe life would be empty without music.

BE CAREFUL! Use normal, not inverted, word order in noun clauses beginning with question words.

NOT They asked her how did she train her voice to be so beautiful.

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 Noun clauses as adjective and noun complements

	. It's his opinion classical music is boring.	why which when how where
2.	Buying old records is I spend my Saturday afternoons.	Where
3.	. I'm having difficulty recalling band played at the dance.	
4.	I like most is to take a hot bath while I listen to music.	
5.	. Did they tell you the concert would start? I don't want to be le	ate.
6.	I can't really tell you I like some pieces of music. Maybe it's be they remind me of songs my mother sang to me when I was a child.	ecause
7.	. Robert asked me I had bought tickets yet.	
8.	. She can't imagine she would do without music.	
8.	. She can't imagine she would do without music.	

1.	I don't know		
		(Where did Mozart live?)	
2.	I have no idea		
		(When did Georges Bizet compose Carmen?)	
3.	She told me		
		(Where do the Black Sheep usually perform?)	
4.	I don't know	(NAME OF THE PROPERTY OF THE P	
	A. STAN A. I. T. A.	(Which genre of music is his favorite?)	
5.	I'm not sure		
	7,237,1193,733,73	(What kind of lyrics does she write?)	

# NOW YOU CAN Explain the role of music in your life

A Analyze the Grammar. Read the following quotations and underline the noun clauses. Classify each noun clause by its grammatical function within the sentence (subject, direct object, etc.). "The discuss the meaning of each quotation.

Restate each in your own words.

"The audience knows when they're just listening to notes and when they're truly listening to music."

Sarah Chang, U.S. violinist 1980 –

"Music is a gift and a burden I've had since I can remember who I was."

Nina Simone, U.S. singer and planist 1933 – 2003

"What I have in my heart must come out. This is why I compose music."

Ludwig van Beethoven, German composer 1770 – 1827

B) Use the Grammar. Discuss the role of music in your life. Do you listen to music at specific times during your day? What sorts of music do you listen to?
Use noun clauses to explain your ideas.

Listening to music is . . . I can't imagine . . . It's my opinion . . .

# GOAL Describe a creative person

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(1) Vocabulary. Describing Creative Personalities. Listen and practice.

#### **Positive qualities**

gifted having a natural ability to do one or more things extremely well energetic very active, physically and mentally imaginative able to think of new and interesting ideas passionate showing a strong liking for something and being very dedicated to it

#### **Negative** qualities

eccentric behaving in an unusual way or appearing different from most people difficult never satisfied and hard to please moody quickly and easily becoming annoyed or unhappy egotistical believing oneself to be better or more important than other people

- Reading Warm-up. It is often said that gifted people have eccentric or difficult personalities. Do you agree?
- Reading. Read the short biography. What effect did Beethoven's personality have on his life?

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# A Passion for Music

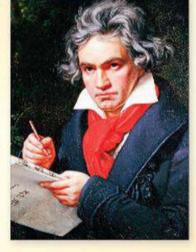
Pom in 1770 in Bonn, Germany, Ludwig van Beethoven started playing the piano before he was four years old. By the time he was twelve, this child prodigy had already composed his first piece of music. When Beethoven was just sixteen, he went to study in Vienna, Austria, then the center of European cultural life and home to the most brilliant and passionate musicians and composers of the period. Beethoven proved to be a gifted planist and an imaginative composer.

Beethoven is remembered for his great genius but also for his strong and difficult personality. In one infamous incident, Beethoven became so upset with a waiter that he emptied a plate of food over the man's head. Despite this type of behavior, many in musical and aristocratic circles admired Beethoven, and music lovers were always Beethoven's greatest supporters. This fact did not prevent him from losing his temper with one or another of them. However, because of his talent, Beethoven's friends always excused his insults and moody temperament.

Beethoven was also notorious for his eccentric behavior. He often walked through the streets of Vienna muttering to himself and stamping his feet. He completely neglected his personal appearance; his clothes would get so dirty that his friends would come and take them away during the night. When they replaced the old clothes with new ones, Beethoven never noticed the difference.

Although Beethoven was respected and admired by his audience, he was not concerned with pleasing them. Beethoven could play the piano so beautifully that some listeners cried; however, when he saw his fans crying, Beethoven only laughed and said they were fools. He was so egotistical that if people talked while he was performing, he would stop and walk away.

Beethoven wrote two



famous works, Moonlight Sonata and Für Elise, for two different women he loved. He was almost always in love, often with a woman who was already married or engaged. Although Beethoven asked several women to marry him, they all rejected him. But the most tragic aspect of Beethoven's life was his gradual loss of hearing, beginning in his late twenties until he was completely deaf. However, even as his hearing grew worse, Beethoven continued to be energetic and productive; his creative activity remained intense, and audiences loved his music. In 1826, Beethoven held his last public performance of his famous Ninth Symphony. By this time, the maestro was completely deaf. When he was turned around so he could see the roaring applause that he could not hear, Beethoven began to cry.

Beethoven died in Vienna in 1827 at age fifty-seven. One out of ten people who lived in Vienna came to his funeral.

- Activate Language from a Text. Read each fact about Beethoven. Then, with a partner, discuss which adjective from the Vocabulary best completes each statement.
  - Beethoven was already publishing music and earning a salary at the age of twelve. He was very
  - Beethoven once told a prince, "There will be thousands of princes. There is only one Beethoven." He could be quite
  - Beethoven would work long hours composing and never seemed to tire. He was always when he performed for his audiences.
  - Beethoven had many close friends who tried to help him with his problems. He continually pushed them away and refused their assistance. He was considered to be a person.

- Beethoven became frustrated when he began to lose his hearing. While socializing with his friends, he would often have sudden bursts of anger. He could be rather
- Beethoven said that his music expressed what was inside of him and that he had no choice but to compose. He was a composer.
- Beethoven's attention to feeling in his music began a new "style," different in some ways from Baroque music, which was popular at the time. His compositions were
- Beethoven's friends thought he could be at times. For example, when he made coffee, he used to count out exactly sixty beans for each cup.

# NOW YOU CAN Describe a creative person

A Frame Your Ideas. Rate your own personality on a scale of 0 to 3. Compare your answers with a partner's. Use the Vocabulary.

gifted eccentric passionate imaginative difficult energetic moody egotistical

"I'm an extremely **passionate** person.
I think it's really important to love what you do. What about you?"

creative (

Discussion. Read the quotations from three famous musicians. Which one do you find the most interesting? After reading the quotations, how would you describe each musician's personality?

"Music is nothing separate from me.
It is me. . . . You'd have to remove
the music surgically."



Ray Charles, American soul singer, songwriter, and pianist, 1930 – 2004

"Music will save the world."



Pablo Casals, Spanish cellist and conductor, 1876 – 1973

"Tve outdone anyone you can name—Mozart, Beethoven, Bach, Strauss. Irving Berlin, he wrote 1,001 tunes. I wrote 5,500."



James Brown, American R & B singer and songwriter, 1933 – 2006

**Project.** Write a brief biography of a creative person you know. Describe his or her personality, creativity, and achievements. Put all the biographies together for a web article about creative people.

# Discuss the benefits of music

Listening. Listen for Main Ideas. Read the questions. Then listen to Part 1 of a talk about an unusual use of music. Discuss the questions with a partner.



#### Word Skills. Using Participial Adjectives.

The present and past participle forms of many verbs function as adjectives.

The past participle has a passive meaning. Most sentences using past participles can be restated with a by phrase.

The patient is depressed. = The patient is depressed [by his life]. I'm bored. = I'm bored [by this movie].

The present participle does not have a passive meaning. Most sentences using present participles can be restated with an active verb.

That book is depressing. = That book depresses [everyone]. It's so boring. = It bores [me].



Present participles

amazing annoying boring depressing entertaining exciting interesting pleasing relaxing soothing stimulating

touching

Past participles

amazed annoyed bored depressed disappointing disappointed entertained excited interested pleased relaxed soothed stimulated

touched

- Word Skills Practice. Circle an adjective to complete the sentence about music therapy.
  - Music can make patients feel (relaxed / relaxing).
  - Listening to music makes patients feel less (depressed / depressing).
  - 3. Patients find some types of music to be very (soothed / soothing).
  - For patients in physical pain, the benefits of music can be (surprised / surprising).
  - 5. Studies show that a student's ability to learn is (stimulated / stimulating) by music.
  - 6. For patients with emotional problems, music can be very (comforted / comforting).
  - 7. Many doctors report they are (pleased / pleasing) by the effect music has on their patients.
  - 8. Many patients say that music therapy is (entertained / entertaining).



# NOW YOU CAN Discuss the benefits of music

A Notepadding, What are some benefits music brings to people's lives? With a partner, make a list and discuss. Use participial adjectives.

Benefits Examples Music can be soothing. Playing music at work can relax people so they're more productive.

Benefits Examples

B Group Work. Share your ideas with your class or group. Comment on your classmates' ideas.

# Writing: Describe yourself

#### Parallel Structure

In a pair or a series, be sure to use parallel structure. All the words, phrases, or clauses should be in the same form.

Incorrect	Correct
He's a composer, singer, and a violinist. (article, no article, article)	He's a composer, a singer, and a violinist. (article, article, article) OR He's a composer, singer, and violinist. (one article for all three)
I like dancing, painting, and to sing. (gerund, gerund, infinitive)	I like dancing, painting, and singing. (gerund, gerund, gerund) OR I like to dance, to paint, and to sing. (infinitive, infinitive, infinitive) OR I like to dance, paint, and sing. (one to for all three)
The picture was framed, examined, and they sold it. (passive, passive, active)	The picture was framed, examined, and sold. (passive, passive, passive)
I like people who have the same interests as I do, make me laugh, or who like outdoor sports. (clause, verb phrase, clause)	I like people who have the same interests as I do, who make me laugh, or who like outdoor sports (clause, clause, clause)  OR I like people who have the same interests as I do, make me laugh, or like outdoor sports. (verb phrase, verb phrase, verb phrase)

# A Prewriting. Clustering Ideas.

Look at the idea cluster below. On a separate sheet of paper, create your own idea cluster. Draw a circle and write ME inside it. Then write any ideas that come to mind in circles around the main circle. Expand each new idea. Include hobbies, accomplishments, places you have traveled, interests, goals, etc.

#### ERROR CORRECTION Correct the errors.

I have always been a relaxed, passionate, and been a moody person. I love traveling, to meet new people, and learning about new places. I have been to many interesting places; for example, I have been on top of Mount Kilimanjaro, I have gone ice fishing with Eskimos in Alaska, and I rode on a camel in Morocco. These were some of



Writing. On a separate sheet of paper, write a paragraph describing yourself, using the information from your cluster. Make sure to use parallel structure.

## Self-Check.

- Did you use parallel structure with pairs or series of nouns, adjectives, and adverbs?
- Did you use parallel structure with the clauses, phrases, and tenses?
- Does the topic sentence introduce the topic of the paragraph?

# Review



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2.	Gato Barbie	eri					
3.	Ladysmith	Black Mambazo					
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- Talk about your financial goals
- 2 Express buyer's remorse
- 3 Describe your spending habits
- 4 Discuss reasons for charitable giving

A Topic Preview. Read these financial tips.

Do you think you have a high financial IQ?

# How to RaiseYour Financial IQ

#### I. Save money.

Start saving while you are young. When you have money in your pocket, the impulse to spend it can be very strong. When you get your paycheck, don't run to the mall. If you put away a small amount of money into a savings account each week and earn interest, your money will grow.

#### 2. Live within your means.

The secret to financial success is spending less than you earn. If you make a lot of money, but spend it all, you are not really rich or financially secure. If you lose your job, or get seriously ill, you will have nothing to fall back on. People who make less money than you but don't spend it all are actually much wealthier because they are able to handle any emergency that arises. Fortunately, today's technology makes managing your money easier than ever. Financial-planning software can help you keep a budget by adding up your income and expenses and keeping track of your spending.

#### 3. Don't go into debt.

It is a lot easier—and sometimes safer—to pay with a credit card than to carry around a lot of cash in your pocket or purse. However, it is easy to get into trouble with credit cards if you use them as a substitute for money you don't have. If you charge so much that you can't keep up with your monthly bills, interest charges will quickly add up. Going into debt because of credit card bills is the surest sign of a low financial IQ.



**Express Your Ideas.** Which tip do you think is the most important one to follow? Why? Can you think of any others?

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation between two friends about saving money.

DAVID: Hey, a new entertainment system! What did you do-strike it rich?

JUDY: I wish! No, I saved up for it.

DAVID: There's no way I could do that. Too many bills.

JUDY: I know what you mean. My credit card bills used to be totally

out of hand.

**DAVID:** Really? Then how did you manage to save up all that cash? **JUDY:** Well, I just decided it was time to start living within my means.

I cut way back on my spending.

DAVID: Wasn't that hard?

JUDY: Kind of. But I'm glad I did it.

- Think and Explain. With a partner, discuss the questions and support your answers with information from Sound Bites.
  - 1. Do you think Judy makes a lot of money?
  - 2. Do you think David is good with money?
  - 3. What was Judy's financial situation like in the past?
  - 4. What did Judy do to change her financial situation?
  - 5. How would you describe Judy's financial IQ?
  - 6. Are you more like Judy or David?



#### STARTING POINT A Frame Your Ideas. What's your financial IQ? Choose the statements that best apply to you. I live within my means. I live beyond my means. 2. I keep track of my expenses. I don't know where the money goes. 3. I regularly put something away into savings. I spend everything I have and never save. I don't worry about paying my credit card bills off 4. I always try to pay my credit card bills in full. every month. ☐ I can't make ends meet! 5. I always have enough money for what I need.

B Pair Work. Compare your answers with a partner's. Who do you think has the higher financial IQ?

# GOAL

# Talk about your financial goals

A Grammar Snapshot. Read the interview responses and notice how future plans are expressed.

#### What are your short-term and long-term financial goals?



I've decided to set a longterm goal for myself—to put aside enough money to buy a new car. By this time next year, I'll have put away enough cash for a down payment. My short-term goal is to start living within my means. Once I've started sticking to a monthly budget, I think it'll be easy.

David Michaels, 24 Brisbane, Australia I find it really helps me to try and picture where I want to be over the next few years. By next year, I hope to have gotten a good job as a financial consultant. That's my short-term goal. My long-term goal? I plan to have reached real financial independence before I retire.

Su-jin Lee, 29 Wonju, Korea



My college expenses are going to get me into a lot of debt. I don't expect to have begun making payments by the time I graduate, but I do have a plan. After I finish school, my short-term goal is to find a job where I can make some good money and begin a payment plan on my loans. Then, I figure that by the time I'm thirty, I should have paid back everything I owe.

Robin Kraus, 22 Boston, USA



My long-term goal is to have saved enough money to spend a year traveling. By the time I'm forty, I'm sure I'll have saved enough. After I've seen some of the world, I plan to settle down and buy a house.

Andreas Festring, 33 Munich, Germany

- Make Personal Comparisons. Discuss how similar you are to any of the people in the Grammar Snapshot. Do you share any of the goals they mentioned? If not, discuss some of your goals.
- Grammar. Future plans and finished future actions

#### Future plans

Express general future plans with expect, hope, intend, or plan and an infinitive.

We hope to start putting some money away.

I don't plan to be financially dependent for the rest of my life.

Use the perfect form of an infinitive to express that an action will or might take place before a specified time in the future.

By this time next year, I plan to have saved up enough cash to buy a new car. Her goal is to have paid off all her debt in five years.

#### Finished future actions

Use the future perfect to indicate an action that will be completed by a specified time in the future.

By next year, I will have completed my studies, but I won't have gotten married.

How much will you have saved by next month?

Use the present perfect in an adverbial clause to distinguish between a completed future action and one that will follow it.

Once I've completed my studies, I'll get married. I'm going shopping when I've finished my report.

BE CAREFUL! Don't use the future perfect in the adverbial clause.

NOT I'm going shopping when I will have finished my report.

GRAMMAR BOOSTER

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- The future perfect continuous



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# Express buyer's remorse

- (1) Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen. Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: Hey, I heard you got an E-tec MP3 player. Lucky you!
  - B: Well, to tell you the truth, I could kick myself.
  - A: What do you mean?
  - B: I had no idea it would be so hard to operate. It took me hours to figure out how to download a song.

  - B: You're telling me. Had I known, I would have gotten a different brand.
  - Rhythm and intonation practice



# Vocabulary. Expressing Buyer's Remorse. Listen and practice.



It costs so much to maintain.



It takes up so much room.



It's so hard to operate.



It's so hard to put together.



It just sits around collecting dust.

- Listening. Infer Reasons. Listen to the conversations in which people regret having bought something. Complete each statement by inferring the reason for buyer's remorse.
  - 1. He's sorry he bought it because
    - a. it costs so much to maintain
  - 2. She's sorry she bought it because
    - a. it's so hard to operate
  - 3. She's sorry she bought it because
    - a. it takes up so much room
  - 4. He's sorry he bought it because a. it just sits around collecting dust
  - 5. She's sorry she bought it because
    - a. it costs so much to maintain

- b. it takes up so much room
- b. it's so hard to put together
- b. it just sits around collecting dust
- b. it's so hard to put together
- b. it's so hard to operate

# Grammar. The past unreal conditional: inverted form

Past unreal conditionals can be stated without if. Invert had and the subject.

- I wouldn't have bought it.
- I might have gotten another brand if I had realized it would be so hard to operate.
- If we hadn't been so busy, we could have shopped around.
- If I'd been told they wouldn't operate without batteries, I would never have considered getting them.
- If I had known it would take up so much room, -> Had I known it would take up so much room, I wouldn't have bought it.
  - -> I might have gotten another brand had I realized it would be so hard to operate.
  - -> Had we not been so busy, we could have shopped around.
  - -> Had I been told they wouldn't operate without batteries, I would never have considered getting them.

#### REMEMBER

Use the past unreal conditional to describe unreal or untrue conditions and results.

- Grammar Practice. On a separate sheet of paper, rewrite the following past unreal conditional sentences, using the inverted form.
  - 1. They would have lent her the money if she had asked.
  - 2. If I had been debt free, I would have considered buying that house.
  - 3. If the Carsons hadn't been able to support their son, he would have had to find a part-time job.
  - 4. Could you have gotten the car if they hadn't raised the price?
- Integrated Practice. Make statements of buyer's remorse, using the inverted form of the past unreal conditional and the Vocabulary. Compare statements with a partner.
  - 1. ... I would never have gotten that espresso maker.
  - 2. ... we never would have bought such a large sofa.
  - 3. ... I could have gotten an entertainment center with fewer pieces.
  - 4. ... we probably would have bought a more economical car.
  - 5. ... I would have gotten a DVD player with simpler directions.

"Had I known it would take up so much room, I would never have gotten that espresso maker."

# NOW YOU CAN Express buyer's remorse

- A Notepadding. On your notepad, answer the questions about something you regret buying. Tell your partner about it.
- B Use the Conversation Strategies. Role-play a conversation about the item on your notepad. Use the Conversation Snapshot as a guide. Start like this: "Hey, I heard you got . . . . "

What did you buy?

Why did you buy it?

Do you still have it?

If so, where is it?

If not, what did you do with it?

Would you ever buy a similar item again?

Why or why not?

3 Describe your spending habits

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Can you believe what Martin is! He refused to leave a tip for the waiter!
 Our grandmother donates to many organizations. She's always been very

5. If you try to be more with your money, you'll have enough when you

6. Unless you stop being such \_\_\_\_\_\_, you're going to get deeper in debt.

that he wouldn't even lend his own son money.

Savino

with her money.

friends to dinner.

really need it.

3. He's so \_\_\_

#### NOW YOU CAN Describe your spending habits

A Frame Your Ideas. First circle the letter that best completes the statement for you. Then compare your answers with a partner's. Find out if your spending habits are the same or different,

## **Spending Habits Self-Test**

- You hear a great new song on the radio.
- A. buy the CD at the first store you find it in. B. shop around until you find the CD on sale.
- C. borrow it from a friend.
- D. other:
- 2. You'd love a state-of-the-art big-screen TV but you just don't have the money right
- A. use your credit card and hope you get a raise this year.
- B. cut back on other expenses until you've saved enough.
- C. wait until big-screen TVs come down in price.
- You have lunch with your two best friends. Your meal was cheaper than theirs. When the bill comes, you.
- A. offer to pay the entire bill.
- B. suggest splitting the bill equally.
- C. pay only what you owe.
- D. other:

- 4. You're invited to a wedding. You .
- A. spend more on a gift than you can afford.
- B. spend as little on a gift as you can.
- C. don't go so you don't have to buy a gift.
- D. other:
- You discover a hole in your favorite jacket.
- go out and buy a new jacket.
- have the jacket repaired.
- C. wear the jacket-it's no big deal.
- D. other:

#### Count up your score

#### If you circled three or more As:

You can be generous at times, but you're a bit of a spendthrift. Your motto is "Easy come, easy go!"

#### If you circled three or more Bs:

You're usually very careful with your money-even thrifty. Your motto is "Everything in moderation."

#### If you circled three or more Cs:

You hate spending money. Some might say you're a tightwad. Your matto is "Money doesn't grow on trees!"

#### If you circled three or more Ds:

How would you describe your spending habits?

- Group Work. Tell your classmates about your spending habits or your partner's. Use the Self-Test and the Vocabulary from page 32.
- Summarize. On a separate sheet of paper, describe your spending habits.

I make a good living, but I have trouble sticking to a budget and

## Discuss reasons for charitable giving

Vocabulary. Charity and Investment. Listen and practice.

char-i-ty /'tsærati/ n. plural charities 1 [C] an organization that gives money, goods, or help to people who are poor, sick etc. 2 [U] charity organizations in general

con-tri-bu-tion /,kantra byu[an/ n. 1 [C] something that you give or do in order to help something be successful 2 [C] an amount of money that you give in order to help pay for something

in-vest-ment /in'vestmont/ n. 1 [C,U] the money that people or organizations have put into a company, business, or bank, in order to get a profit or to make a business activity successful 2 [C,U] a large amount of time, energy, emotion etc. that you spend on something

phi-lan-thro-pist / fi'lænθrapist/ n. [C] a rich person who gives money to help people who are poor or who need money to do useful things

**pro-fit** /'prafit/ n. [C,U] money that you gain by selling things or doing business

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- B Reading Warm-up. What are some reasons people donate money? What kinds of people or organizations get contributions? Why?
- (1) Reading. Read the article. What reasons does Paul Newman give for donating to charity?

On your ActiveBook disc: Reading Glossary and Extra Reading Comprehension Questions

## Actor and Philanthropist

Actor Paul Newman began acting in 1954 and appeared in more than fifty films in his lifetime. He won an Oscar for best actor in 1986 for The Color of Money. In 1993, Newman received a special Oscar for humanitarian service. These two awards reflect his dual success as actor and philanthropist.

In 1982, Newman and a friend, A.E. Hotchner, founded Newman's Own, a not-for-profit food products company. The company's first product was a salad dressing that Newman and Hotchner made at home themselves. Newman

was told that the salad dressing would sell only if his face were on the label. Though he didn't want to call attention to himself, Newman agreed because he planned to

donate all profits to charity. The salad dressing was a big success: In the first year, Newman contributed approximately US\$1,000,000 to charitable organizations.

Newman's Own expanded, and the company now makes many other food products. Every year, Newman donated 100% of the profits from the sale of Newman's Own products to thousands of educational and charitable organizations. And since Paul Newman's death in 2008, Newman's Own, Inc. continues this practice and has donated more than US \$295 million to charities in the U.S. and 31 other countries around the world.

One of Newman's special projects was the Hole in the Wall Gang Camps, the world's only network of camps for children with lifethreatening illnesses. At these camps, children participate in many outdoor activities where

they can temporarily forget their illnesses. Newman and other generous donors have sponsored over 100,000 children to attend these camps free of charge. When asked why he gave so much to children with illnesses, Newman said, "I've had such a string of good fortune in my life.... Those who are most lucky should hold their hands out to those who aren't."

> Paul Newman didn't think that being philanthropic was an exceptional quality. To him, generosity was simply a human trait, a common-sense way of living. "I respect generosity in people. I don't look at it as philanthropy. I see it as an investment

in the community. I am not a professional philanthropist," said Newman. "I'm not running for sainthood. I just happen to think that in life we need to be a little like the farmer who puts back into the soil what he takes out."

"I don't look at it as philanthropy. I see it as an investment in the community."

- Express and Support an Opinion. Discuss the questions.
  - 1. Why do you think Paul Newman's face has helped to sell his products?
  - 2. Do you think that the work Newman is doing is making a difference?

NOW YOU CAN Discuss reasons for charitable giving

3. In your opinion, do famous or wealthy people have a responsibility to "give back" or to share what they have with others?

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a homeless person			
a seriously ill person			
a political candidate			
a disaster relief agency			
☐ a hospital			
a school in a poor neighborhood			
a theater or a museum			
☐ a local charity			

O Discussion. Talk about the people and organizations you would or would not give money to. Use your notepad. Explain your reasons.

an international charity
 a religious institution

other:

"I would rather give money to a local charity because they'll use it to help people in my community."

Presentation. Choose one person, charity, or type of organization people donate money to.
Write a paragraph explaining the reasons why people should donate to this cause. Use the
Vocabulary from page 34 in your paragraph. Then present your ideas to your class or group.

#### Writing: Explain your financial goals

#### Sequencing Events: Review

When writing a paragraph, the sentences need to be logically organized. **Time order words** are used to clarify the order of events in someone's life, to present the steps in a process, or to give instructions.

Special time order words and expressions help make sequence clear:

- First,
   First of all,
   To begin with,
- Second, Third,
- Next, Then, Following that,
- After, Afterwards, After that,
- Finally, Lastly, In the end,

#### WRITING MODEL

I intend to be financially independent by the time I am sixty. How? To begin with, I plan to live within my means. I will cut corners where I can and stick to my budget. Then, I hope to open up my own business. Next, I intend to start putting some money away. After that, I plan to make some smart investments. In the end, by the time I am sixty, I will have saved up enough to retire and buy a nice weekend house.

A Prewriting. Listing Ideas. Choose a topic. Then complete the chart.

#### Topics

- · My long-term financial goals
- The steps I need to take in order to buy

	Goal or step	My plan	Completion date
First,			
Then,			
After that,			
Finally,			

Writing. Write a paragraph, using your notes. Use time order words and expressions to organize the sequence of goals or steps in your paragraph. Remember to write a topic sentence.

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Topic:

- □ Did you use time order words or expressions in the paragraph?
- ☐ Does the sequence of events in the paragraph make sense?
- □ Does the topic sentence introduce the topic of the paragraph?

## Review

#### ActiveBook: More Practice

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C	onversation 1. Conversation 2. Conversation 3.	
-	a. If he'd known it would just sit around collecting dust, he never would have bou	ight it
	b. He's too much of a spendthrift. He should be more frugal.	BILL IC.
	c. He's not a spendthrift. He's just feeling generous.	
	d. If he'd known it would be so hard to put together, he never would have bought	it.
		.T.T.)
C	omplete the statements with words from the box.	
	<ol> <li>Steve Gold, an assistant to a big executive at World Corp, saved his company a lot of money by purchasing airplane tickets online from a discount travel website. His boss appreciated his being so</li> </ol>	charities contribution
	2. Bill Gates, founder of the Microsoft Corporation, is not only one of the richest men in the world, but he's also one of the most	frugal generous investment
	3. Dan Fielding expected that his in the ComTech Corporation would result in a nice However, the business failed and Dan lost all of his money.	philanthropist profit
	4. One of the richest women in history, Hetty Green was also notoriously . She once refused to light the candles on her birthday cake so she could return them to the store for a refund. Hetty is considered to be history's greatest	stingy tightwad
	5. Andrew Carnegie was a famous who gave away over U\$\$350 million to His largest was for U\$\$56 million dollars, which was used to build over 2,500 free public libraries around the world.	
W	/rite a conditional sentence for each regret below. Begin with an inverted form ("Had I ")	i.
	1. a regret about your financial situation	
	2. a regret about something you bought	
	3. a regret about a relationship	
	xpress your future plans and goals. Use the perfect form of an infinitive or the uture perfect.	
	1. Before the end of today, I plan	
	2. By next month, I will	
	3. By the end of this English course, I expect	
	4. By the end of the year, I intend	
	5. Within five years, I hope	

## UNIT

## **Looking Good**

#### **Preview**

GOALS After Unit 4, you will be able to:

- Discuss appropriate dress
- 2 Comment on fashion and style
- 3 Evaluate ways to change one's appearance
- 4 Discuss appearance and self-esteem

A Topic Preview. These pictures depict concepts of ideal beauty at different times and in different places. Do you find any of these fashions attractive?



In India, Pakistan, the Middle East, and Africa, women paint their faces and hands with henna for special occasions.



For centuries in Japan, the geisha defined beauty and grace.

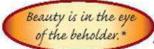
Paduang women of Myanmar begin lengthening their necks with gold bands at the age of five or six.

In New Zealand, it is traditional for Maori men to decorate their faces and bodies with tattoos.



#### B Express Your Ideas.

- 1. What things do people do today to make themselves more attractive? Which techniques do you think are the most successful?
- 2. In your opinion, why do tastes change over time from culture to culture?
- 3. What do you think this expression means? Do you agree?



beholder-the person who is looking

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation between a couple about dressing up and dressing down.





MARGO: Don't you think you might be a little overdressed?

PAUL: What do you mean?

MARGO: Hello! The invitation said casual.

PAUL: Oops. I thought we were supposed to get

dressed up. Be right back.

PAUL: How's this?

MARGO: Now that's a little too casual.

PAUL: Margo! I wish you'd make up your mind.
MARGO: And what's with the baggy pants?
PAUL: OK. If I change into a polo shirt and a pair

of slacks, will that work?

MARGO: Perfect.

Activate Language from a Text. Use the following words to tell the story of what happened in the conversation.

underdressed

overdressed

formal

casual

#### STARTING POINT

- Apply Ideas. Look at the pictures.

  Are the people dressed appropriately for each event? With a partner, use the words from Exercise D to describe how the people are dressed. Then compare your answers with other students'.
- B) Relate to Personal Experience.
  Discuss the questions.
  - 1. When was the last time you got dressed up? What did you wear?
  - Have you ever been underdressed or overdressed for an event? What happened? How did you feel?







#### Discuss appropriate dress

(4)) Grammar Snapshot. Read the article and notice the quantifiers.

## Dressing Up for Work

Most professionals around the world wear formal business attire to work in company offices. In many countries, there is an unwritten dress code making it mandatory for a man to wear a dark suit and tie and for a woman to wear a skirted suit. But in several countries. more companies are experimenting with casual business dress during working



Formal business attire: a thing of the past?

In Australia, during the hotter summer months, a number of companies are allowing employees to leave their suits at home. And in the United States, a little over half of all office workers are allowed to dress

down on Fridays. One third of U.S. companies make the standard business suit optional-allowing casual clothing every day. There is a great deal of interest in a casual dress code because of its attraction to new employees.

However, some critics complain that casual dress in the office causes a lot of problems, among them, less productivity. Each manager needs to decide if "business



Some complain that business casual leads to less productivity.

casual" is right for his or her company. A few experts in the fashion industry claim that the trend toward casual office dress is on the way out. But a recent survey found that a majority of employees say their company dress code is at least as casual or more casual than it was two years ago.

#### **B** Examine Cultural Expectations. Discuss the questions.

- How do professionals dress for work in your country? Do people ever wear "business casual"? What kinds of clothing are mandatory?
- 2. Do you think the way a person dresses has an effect on how he or she works? In what way?

#### Grammar. Quantifiers

Some quantifiers can only be used with singular count nouns.

one person each manager

every employee

Some quantifiers can only be used with plural count nouns.

two problems a couple of employees both companies a few managers a number of businesses several women

many young people a majority of professionals

Some quantifiers can only be used with non-count nouns.

a little conformity much choice a great deal of interest

less productivity not as much satisfaction NOTE: The quantifier a majority of can also be used with singular count nouns that include more than one person. Use a third-person singular verb.

A majority of the class thinks business casual is a good idea.

A majority of the population prefers a strict dress code.

#### Some quantifiers can be used with both count and non-count nouns.

no people some / any employees

a lot of / lots of companies a third of the companies

plenty of businesses most managers all young people more countries

no choice some / any conformity a lot of / lots of individuality a third of the money plenty of satisfaction most dissatisfaction

all innovation more interest

#### GRAMMAR BOOSTER

- Quantifiers: review
- A.few and few a little and little
- Using of
- · Used without referents
- Subject-verb agreement with quantifiers with of



Grammar Practice. Circle the correct quantifier. Explain your answer.

"Businesspeople is a plural count noun."

- 1. (Most / Much) businesspeople today prefer to dress casually.
- 2. (A number of / A great deal of) companies would prefer not to change their dress codes.
- 3. (All / Every) manager has to decide what is best for the company and its employees.
- (One / Several) company in New Zealand decided to try a "casual summer" because the summers are always so hot.
- Research has shown that a business casual dress code has resulted in (less / a few) job dissatisfaction among professionals.
- 6. (A little / A few) companies are returning to a more formal dress code.
- Grammar Practice. Read the Grammar Snapshot again. On a separate sheet of paper, rewrite the article, using different quantifiers with similar meanings.

Most professionals around the world wear formal business attire to work in company offices. A majority of professionals around the world wear formal business attire to work in company offices.

- Listening. Infer Information. Listen to the conversations about casual and formal dress. Determine how best to complete each statement.
  - 1. He'd prefer to \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. dress up
- b. dress down

- 2. She wants to \_\_\_\_.
- a. dress up
- b. dress down

- 3. He's pretty sure a tie is \_\_\_\_\_.
- a. optional
- b. mandatory

- 4. She thinks a dress is .......
- a. optional
- b. mandatory

#### NOW YOU CAN Discuss appropriate dress

A Frame Your Ideas. How do you think people in your country would generally suggest dressing for these events? Discuss appropriate and inappropriate dress for

"Most people would . . . , but a few people . . . . "

#### Events

- a business meeting
- dinner at a nice restaurant
- dinner at the home of your friend's parents
- an evening party at a club or restaurant with your classmates
- · an in-class party
- B Use the Grammar. In a group, compare your classmates' opinions. Use quantifiers to summarize your classmates' ideas.

"A majority of the class said . . . ."

"A few students said . . . ."

Discussion.

each event.

- 1. Do you think it's important to dress according to social conventions? Explain.
- 2. How does what people wear affect how others perceive them?

B: Which guy?

A: The one on the cell phone. Can you believe what he's wearing?

B: What do you mean?

A: Don't you think that shirt's a little flashy?

B: Well, the colors ARE pretty loud, but that's what's in style.

(1) Rhythm and intonation practice

B (1) Vocabulary. Describing Fashion and Style. Listen and practice.

#### Attractive

fashionable / stylish in style / trendy / hot\* elegant / chic striking

modern temporarily popular in good taste attention-getting

#### Unattractive

old-fashioned / out of style no longer popular tacky\* in poor taste flashy\* attention-getting shocking offensive

\*informal

Listening. Listen to Activate Vocabulary. Listen to the conversations about fashion and style. Choose the adjective from the Vocabulary that best summarizes each speaker's point of view.

1. They think the purses in the magazine are

b. flashy

2. He thinks the jacket Carl is wearing is a. stylish

b. flashy

3. They think the girl's hairstyle is

a. striking b. old-fashioned c. shocking

4. He thinks the dress the salesperson is suggesting is b. striking c. trendy

5. She thinks the blouse her friend's holding is

a. out of style

b. tacky

c. chic

Vocabulary Practice. What do you and your partner think of these fashions and hairstyles? Use the adjectives from the Vocabulary to describe them in your own way.



- Think and Explain. With a partner, read and match each quote with a person in the photos in Exercise D. Explain your answers. Which quote sounds the most like you?
- 1. "Clothing should express your individuality. I don't want to conform to how other people look or what they wear—I prefer to stand out in a crowd."
- 4.

"I draw the line at wild and crazy clothes. I just don't like to attract attention to myself. I'm a lot more comfortable in subdued colors and classic styles."

- 2. "What I wear may not be the most trendy but I like it that way. I'd rather be comfortable than fashionable."
- 5.

"I prefer a look that isn't just a fad that won't be in style for very long. I prefer clothes that are well made—they may cost a bit more, but they last longer."

"The way you dress affects how people perceive you, so it's important to dress well. I always choose designer labels—they're the best."

#### NOW YOU CAN Comment on fashion and style

A Frame Your Ideas. Complete each statement about fashions in your own way.

Use these words and expressions.

I prefer clothes that . . .

I don't like to . . .

I dislike it when women wear clothes that . . .

I dislike it when men wear clothes that . . .

conform stand out attract attention express one's individuality

old-fashioned out of style tacky fisshy

shocking

well made comfortable wild and crazy classic subdued fashionable stylish elegant striking trendy

B Use the Conversation Strategies. Explain why you find some fashions attractive and some unattractive. Refer to the photos on this page or bring in others. Use the Vocabulary from page 42 and the Conversation Snapshot as a guide. Start with one of the following expressions:

"Check out . . ." "Can you believe . . .

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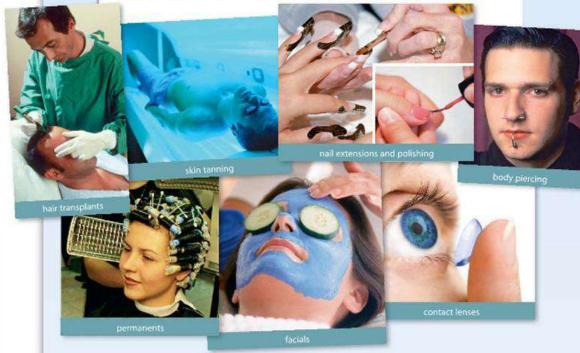
#### NOW YOU CAN Evaluate ways to change one's appearance

A Frame Your Ideas. Discuss and complete the checklist with a partner.

#### Ways people spend time and money to make themselves more attractive

Which do you think are good ideas for women? How about for men? Which do you think are good for both? Check the appropriate box.

	men	women		men	women
skin lightening			contact lenses		
skin tanning			false eyelashes		
body piercing			makeup		
tattoos			hair coloring		
facials			permanents (perms)		
manicures			hair transplants		
nail extensions			wigs		
nail polishing			hair removal		
cosmetic surgery			other		



#### B Discussion.

- 1. Who do you think should spend more time making themselves attractivemen or women? Why?
- 2. Can people do too much to try to make themselves attractive? If so, what do you think is "too much"?

## GOAL Discuss appearance and self-esteem

Word Skills. Using the Prefix Self-. Use a dictionary to find other words with the prefix self-.

self-confidence the belief that one has the ability to do things well

Parents can build their children's self-confidence by praising their accomplishments.

self-esteem the attitude of acceptance and approval of oneself

High self-esteem can help a person succeed, and low self-esteem can be damaging.

self-image the opinion one has about one's own abilities, appearance, and character

Mark's self-image improved after he started his new job.

self-pity the feeling of being sorry for oneself It's easy to indulge in self-pity when you're faced with problems. self-centered interested only in oneself

Children are naturally self-centered, but they usually learn to be more interested in others as they grow up.

self-confident sure of oneself; not shy or nervous in social situations

Janet is a very self-confident young woman. She'll do well at the university.

self-conscious worried about what one looks like or what other people think of one's appearance Everyone at the meeting was dressed casually, so I felt self-conscious in my suit.

self-critical tending to find fault with oneself Paul is too self-critical. He always focuses on his mistakes rather than his accomplishments.

B Reading Warm-up. Do you think most people are self-conscious about how they look?

Reading. Read the article about female body image. What do you think is expressed in the song lyrics?



The average fashion model is 5 feet, 11 inches (1.83 meters) tall and weighs 117 pounds (53 kilograms). The average woman is 5 feet, 4 inches (1.65 meters) tall and weighs 140 pounds (63.5 kilograms).

### WHO DEFINES BEAUTY?

\*Am I not pretty enough? Is my heart too broken?

**ADJECTIVES** 

Why do you see right through me?"

What makes a girl beautiful? The lines above are from the song "Not Pretty Enough," written and performed by Kasey Chambers, an Australian folk-rock singer and songwriter. The words tell us a lot about what it's like to be female in a society in which media such as television, movies, and magazines define what it means to be beautiful.

In cultures where success and happiness are equated with being thin and attractive "just like models or movie stars," many young women are left feeling either invisible or fat and unaccepted.

It might not surprise you to read that 75 percent of women in the United States think that they are "too fat." But many people do not realize how these ideas about body image have affected teenagers and children. You don't have to look much farther than a billboard sign, magazine advertisement, or popular television show to see how girls and women are being presented and to understand how it affects them.

On your ActiveBook disc: Reading Glossary and Extra Reading Comprehension Questions On average, U.S. children age eight or older spend almost seven hours a day watching television, playing video games, or reading magazines. Studies have revealed these trends:

- If they had just one wish, girls ages eleven to seventeen say they would wish to be thinner.
- Between the ages of ten and fourteen, the percentage of girls who are "happy with the way I am" drops from 60% to 29%.
- · 80% of ten-year-old girls are on diets.
- Between 5 and 10 million teenage girls and young women have an eating disorder—extreme dieting that can be dangerous to their health.
- Teenage cosmetic surgeries more than doubled in the last decade and are growing at an alarming rate.
- 70% of girls say they have wanted to look like an actress.
   About 30% have actually tried to.

Young people can benefit from realizing how much they are being targeted as a consumer group and how media messages are used to either sell them products or convey messages about body image, self-esteem, social values, and behavior.

Information source: www.riverdeep.net

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Identify Supporting Details. Complete each statement, according to "Who Defines Beauty?" Then support your answers, using information from the article.

#### Writing: Compare two people's tastes in fashion

#### Compare and Contrast: Review

Compare (show similarities)	Contrast (show differences)
like Like Sylvia, I wear jeans all the time.	unlike Unlike her sister, Wendy wears great clothes. OR Wendy wears great clothes, unlike her sister.
similarly I grew up paying little attention to fashion. Similarly, Mel was not very interested in clothes. OR I grew up paying little attention to fashion; similarly, Mel was not very interested in clothes.	in contrast I've always liked body piercings and tattoos. In contrast, my boyfriend thinks they're ugly. OR I've always liked body piercings and tattoos; in contrast, my boyfriend thinks they're ugly.
likewise My mother always liked elegant clothes. Likewise, her two sisters did too. OR My mother always liked elegant clothes; likewise, her two sisters did too.	however Lily had to wear a uniform when she was in school. However, I was able to wear anything I wanted. OR Lily had to wear a uniform when she was in school however, I was able to wear anything I wanted.
as well / not either  Many people spend too much money on clothes.  They spend too much on shoes as well.  Our parents' generation didn't worry so much about fashion. Their own parents didn't either.	whereas / while Sam spends a lot of money on clothes, whereas Jeff shops in thrift stores. OR Sam spends a lot of money on clothes, while Jeff shops in thrift stores.

#### A Prewriting. Organizing Ideas.

Choose a topic and draw a diagram similar to the one on the right. Label the circles with the topics you are comparing and write <u>Both</u> in the middle. List the differences in each circle and the similarities in the middle.

B Writing. Write two paragraphs comparing and contrasting ideas, referring to the notes in your diagram. In your first paragraph, write about the differences. In your second paragraph, write about the similarities. Use connecting words and include a topic sentence for each paragraph.

# Me -conservative style -wear suits, skirts, blouses -like to wear hats -buy clothes on sale -have many pairs of shoes -kind of eccentric -likes flashy pants, facky shoes My brother

#### Topics

- Compare and contrast your fashion style with that of someone you know.
- Compare and contrast fashion today with fashion five, ten, or twenty years ago.

#### C Self-Check.

Did you correctly use connecting words for comparing?
 Did you correctly use connecting words for contrasting?
 Does each paragraph have a topic sentence?

#### Review



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A		Listen carefully to the conversations about tastes in fashion.
	Inter which adject	tive best describes what each person thinks.

b. in style

B Complete each statement with an appropriate word or phrase.

a. out of style

- 1. A set of rules for how to dress in a particular situation is a dress
- In the United States and Canada, many companies allow their employees to wear "business" on Fridays—they don't have to wear suits, skirts, or ties.

c. striking

- Some companies allow employees to dress \_\_\_\_\_\_ for some business meetings where the focus is on getting to know each other in a more casual setting.
- When a fashion is \_\_\_\_\_ style, people no longer wear that fashion. When a fashion is \_\_\_\_\_ style, everyone wants to wear it.
- Cross out the one quantifier that cannot be used in each sentence.
  - 1. (Every / A few / Most) older people find today's fashions pretty shocking.
  - Our company says that it will allow us to dress down (one / a couple of / a few) days a week.
  - 3. (Most / Many / Every) young girls aren't worried about the way they look.
  - (Much / A majority of / A number of) researchers are concerned about the effect the media has on young boys as well.
  - 5. (Many / Most / Much) men wore their hair very short in the 1930s.
  - I'd say your sister could use (some / a little / a few) fashion help.
  - There are (several / most / many) reasons why so many people have eating disorders.
  - A new study says that (most / many / every) children who watch TV for more than six hours a day may have problems with self-esteem as teenagers.
- Write a paragraph explaining your opinion about one of these expressions.

  Give concrete examples from your life.

"Beauty is only skin-deep." "Beauty

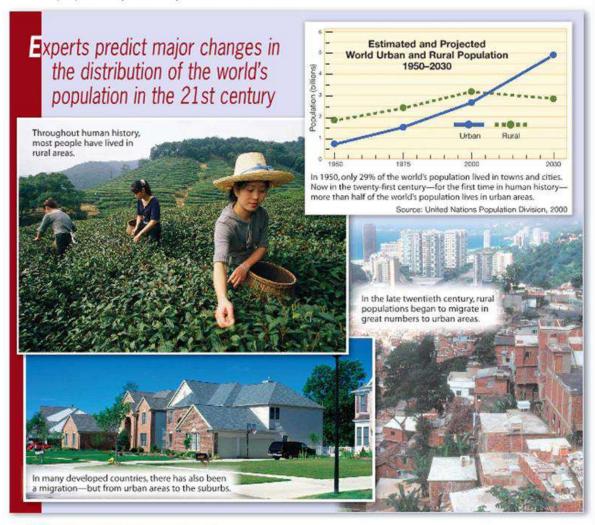
"Beauty is in the eye of the beholder."

## **Community**

**Preview** 

GOALS After Unit 5, you will be able to:

- Politely ask someone not to do something
- 2 Complain about public conduct
- 3 Discuss social responsibility
- 4 Identify urban problems
- Topic Preview. Look at the graph and photos. Where do most people live in your country—in rural or urban areas?



- B Interpret Data from a Graph. With a partner, answer the questions, according to the information in the graph.
  - Approximately how many people in the world will be living in urban areas in 2030? How about in rural areas?
  - 2. In what year did the world's urban population surpass the world's rural population?
- Express Your Ideas. Is there much migration in your country? What are some reasons people migrate?

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation about city life.

DON: Hey, Kyle! So how's the big city treating you?

KYLE: Funny you should ask. Not great.

DON: What do you mean?

KYLE: Well, on my way here, I'm crossing the street and this guy in an SUV turns the corner and almost runs me over.

DON: Are you serious?

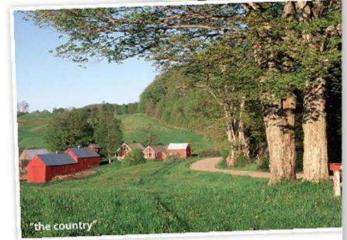
KYLE: Yeah. The driver was in such a big hurry he didn't even notice. I just can't keep up with the pace here.

**DON:** Well, you do have to learn to stay on your toes in the city.

KYLE: It really gets to me sometimes. I don't think I'll ever get used to it. I guess I'm just a country boy at heart.

- Think and Explain. Read the conversation again. With a partner, explain the meaning of each of the following statements or questions.
  - 1. "So how's the big city treating you?"
  - 2. "I just can't keep up with the pace here."
  - 3. "You do have to learn to stay on your toes."
  - 4. "It really gets to me sometimes."
  - 5. "I'm just a country boy at heart."





#### STARTING POINT

A Frame Your Ideas. What are some advantages and disadvantages of living in each type of place? Write them in the chart.

	Advantages	Disadvantages	
the country			
the city			
the suburbs			

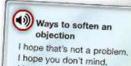
B) Discussion. Where would you prefer to live—in the country, the city, or the suburbs? Why?

## 1 GOAL Polite

#### Politely ask someone not to do something

Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen.
Notice the conversation strategies.

- A: Do you mind my smoking here?
- B: Actually, smoking kind of bothers me.
  I hope that's not a problem.
- A: Not at all. I can step outside.
- B: That's very considerate of you. Thanks for asking.
- Rhythm and intonation practice



I hope it's OK / all right.

I don't mean to

inconvenience you,

#### B Grammar. Possessives with gerunds

You can use a possessive before a gerund when you want to indicate the performer of the action.

The kids' singing was too loud.

Your constant arguing is getting on my nerves.

I didn't like their talking during the movie.

You should complain about Sam's cutting in line.

The thing that bothers me is her smoking.

In informal spoken English, a noun or an object pronoun is often used instead of a possessive.

I can understand John being annoyed. (instead of "John's being annoyed")

I can't accept them ignoring me. (instead of "their ignoring me")

Grammar Practice. Combine the two statements, using a possessive with a gerund.

Example: They allow smoking. I'm not in favor of it.

I'm not in favor of their allowing smoking.

- 1. He plays his MP3 player in the library. I don't appreciate that.
- 2. They smoke cigars in the car. My mother objects to it.
- 3. She's talking on her cell phone. We don't mind it.
- 4. My brother litters. I'm really annoyed by it.



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3. polite	→ impolite	6. responsibl	e → irresponsib	PRONUNCIATION
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#### Complain about public conduct



Grammar Snapshot. Read the interview responses and notice the paired conjunctions.



Wendy Kwon, 23 Chicago, USA

What ticks me off? Well. I can't understand why people litter. Who do they think is going to clean up after them? Either they should throw their garbage in a trash can or hold on to it till they find one. I think it's great that people have to pay a fine for littering. Maybe they'll think twice before doing it again.

#### What ticks you off?



Dana Fraser, 36 Toronto, Canada

You know what gets to me? Smoking. It's such an inconsiderate habit. Secondhand cigarette smoke is neither good for you nor pleasant to be around. I'd like to see smoking banned from more public places. Don't non-smokers have rights too?



Yuan Yong Jing, 28 Beijing, China

It really bugs me when people spit on the street. Not only do I find it disgusting, but it's also unhygienic. It's important to think about other people's feelings and public health.



Jorge Santos, 31 São Paulo, Brazil

Here's something that gets on my nerves: I hate it when people use their cell phones in public places. They annoy other people, not only on trains and buses but also in theaters. They should have the courtesy to either turn their phones off or to leave them at home. It really makes me angry. I guess it's kind of my pet peeve.

Express Your Ideas. Do any of the behaviors described in the interview responses "tick you off"? With a partner, discuss and rate each of them as follows:

extremely annoying

somewhat annoving

not annoving at all

#### GRAMMAR BOOSTER

- · Conjunctions with so too. neither, or not either
- So too neither or not either: short responses

#### Grammar. Paired conjunctions

You can connect related ideas with paired conjunctions.

either . . . or

Either smoke outside or don't smoke at all. Cell phones should either be turned off or left at home.

neither . . . nor

I would allow neither spitting nor littering on the street. Neither eating nor chewing gum is acceptable in class.

not only ... but (also)

Not only CD players but also cell phones should be banned from trains.

BE CAREFUL! When not only . . . but (also) joins two clauses, notice the subject-verb position in the first clause of the sentence.

Not only did they forget to turn off their cell phones, but they also talked loudly during the concert. Not only are they noisy, but they're rude.

Verb agreement with paired conjunctions When joining two subjects, make sure the verb agrees with the subject closer to the verb.

Either the mayor or local businesspeople need to decide. Either local businesspeople or the mayor needs to decide.

- Grammar Practice. On a separate sheet of paper, combine the sentences with the paired conjunction indicated. Use or, nor, or but (also).
  - My uncle isn't willing to give up smoking. My grandparents aren't willing to give up smoking. (neither)
  - People should speak up about what bothers them. They should just learn to live with other people's habits. (either)
  - I don't like it when people use cell phones in theaters. I don't like it when they use them on buses. (not only)
  - 4. The smell of the smoke bothers me. The danger to my health bothers me. (not only)

#### NOW YOU CAN Complain about public conduct

A Notepadding. Make a list of some of the things that really get on your nerves in public places. Then write sentences with paired conjunctions to express your opinion. Use some of the adjectives with negative prefixes. IDEAS In restaurants: talking on sell phones · cutting in line · graffiti on walls It's not only annoying, but it's also very impolite. · talking in theaters · strong perfumes In restaurants: gossiping In stores: Adjectives with negative prefixes On buses and trains: disrespectful immature impolite On the street: inconsiderate inexcusable irresponsible In offices: unacceptable unpleasant In movie theaters: Other:

B Use the Grammar. One student is an "on-the-street interviewer" and asks the other students about what gets on their nerves. Use the sentences with paired conjunctions from your notepad in your responses.

What really ticks me off is ...

I can't understand why ...

I'll tell you what really gets on my nerves....

You want to know what really bugs me?

- C Discussion.
  - 1. In your opinion, how should people behave in public places? Do you think it's important to speak up when people behave inconsiderately in public?
  - 2. Do you ever do things that annoy other people? Explain.

## GOAL Discuss social responsibility

A Vocabulary. Ways to Perform Community Service. Listen and practice.



B Vocabulary Practice. Would you ever consider doing any of the community service activities in the Vocabulary? With a partner, explain why you would or would not.

"I would never consider donating my organs because it's against my beliefs."

Listening. Listen to Summarize. Read the questions and listen to Part 1 of the story about Nicholas Green and his family. Take notes on your notepad. Then summarize the first part of the story with your partner.

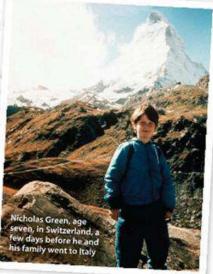
Where were the Greens from?

What were they doing in Italy?

What happened to Nicholas?

What decision did his parents make?

How did the Italian people react?



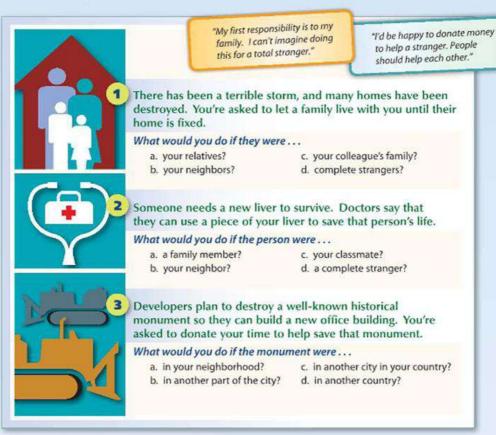
Listening. Listen for Details. Read the questions and listen to Part 2. Discuss your answers with a partner.

- What changes occurred in Italy after the Greens made their decision? What is "The Nicholas Effect"?
- 2. How many people received one of Nicholas's organs? What effect did his gift have on their lives?
- 3. As a result of this incident, what are the Greens doing today?

- Critical Thinking. Discuss the questions, using information from the listening passage and your own ideas.
  - Do you think you would have made the same decision the Greens did if you had been in their situation? Why or why not?
  - 2. Why do you think people responded so strongly to this story?

#### NOW YOU CAN Discuss social responsibility

A Frame Your Ideas. Consider each situation and discuss what you might do. Based on your answers, how strong do you think your "sense of community" is? Compare ideas with a partner.



**Discussion.** Have you or someone you know ever volunteered for some kind of community service? How important is it for a person to be active in his or her community? Explain.

## 4 Identify urban problems

Reading Warm-up. What problems do you think cities of 10 million or more people might share?

B Reading. Read the interview. Do you agree with Dr. Perlman's views?

## The Advent of the Megacity

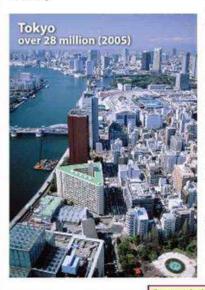
Following is an interview with Dr. Janice Perlman, founder and president of Mega-Cities Project, Inc. Her organization attempts to make cities worldwide more livable places by taking good ideas from one place and trying to make them work in another.

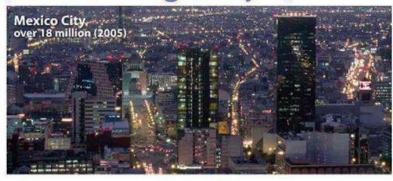
Q. How do you define "megacity"?

A. We define megacities in our work as cities that have reached populations of 10 million or more. The majority of these are in developing countries. Migration to the city is the route for many people to greater choice, opportunity, and well-being. By coming to settle in the city, they have in effect "voted with their feet."

Q. Why are these places going to be very important in the next hundred years?

A. The 21st century won't be a century of rural areas and small towns but of giant cities that will set the standard of how we live, how our environment is preserved (or not preserved), how our economies work, and what kind of civil society we develop.





Q. Do megacities in the developed and developing world differ, or are they linked by certain similarities?

A. These large cities have a lot more in common with each other than they do with the small towns and villages in their own countries. For example, every megacity struggles with a widening gap between rich and poor. Every "first-world" city, such as Los Angeles, New York, London, or Tokyo, has within it a "third-world" city of poverty and deprivation. And every third-world city, such as Calcutta, Cairo, or Mexico City, has within it a first-world city of high culture, technology, fashion, and finance.

In addition, all megacities share the problems of providing jobs and economic opportunities, and making housing, education, and health care available. They deal with crime and violence, as well as basic infrastructure such as water, sanitation, and public transportation. This is no easy task. The leaders of these cities recognize that they have similar problems, and they would like to learn more from other cities, particularly about successful solutions.

If we are going to create livable cities for the next century, we will need to be clever enough to do it through collaboration and cooperation. That is why the Mega-Cities Project works to share experiences that work across boundaries of culture and geography. Q. Is the solution to urban problems strict central planning?

Asolutely not. We need decentralized planning that includes local citizens. In my view, attempts to create planned cities or communities—like Brasilia or Chandigarh—are too sterile and miss the spontaneity of cities that grew organically, like Rio de Janeiro, Bombay, or even New York City. The best example of urban planning I've seen recently is in Curitiba, Brazil, which set up a brilliant public transportation system in anticipation of population growth. The historic areas of cities like Siena, Paris, or Barcelona all have elements of planning that led to buildings of similar heights and architecture, but they were not centrally planned. There is a lot of diversity within the design, and people love to go to those cities.

Megacities are really very exciting places. The truth is, I've never met a megacity that I didn't like!

The World's Ten Largest Urban Areas	Population in 1996	(millions) in 2015	Rank in 2015
1 Tokyo, Japan	27.2	28.9	1
2 Mexico City, Mexico	16.9	19.2	7
3 São Paulo, Brazil	16.8	20.3	4
4 New York, United States	16.4	17.6	9
5 Mumbai (Bombay), India	15.7	26.2	2
6 Shanghai, China	13.7	18	8
7 Los Angeles, United States	12.6	14.2	15
8 Kolkata (Calcutta), India	12.1	17.3	10
9 Buenos Aires, Argentina	11.9	13.9	17
10 Seoul, Korea	11.8	13	19

Source: U.N. Department of Economic and Social Affairs Population Division

Information source: www.megacitiesproject.org

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#### Writing: Complain about a problem

#### Formal Letters: Review WRITING MODEL When writing to a friend or family member, an informal tone, 4719 McPherson Avenue your address casual language, and abbreviations are acceptable. However, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19102 when writing to the head of a company, a boss, or someone June 30, 2006 you don't know, standard formal language should be used, Red Maple Café and regular spelling and punctuation rules apply. Formal 708 West Pine Street recipient's letters are usually typewritten, not handwritten. The following Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19102 address salutations and closings are appropriate for formal letters: Dear Sir or Madam: Formal salutations Formal closings I live a few blocks from your restaurant. For Dear Mr. / Mrs. / Ms. / Dr. / Professor [Lee]: the past several months, I have noticed that in the Sincerely (yours), evenings there is a lot of trash on the side of your Dear Sir or Madam: Respectfully (yours), building. Cats in the neighborhood turn over the garbage cans, and the trash goes everywhere. To whom it may concern: Best regards, This is not only unpleasant to look at, but it is also a health hazard. Cordially, Could you please make sure that when the trash is put out, the garbage cans are closed? Your helping keep our neighborhood clean and Letters of Complaint beautiful would be greatly appreciated. When writing a formal letter of complaint, first state the reason why you are writing and the problem. Then inform Respectfully, closing whomever you are writing what you would like him or her to do about it, or what you plan to do. A Prewriting. Listing Ideas. Think of a problem in your community that you would like to complain about. List the reasons why it is a problem. Problem: trask on side of building Writing. On a separate sheet of paper, use your Reasons: -unpleasant to look at notes to write a letter of complaint. State what -health hatara you intend to do or what you would like to see done. Remember to use the appropriate level of Problem: formality. Reasons: G Self-Check. ☐ Did you use the proper salutation and closing? Are the tone and language in the letter appropriate for the audience? □ Did you use regular spelling and punctuation and avoid abbreviations? Peer Response. Exchange letters with a partner. Write an appropriate response to your

partner's letter, as if you were the person to whom it

was addressed.

#### Review

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A	<b>W</b> Listening.	Listen carefully to the conversations about cities. Check the adjectives
	that are closest in	meaning to what the people say about each place. Listen again if necessary.

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2. "Would you mind not smoking in here?"

YOU

3. "What bugs you about living in your town?"

YOU)

4. "Who do you know that really gets on your nerves?"



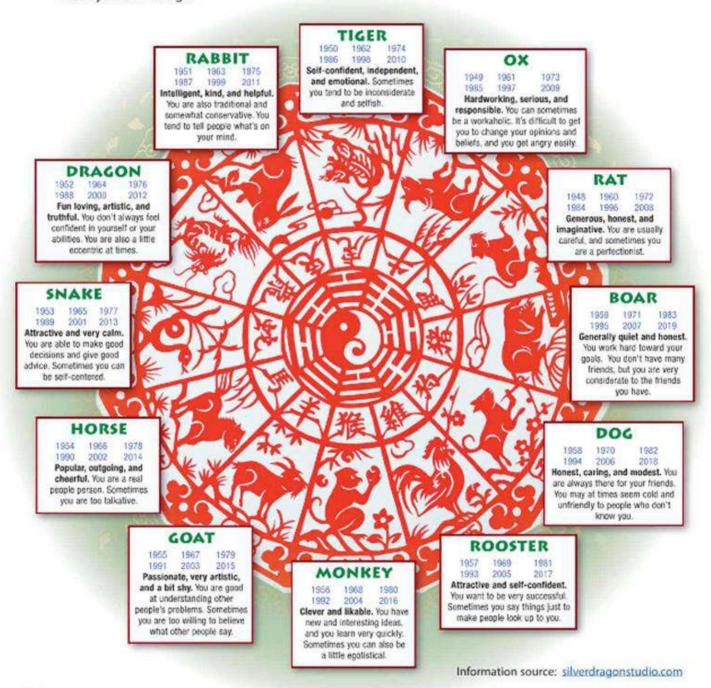
- Make each sentence logical by attaching a negative prefix to one of the adjectives. Use a dictionary if necessary.
  - Painting graffiti on public buses and trains is really excusable.
  - I believe littering and spitting on the street are responsible behaviors.
  - Young people who play loud music without consideration for the people around them are exhibiting really proper behavior.
  - I think it's very appropriate for people to scream into their cell phones in theaters.

- When a salesperson is rude, I find it not only respectful but also annoying.
- I should warn you that the air pollution downtown is really pleasant.
- I think politicians who are honest and corrupt should be punished.
- It doesn't help when people are courteous to each other.
- Combine the sentences with the paired conjunction indicated. Use or, nor, or but (also).
  - 1. Restaurants shouldn't allow smoking. Theaters shouldn't allow smoking. (neither)
  - 2. Smoking should be banned. It should be restricted. (either)
  - 3. Littering doesn't offend me. Spitting doesn't offend me. (neither)
  - 4. I think loud music is rude. I think loud people are rude. (not only)

## 6 Animals Preview

GOALS After Unit 6, you will be able to:

- Exchange opinions about the treatment of animals
- 2 Discuss the benefits of certain pets
- 3 Compare animal characters
- 4 Debate the value of animal conservation
- A Topic Preview. Find your birth year on the Chinese Zodiac. What's your animal sign?



#### **B** Express Your Ideas.

- How well do the adjectives for your sign describe your personality? How are you different from the description?
- 2. Do you think the descriptions match the animals in any way? Why or why not?

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation between two friends at the zoo.

ALICIA: I can't believe I let you talk me into coming here. I really have a problem with zoos.

BEN: C'mon. These guys have got it made. They're wellcared for. They're healthy. They've got plenty of food.

ALICIA: You could say the same thing about people in prisons. What about freedom? I hate seeing animals cooped up in cages.

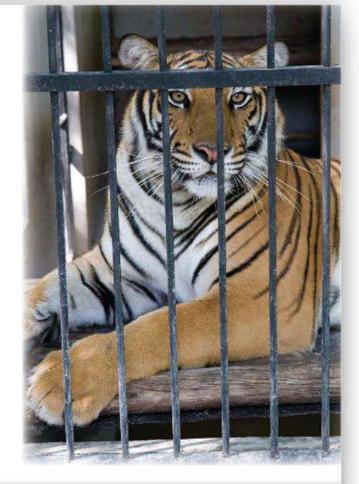
**BEN:** You think animals are any happier in the wild? Always hungry? Running from some bigger animal that's trying to eat them?

ALICIA: I don't know. Maybe not.

BEN: Just look at that tiger over there. Where else could you see such a beautiful animal up close?

**ALICIA:** You're right about that. He is magnificent.

- Think and Explain. With a partner, discuss the questions and support your answers with information from Sound Bites.
  - 1. What is Alicia's objection to zoos?
  - 2. How is Ben's attitude different from Alicia's?
  - 3. What does Ben mean when he says, "These guys have got it made"?
  - 4. What do Alicia and Ben agree on about zoos?



#### STARTING POINT

Associate Ideas. What adjectives do you associate with different animals? With a partner, choose five adjectives and discuss an animal you think each adjective describes.

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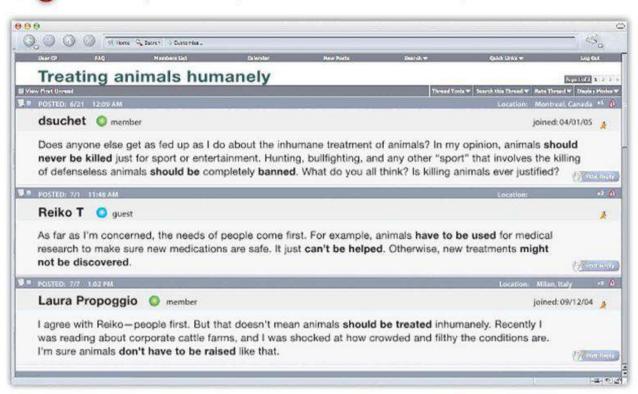
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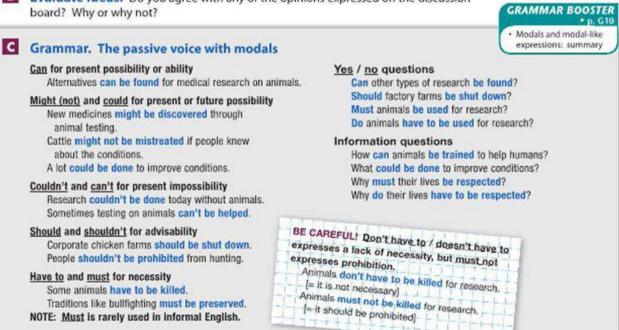
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#### Exchange opinions about the treatment of animals

(1)) Grammar Snapshot. Read the posts on a discussion board and notice the passive modals.



**Evaluate Ideas.** Do you agree with any of the opinions expressed on the discussion board? Why or why not?



Grammar Practice. Write sentences using modals and the correct form of the passive voice. 1. People / should / allow to hunt deer. 2. Alternatives to animal research / might / discover. 3. Wild animals / shouldn't / keep as pets. 4. Fox hunting / should / ban. 5. The treatment of animals / could / improve. (v) Vocabulary. Ways Animals Are Used or Treated. Listen and practice. They're used for medical They're trained to perform research. in circuses They're killed for their hides and fur. They're used for racing. They're raised for fighting. They're trained to help people with disabilities. They're slaughtered for food.

Integrated Practice. On a separate sheet of paper, write your opinion about each of the ways animals are used or treated. Use the passive voice with modals.

Animals should be kept in zoos so people can enjoy them.

## NOW YOU CAN Exchange opinions about the treatment of animals

A Use the Grammar. Exchange opinions with a partner about the ways animals are used or treated. Ask and answer questions, using passive modals.

"Animals have to be used for medical research. We can't experiment on humans, can we?"

> "Actually, I don't think animals should be treated that way. I think it's morally wrong."

#### Expressing an opinion

I think / believe / feel . . . . it's morally wrong. it's OK under some circumstances. it's wrong no matter what. I'm in favor of

I'm opposed to

#### Disagreeing

I see what you mean, but
That's one way to look at it,
but
On the one hand but on
the other hand
I completely disagree.

#### Agreeing

I couldn't agree with you more, I completely agree. You're so right.

B Discussion. Compare your classmates' opinions on the treatment of animals. Does the majority of the class feel the same way? 2

#### GOAL

#### Discuss the benefits of certain pets

- Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen. Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: I've been considering getting an iguana for a pet.
  - B: Are you out of your mind? I've heard they're filthy.
  - A: Actually, that's a misconception. Iguanas are very clean and make great pets.
  - B: In what way?
  - A: Well, for one thing, they're very intelligent. And believe it or not, I find them beautiful.
  - (1)) Rhythm and intonation practice
- B (1) Vocabulary. Describing Pets. Listen and practice.

Positive traits				
adorable	cute and charming			
affectionate	exceptionally friendly and loving			
gentle / good-natured	easygoing; good with people and other pets			
low maintenance	easy to care for and inexpensive to keep			
loyal / devoted	attentive to its owner; reliable			

Negative traits				
aggressive	violent; sometimes dangerous			
costly	expensive to buy and to take care of			
destructive	harmful to furniture and other things			
filthy	unclean; makes a mess			
high maintenance	time-consuming to take care of			

Listening. Listen to Activate Vocabulary. Listen to the conversations about pets. Then listen again and complete the chart. Use adjectives you know that best describe the advantages and disadvantages the people talk about. Discuss if you think the people will get the pet.

Pet	Advantages	Disadvantages
Conversation 1		
Conversation 2		
Conversation 3		
Conversation 4		

- Express and Support an Opinion. Discuss the questions.
  - 1. Do you think that an animal can be a good companion? Why or why not?
  - 2. Do you know anyone who is very attached to his or her pet? Why do you think some people get so close to their animals?



#### NOW YOU CAN Discuss the benefits of certain pets

A Notepadding. Which animals do you think make good pets or bad pets? With a partner, discuss and make a list on your notepad. Use the pictures or other animals you know. Write complete sentences, using the Vocabulary from page 66.

Why? Good pets Why? Bad pets B Use the Conversation Strategies. Role-play a conversation about getting a pet. Use the Conversation Snapshot as a guide. Start like this: "I've been considering getting ..."

#### GOAL

#### Compare animal characters

Vocabulary. Describing Character Traits. Listen and practice.

clever able to use one's intelligence to do something
gullible too ready to believe what other people say, and therefore easy to trick
mean willing to hurt others, especially with words
selfish caring only about oneself and not likely to share with others
sincere saying what one really feels or believes
vain too proud of one's looks, abilities, or position
wise able to make good decisions and give good advice based on life experiences

- B Vocabulary Practice. Complete each sentence with an adjective from the Vocabulary.
  - 1. Don't be so \_\_\_\_\_. When something sounds too good to be true, it usually is!
  - He is so \_\_\_\_\_ that he won't go out if his hair is a bit messy.

  - 4. My parrot is so that he's learned how to say three new words this week.

  - 6. My grandfather knew how to help me with my problems. He was really



Listen to the fable of "The Fox and

the Crow." Choose character traits from the Vocabulary to describe each animal. Then listen again and write the moral, or the lesson, of the story in your own words.

Adjectives for the fox

Adjectives for the crow

The moral of the story

"The fox saw a crow in a tree."

Now listening. Draw Conclusions.
Now listen to the fable of "The Peacock's Tail." Choose character traits from the Vocabulary to describe each animal.
Then listen again and write the moral of the story in your own words.

Adjectives for the peacock

Adjectives for the sparrow

The moral of the story



"A small brown sparrow sat in a tree watching the peacock."

- Make Comparisons. Discuss the questions.
  - 1. How are the crow and the peacock alike? What trait or traits do they share?
  - Have you ever known anyone who has the same traits as the peacock, the crow, the fox, or the sparrow? Explain.

### NOW YOU CAN Compare animal characters

A Notepadding. What are your favorite animal stories from books, cartoons, TV programs, or movies? Choose three animal characters and describe the animals' character traits on your notepad.

Animal characters	Character traits	
1.		
2.		
3.		

- B Associate Ideas. With a partner, compare and discuss the animal characters you chose.
  What moral or lesson about life do you think the characters try to teach?
- Discussion. Why do you think writers often use animals instead of people in stories?
  Why do you think so many children's stories are about animals?

# Debate the value of animal conservation

Reading Warm-up. What are some endangered animals you can think of? What are some threats to their survival?

B (\*\*) Reading. Read the article. Do you agree with the point of view expressed?

On your ActiveBook disc: Reading Glossary and Extra Reading Comprehension Questions

# Protecting Our Natural Inheritance

The earth is rich in biodiversity with millions of different species of plants and animals. However, many species are disappearing at an alarming rate. Biodiversity is reduced when ecosystems are modified and habitats of plants and animals are

There are only about 700 mountain gorillas left in the wild.

destroyed. The one species that is causing this phenomenon is the same one that can stop it-humans.

Many scientists view the current wave of species extinctions as unrivaled since the disappearance of the dinosaurs, more than 65 million years ago. Currently, around 11,000 species of plants and animals are at risk of disappearing forever-this includes over 180 mammals.

Many species cling to survival. Found only in China, the giant panda's habitat has been decimated—the old-growth bamboo

forests where the pandas make their home are being destroyed rapidly. It is estimated that as few as 1,600 giant pandas remain in the wild today. In the Arctic, the polar bear's icy habitat is disappearing as a result of global warming, and its survival is at risk. And in Central and East Africa, which have endured decades of civil war, the mountain gorilla population now totals just over 700 individuals.

If present trends continue, humanity stands to lose a large portion of its natural inheritance. Extinction is one environmental problem that is truly irreversible-once gone, these species cannot be brought back.

What can be done? World Wildlife Fund (WWF), the global conservation organization, has been working since 1961 to conserve the diversity of life on earth. In recent years, WWF has advanced giant panda conservation by training more than 300 panda reserve staff and local government officials, working with the community to help save habitat and guard against illegal hunting. By spreading awareness of the

danger of carbon dioxide emissions, and by promoting the use of renewable energy resources such as wind and solar power, WWF is trying to head off the effects of global warming, giving the polar bear a chance to survive. With the help of other organizations in Africa, WWF has established a system to monitor the status of mountain gorillas in order to be able to address potential threats.

The polar bear's habitat

is at risk.

Why care about endangered animals? There are many reasons for protecting endangered species, including our own survival. Many of our foods and medicines come from wild species, and each wild species depends on a particular habitat for its food and shelter, and ultimately its survival. If one species in an ecosystem disappears, other species are affected. And when one ecosystem is altered or destroyed, a ripple effect occurs, and

> the interdependency of all living things becomes clear. Animals not only need protection to ensure their own species' survival, but they also serve as umbrella species; helping them helps numerous other species that live in the same habitat.

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Beyond economics and human well-being, however, the rapid extinction of so many creatures on our planet raises profound ethical and moral questions. What sort of world will our children inherit? Do we want the future to be a place where pandas and gorillas only exist in captivity in zoos? If we are unable-or unwilling-to protect the animals we share our planet with, what does that say about humankind's future on earth?



For more information on WWF and its work, visit www.worldwildlife.org.

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- Understand from Context. Use the context of the article to determine the meaning of the words and phrases.
  - 1. biodiversity (line 1)
    - a. endangered animals
- b. the variety of living things
- c. threats to nature

- 2. habitat (lines 4, 24, 28, and 61)
  - a. the food animals eat
- b. the place animals live
- c. the extinction of animals

- extinction (lines 12, 36, and 72)
  - a. global warming
- b. trying to protect animals
- c. the disappearance of a species

- 4. conservation (lines 40 and 45)
  - a. trying to protect animals b. dangers to animals
- c. feeding animals

- ecosystem (lines 4, 63, and 64)
  - a. trying to protect animals b. threats to animals
- c. how plants and animals work together

- Critical Thinking. Discuss the questions.
  - 1. According to the article, what are some reasons animals become extinct? Can you think of any other reasons?
  - 2. What arguments are given in the article to support animal conservation?
  - 3. Look again at the last paragraph in the article. How would you answer the questions it raises?

# NOW YOU CAN Debate the value of animal conservation

A Frame Your Ideas. Read and discuss the arguments for and against animal conservation. Which arguments are the strongest for each side of the animal conservation debate? Which are the weakest?

### Pros

### Cons

- Human beings have a responsibility to protect all living things.
- Species should be preserved for future generations.
- Natural parks and wildlife are big tourist attractions they generate jobs and income for local economies.
- . Species extinction at the current rate could lead to an ecological disaster.
- · We miss the chance for new discoveries, such as medicines, with every species we lose.
- Your own ideas:

- · Extinctions are simply part of the natural processit's the principle of "survival of the fittest."
- · Environmental protection costs a lot of money. It's "a luxury" for countries that have more serious problems.
- · Millions of species have already become extinct with no significant impact on the environment-it's no big deal.
- Conservation limits land available to farmers, who really need it for their livelihood.
- · Do we really need 2,000 species of mice?
- Your own ideas:
- B Debate. Is it important to spend money on animal conservation? Form two groups one for and one against. Take turns presenting your views.
- Discussion.
  - 1. Why do you think some animals become endangered? What are some threats to the survival of animals in the wild?
  - 2. In your opinion, are species worth saving even if they aren't "popular" or of any known value to people? Why or why not?

### Writing: Express an opinion on animal treatment

### Persuasion

To persuade readers to agree with your point of view, provide examples, facts, or experts' opinions that support your argument. Another effective technique is to demonstrate the weakness of opposing arguments. Summarize your main point in your concluding sentence.

Support your point of view	Offer experts' opinions
For example,	[Smith] states that
Another example is	According to [Rivera],
For instance,	

Ways to discuss opposing ar	guments	Ways to conclude your argument
It can be argued that Some people think It is true that	However,	In conclusion, In summary, To sum up,

#### WRITING MODEL

Zoos play an important role in animal conservation. For instance, studies suggest that research is more easily conducted in zoos. It can be argued that animals should be free and that it is unethical to keep them in zoos. However, the survival of these species depends on scientific studies. In conclusion, animals should be kept in zoos in order to support conservation efforts.

A	Prewriting. Planning Your Argument. Choose one of the questions in the following box or
	write your own question. State your opinion and list your arguments. Then think of possible
	opposing arguments.

- Is research on animals necessary in order to develop new medicines and procedures?
- Are some traditional forms of entertainment, such as circuses, bullfights, and cockfights, cruel to animals?
- Your own question:

Your	opinion:
Your	arguments:
1.	
2.	
3.	
Poss	ble opposing arguments:
1.	
2.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·

- Writing. On a separate sheet of paper, write a paragraph arguing your opinion from Prewriting. Remember to include a topic sentence at the beginning of the paragraph and a concluding sentence at the end.
- C Self-Check.
  - Did you state your point of view clearly?
  - Did you provide examples, facts, or experts' opinions to support your point of view?
  - ☐ Did you discuss opposing arguments?
  - ☐ Did you include a topic sentence and a concluding sentence?
- Peer Response. Exchange paragraphs with a partner. Do you agree or disagree with your partner's point of view? Write a short response, explaining why. Start like this: I agree / disagree because ....

# Review



### ActiveBook: More Practice

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1	Capuchin mankawa asa ka					
1.	a. used for medical research	b. loyal friends to hu	imans c. t	rained to	perform in circ	uses
2.	These monkeys are useful to hum				8.0	
	a. do simple jobs	b. push a wheelchair		vash dish	es	
<b>(1)</b>	Now listen to Part 2 and choose the	phrase that best complet	es the state	ments.		
	Dolphin-assisted therapy had a p					
	a. moral or ethical development	b. speech developme		hysical d	evelopment	
2.	Children respond to dolphins bed	ause dolphins are				
	<ol><li>good swimmers</li></ol>	b. intelligent	c. p	olayful		
3.	Many of these children respond b	etter to people after	*			
	a. a year of treatment	<b>b.</b> a few treatments	<b>c.</b> (	few wee	ks of treatment	
Chan	ge the adjective in each statement so	o it makes sense.				
1.	A relaxed pet that never bites is d	estructive.				
2.	A cat that bites or scratches peopl	le is affectionate.				
3.	A pet that likes to be with people	is aggressive.				
4.	A dog that chews on shoes is ador	rable.				
5.	A pet that makes a mess is sociable	е.				
Comp	plete each statement with an approp	riate character trait.				
	A person who says or does unkin					
	People who can't pass a mirror w		elves are			
	If one expresses oneself honestly					
	Someone who is too trusting of o				11175	
	People who think mainly about the		10			
	People who are skillful at getting					
	If people have good judgment on			v are		
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Choo	se four of the topics from the box. U	se modals with the	endangered :	mimals	hunting	pets
	ve voice to state your own opinion ab		horseracing		bullfighting	zoos
Ex	cample: Hunting should be ban	ned because it's in	humane.			
1.				*11:00:00		
2.						
3.						

# **7**

# Advertising and Consumers

**Preview** 

GOALS After Unit 7, you will be able to:

- 1 Give shopping advice
- 2 Discuss your reactions to ads
- 3 Persuade someone to buy a product
- 4 Describe consumer shopping habits

Topic Preview. Look at the types of advertisements companies use to try to get consumers to buy products. What types of ads do you think you are most exposed to daily?



### B Express Your Ideas.

- Which type of advertising do you find the most effective? Why?
- 2. Read the information to the right. Are you surprised by these statistics? Do you think they are similar for your country?

### Daily Exposure to Advertising

In the United States, the average person is exposed to approximately 254 advertising messages each day—108 from TV, 34 from radio, and 112 from print. If you include brand labels on products and corporate logos on the sides of buildings, this number increases to over 1,000 ads per day.

Advertising Media Inter Center

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a couple talking about ads in a catalog.

BOB: I think it's about time I got myself one of these electric massage chairs.

ANN: What on earth for?

BOB: It would just be nice to have one. That's all.

ANN: Sounds like a waste of money to me. Don't they have anything useful in there?

BOB: See for yourself.

ANN: Now here's something I'd like to get my hands on—a self-watering

flowerpot.

BOB: You've got to be kidding.

ANN: No, I'm not. I think one of these could

come in really handy.

Focus on Language. Read the conversation again. With a partner, find an expression in the conversation that is similar in meaning to each of the following statements or questions.

- 1. Why would you do that?
- 2. That's a useless thing to buy.
- 3. I'd really love to have one.
- 4. You can't be serious.
- 5. It might be very useful.

Relate to Personal Experience. Tell your partner about something you'd really like to "get your hands on."



### STARTING POINT

**Discussion.** What do you think of these products? Do you think any of them could be useful?

"I'd like to get my hands on one of these. It would really come in handy."

"You've got to be kidding. What a waste of money!



Air Pollution Mask
Don't let polluted air ruin your health.



PORTA-BELLS

Wherever you are, just fill them with water and start your workout. Perfect for travel!



# GOAL Give shopping advice

- Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen.
  Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: I think I'd like to pick up a few souvenirs before I go back home. Any suggestions?
  - B: What do you have in mind?
  - A: Nothing in particular. Just something to help me remember my trip.
  - B: Well, the central market would be a good bet if you want to find a bargain.
  - A: Can you haggle over the prices?
  - B: Of course!
  - Rhythm and intonation practice

B Vocabulary. Shopping Expressions. Listen and practice.

browse take one's time looking at goods in a shop without necessarily wanting to buy anything I'm not looking for anything in particular. I'm just browsing.

bargain-hunt look around for goods that one can buy cheaply or for less than their usual price The best time to go bargain-hunting is at the end of the season when the stores have big sales.

window-shop look at goods in store windows without going inside or intending to buy them The prices in the shops downtown are a bit steep, but I like to window-shop. haggle / bargain discuss the amount of money one is willing to pay for something

I hate haggling over prices. / It's a great place if you like to bargain.

shop around / comparison shop go to different stores in order to compare the prices and quality of things so one can decide which to buy

I think I'll shop around first before I make up my mind. / I'd suggest you comparison shop before you buy that new computer.

Listening. Listen to Activate Vocabulary. Listen to the conversations about shopping. Infer whether or not the people think the shop's prices are high. Then listen again and choose the best shopping expression to complete each statement.

Do	they t	hink th	They don't say.	e is high?	
1.	0	0	0	They're (bargain-hunting / haggling).	
2.	0	0	0	They're going to (window-shop / comparison shop).	
3.	0	0	0	They're just (browsing / haggling).	
4.	0	0	0	They just want to (bargain-hunt / window-shop).	
5.	0	0	0	They're going to (browse / bargain).	

- Pair Work. With a partner, fill in the duty-free price list with brand-name products you know. Then agree on a price for each product.
- E Express Your Ideas.
  Compare your items
  and prices with other
  classmates'. Describe the
  prices, using the
  expressions from page 76.

"What a steal! I'd buy that in a minute!"

> "You've got to be kidding! That's **highway robbery!**"





### NOW YOU CAN Give shopping advice

A Frame Your Ideas. Discuss the questions.

Are you a smart shopper? Do you comparison shop or buy the first thing you see? Are you good at spotting bargains? Where do you find your best bargains? Do you like to haggle over prices? Give examples to explain each answer.

B Notepadding. Where are the best places to take a visitor shopping in your city or town? Make a list with a partner.

Name of place or location	What you can buy there	IDEAS
Traine of place of foculari	man you oun day more	a shopping mall an open-air market a clothing district an electronics district a furniture district a boutique
		an art gallery a department store

Use the Conversation Strategies. Role-play a conversation in which one of you is a visitor and the other gives shopping advice for his or her town or city. Use your notes, the Vocabulary from page 76, and the Conversation Snapshot as a guide. Start like this: "I think I'd like to pick up a few souvenirs ..."

# GOAL

# Discuss your reactions to ads

Grammar Snapshot. Read the interviews and notice the passive forms of gerunds and infinitives.



Eric Michaels, teacher Izmir, Turkey



There's a billboard for a smart phone that I see every day on my way to work. It shows this elderly woman crying as she sees her grandkids on her phone. I'm not an emotional guy, but that ad chokes me up. It makes me think about my mom back in Los Angeles. Once in a while, we all need to be reminded about the important things in life.



There's this one really funny TV commercial for a language school. This cat puts his head into a bowl with a goldfish swimming in it, but the fish barks like a dog and scares the cat away. Then the words "Learn another language" appear on the screen. It always cracks me up when I see it. I enjoy having my day brightened with a little laughter, even if it's just from an ad.



Helen Clark, lawyer Perth, Australia



That would be the toothpaste ad they keep playing on my favorite music station. It's loud and obnoxious, and it absolutely drives me crazy. It gets on my nerves to be forced to listen to a dumb ad over and over again when I'm just trying to listen to music.



Well, I know one that comes pretty close. There's this company here that produces sports drinks—they had a commercial with these amazing acrobats. The things they did just blew me away. I don't usually like TV commercials, but I don't mind being entertained by a good one.

B Understand from Context. Explain the meaning of each of these expressions from the interviews.

It blows me away.

It cracks me up.

It chokes me up.

It gets on my nerves.

- Discussion. Do you generally find advertisements annoying or enjoyable? Why?
- Grammar. Passive forms of gerunds and infinitives

Use a passive form of a gerund or an infinitive to focus on an action instead of who performed the action.

Use being and a past participle to form a passive gerund.

I enjoy being entertained by commercials.

I resent being forced to watch ads before movies.

I appreciate not being treated like I'm a child.

Use to be and a past participle to form a passive infinitive.

I don't expect to be told the truth by advertisers.

Advertisers want their products to be remembered.

I was disappointed not to be asked to participate in the survey.

### REMEMBER

- Some verbs are followed by gerunds, some by infinitives, and some by either.
- Certain adjectives are often followed by infinitives.

See page A3 in the Appendices for a complete list.

### GRAMMAR BOOSTER > p. G12

Past forms of gerunds and infinitives



	ole are watching.	so (tall)	the rubole buth shout the	andust not half touthe
			the whole truth about the p	
4. My s	ister was disappointed (n	iot / give)	the chance to appear in	that new commercial.
Grammar	Practice On a senarate sh	neet of namer rewrite	each sentence. Use a passive	REMEMBER
	erund or an infinitive to replace			A by phrase identifies the performer of the action.
	: I don't mind when adve n't mina being informa			The commercial was seen by millions of people.
1. I can	't stand <u>advertisers forcin</u>	ng me to watch con	nmercials over and over aga	ain.
2. I rese	ent one company's telling	me that I shouldn	t buy another company's p	roduct.
3. You'r	re lucky the company is g	iving you an oppo	rtunity to work overseas.	
4. We ca	an't tolerate their calling i	us while we're eati	ng dinner.	
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# Persuade someone to buy a product

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Vocabulary. Ways to Persuade. Listen and practice.

endorse personally recommend a product in exchange for payment promote make sure people know about a new product in order to persuade them to buy it imply suggest that something is true, without saying or showing it directly prove show that something is definitely true, especially by providing facts, information, etc.

Infer Information. Read about eight advertising techniques. Write the letter of the example that you think illustrates each technique. Explain your answers.

### Eight techniques used by successful advertisers Provide facts and figures Prove the superiority of a product with statistics and objective, factual information Convince people to "join the bandwagon" imply that everyone is using a product, and that others should too, in order to be part of the group 3. Play on people's hidden fears Imply that a product will protect the user from some danger or an uncomfortable situation 4. Play on people's patriotism Imply that buying a product shows love of one's country 5. Provide "snob appeal" Imply that use of a product makes the customer part of an elite group 6. Associate positive qualities with a product Promote a product with words and ideas having positive meanings and associations 7. Provide testimonials Use a famous person or an "average consumer" to endorse a product so the consumer wants it too 8. Manipulate people's emotions Use images to appeal to customers' feelings, such as love, anger, or sympathy

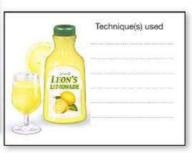
### Examples

- A professional soccer player recommends a particular brand of
- b. A hotel chain shows a businesswoman in her room, calling home to talk to her children.
- c. A soft drink manufacturer shows young people having a great time drinking its product at the beach.
- d. A car manufacturer states how quickly its car can go from 0 to 100 kilometers per hour.
- e. A coffee manufacturer shows people dressed in formal attire drinking its brand of coffee at an art exhibition.
- f. A credit card company claims that its card is used by more people than any other card.
- g. A clothing manufacturer promotes its clothes by saying they are made by and for people in this country.
- h. A laundry detergent manufacturer suggests that it will be socially embarrassing if your white clothes are not really white.

Information source: www.entrenet.com

Listening. Support Reasoning with Details. Listen to each ad. Then listen again. Decide which technique or techniques the advertiser is using to persuade the consumer to buy the product. Explain your answers.







Apply Ideas. With a partner, discuss some ads you know and decide which techniques they use.

### NOW YOU CAN Persuade someone to buy a product IDEAS Notepadding. In a group, choose a product and create a magazine, newspaper, TV, or radio advertisement for it. Choose one or more · a car advertising techniques to persuade your classmates to buy the · an airline product. Make notes on your notepad. · a drink Plan your ad · a cell phone Type of product: · an English-language school Name of product: · a brand of toothpaste Type of ad: · your own idea: Technique(s): B Presentation. Present your ad to your class. Show it, read it, or act it out. Analyze your classmates' ads and discuss which techniques were used. As a class, assign awards for these categories: Vicencest touding ad The chargest and Themest Uncontract to Servered of Ulicanies!

# Describe consumer shopping habits

- A Reading Warm-up. Are you a careful shopper, or do you buy things on impulse?
- B Reading. Read the article. How is compulsive shopping a problem?

# Compulsive Shopping: The Real Cost

Just in the last century, the way in which we consume material goods has shifted radically. For our grandparents, and some of our parents, shopping meant buying provisions to satisfy physical needs. Today, in addition to buying necessities, we shop to indulge ourselves in luxuries—high-priced gym shoes or the latest, most high-tech entertainment system. And we shop for the sheer fun of it. Most of us acquire continuously—everything from groceries to cars, from clothing to toiletries, from home furnishings to sporting equipment—and through our acquisitions, we express a sense of identity, taste, and lifestyle.

On your ActiveBook disc: Reading Glossary and Extra Reading Comprehension Questions But some people go overboard. Their spending becomes excessive and often carries troubling consequences. Some people cannot resist the temptation, and very often they buy merely to acquire. This type of impulse buying can become so obsessive that people find themselves in considerable financial debt and psychological distress. Recent studies suggest that extreme impulse buying is on the increase, affecting an estimated 5 to 10 percent of the adult population in many countries.

We tend to define ourselves by what we buy and have. This often affects how we feel as well. For many, buying things on impulse is a way of avoiding or hiding feelings of anxiety and loneliness.

However, shopping as a way of dealing with internal distress is seldom effective for long. In fact, research suggests that people who consider shopping to be a priority in their lives tend to experience more anxiety and depression as well as a lower level of well-being than those who don't.

The long and short of it is this-you can't buy happiness.

### **Tips for Controlling Impulse Buying**

- When you're just browsing and get the urge to buy something, ask yourself first if you really need it.
- Avoid sales. Spending any money on something you don't need is overspending.
- Follow the "24-hour rule." Don't buy anything new on the spot. Come back the next day if you think you really need it.
- Stick to a budget. Plan to splurge on the occasional wild purchase, but don't buy if it isn't in your budget.

Information source: www.theallengroup.com

- Understand from Context. Find these expressions in the article. Explain the meaning of each.
  - 1. indulge ourselves
  - 2. go overboard
  - 3. resist the temptation
  - 4. impulse buying
- 5. get the urge
- 6. overspending
- 7. splurge on

- Relate to Personal Experience. Discuss the questions.
  - According to the article, how have shopping habits changed over the last few generations? From your experience, do you agree?
  - Do you think compulsive shopping is a common problem? Do you know any compulsive shoppers? Give examples.
  - 3. Do you think the tips in the article might be helpful for someone who wants to resist the temptation to overspend? Based on your experience, what tips would you suggest?

# NOW YOU CAN Describe consumer shopping habits

A Frame Your Ideas. Take the self-quiz. Check the statements that are true for you.

#### Pahelic? Are you a I sometimes feel guilty about how I spend my money shopping. Total the number of boxes you When I'm feeling blue, it cheers me up to go shopping. checked. When I go shopping, I can't resist the temptation to buy If your total is: something-I just can't come home empty-handed. 0-3 Great! Keep up the good habits! I feel uncomfortable if I haven't bought anything in a week. 4-5 Not too bad! When I plan to go shopping for one item I need, I frequently Congratulations for admitting you're not end up coming home with a lot of things I don't need. perfect! I spend more than I have to in order to get more expensive 6-8 Uh-oh! designer names and labels. Sounds like trouble may be around the corner! I can't pass up a good sale-even if I don't need anything, I just It's time to tighten your have to indulge myself. purse strings. I sometimes lie to people about how much my purchases cost. 9-10 Red alert! It's time to take the bull by the horns and I get more pleasure out of spending money than saving money. change some of the ways you shop and My shopping habits have caused problems in my personal spend money. relationships in some way.

- **Discussion.** Choose one of the following topics and meet in small groups with other classmates who have chosen the same one. Share your conclusions with the class.
  - 1. Do you think most people tend to go overboard with their shopping? Explain.
  - 2. Do you think people are too influenced by advertising? Explain.
  - 3. Should people only spend money on things they need and never on things they don't need? Is it OK to buy on impulse sometimes? Is it OK to splurge once in a while?
- Project. Create a class newsletter with articles about consumer shopping habits and responsible shopping.

# Writing: Explain an article you read

### Summarize and Paraphrase Another Person's Ideas

A summary is a shortened explanation of the main ideas of an article. When writing a summary, include only the author's main points, not your own reactions or opinions. Be sure to paraphrase what the author says, instead of just copying the author's exact words.

To summarize an article, focus on main ideas and the most important supporting details. Use the following reporting verbs to paraphrase the writer's ideas: <a href="state">state</a>, <a href="argue">argue</a>, <a href="report">report</a>, <a href="believe">believe</a>, <a href="explain">explain</a>, <a href="point out">point out</a>, and <a href="conclude">conclude</a>.

The article states that . . . The journalist reports that . . . The writer points out that . . . The author concludes that . . .

Some other common expressions for reporting another person's ideas:

According to [Smith], . . . As [the article] explains, . . .

In [the writer's] opinion, . . . From [García's] point of view, . . .

### PARAPHRASING

When you paraphrase what a person says, you say it in your own words.

The author: 'But some people go overboard. Their spending becomes excessive and often carries traubling consequences. Some people cannot resist the temptation, and very often they buy merely to acquire.'

You: The author points out that it is difficult for some people not to buy things on impulse. They just buy anything they want.

Prewriting. Identifying Main Ideas. Read the article
"Compulsive Shopping: The Real Cost" on page 82 and underline
the important parts. Then read the article again and identify the main ideas below.

Main idea of paragraph 1:	
Main idea of paragraph 2:	
Main idea of paragraph 3:	
Main idea of paragraph 4:	

- **Writing.** On a separate sheet of paper, combine the main ideas to write your summary. Be sure to paraphrase what the author says, using your *own* words. Your summary should be no more than four to six sentences long.
- G Self-Check.
  - ☐ Is your summary a lot shorter than the original article?
  - Does your summary include only the author's main ideas?
  - Did you paraphrase the author's ideas?
  - ☐ Did you include your opinion of the article? If so, rewrite the summary without it.

# Review



### ActiveBook: More Practice

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- Listening. Listen to the conversations about prices. Then read the statements and listen again. Circle the phrase that best completes each statement, according to what the people say.
  - a. The woman thinks the price of the first vase is (a bit steep / a real bargain).
     The man thinks it's (a steal / a rip-off).
    - b. The woman thinks the second vase is (a steal / a good deal). The man thinks it's (a rip-off / no bargain).
  - a. The woman thinks the exercise bike from Freeman's was (a great offer / a rip-off). The man thinks it was (no bargain / a steal).
    - b. The woman thinks the price of the bike from Mason's is (a bit steep / a great deal). The man thinks it's (a better offer / no deal).
  - The man thinks the price of the necklace is (a bit steep / no deal).The woman thinks it's (pretty steep / a bargain).
    - b. The man thinks the earrings are (a good deal / a rip-off). The woman thinks they're (a great deal / no bargain).
- B Complete each statement with your own ideas.

Example: Watching old Charlie Chaplin mories always cracks me up.

1. cracks me up.

2. blows me away.

3. chokes me up.

4. gets on my nerves.

- Complete the statements with passive forms of gerunds or infinitives. Use being or to be.
  - 1. I don't recall any information.
  - 2. They want \_\_\_\_\_ more time for the project.
  - 3. She arranged to the airport.
  - 4. I was disappointed the news.
  - 5. He risked from his job.
  - 6. We were delighted to the wedding.
- On a separate sheet of paper, answer the questions in your own way.
  - 1. What kinds of things do you like to splurge on?
  - 2. Have you ever gone a little overboard buying something? Explain.
  - 3. What can't you resist the temptation to do? Why?

- 1 Describe family trends
- 2 Discuss parent / teen issues
- 3 Compare generations
- 4 Describe care for the elderly

### **Preview**

A Topic Preview. Look at the two cartoons about families.
Then answer the questions with a partner.



- Who do you think was speaking before the father spoke? What do you think was said?
- 2. Is your family a "democracy"? How do decisions get made?

"Because this family isn't ready to hold democratic elections—that's why!"

- 3. What didn't the father have when he was young that the son has now? Do you think the father has a good point, or is he being ridiculous?
- 4. In your family, is there a "generation gap" between older and younger family members? Explain.



"You have it easy. When I was your age, I had to walk all the way across the room to change the channel."

Express Your Ideas. Do you think the cartoons are funny? Do you think they portray typical families? Why or why not?

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation about relationships.

TERESA: Did you hear that Sam and Margaret got back together?

BETTINA: Wow! I didn't even know they'd split up! It shows you how out of touch I am.

TERESA: Well, they had this major falling out about two months ago, and they separated. But it looks like they've patched things up.

BETTINA: Good. They're a nice couple. I hope things work out for them.

TERESA: Me too. So, how's your family?

BETTINA: Not bad, but we've been having some trouble with our son.

TERESA: Really? What kind of trouble?

**BETTINA:** Well, he's been acting up in school. You know, talking back to his teachers, not doing his homework.

TERESA: Eric? I can't believe it! He's always been so well-behaved!

BETTINA: Well, I told him he's grounded until he shapes up. No
movies, no games, no trips to the mall.

TERESA: Smart move. Eric's a good kid, but you don't want him to turn into a troublemaker.



- Paraphrase. With a partner, use the context of the conversation to restate each of the following sentences in your own words.
  - 1. They got back together.
  - 2. They split up.
  - 3. They had a falling out.
  - 4. They patched things up.
  - 5. Things didn't work out.
- 6. My kids have been acting up.
- 7. Don't talk back!
- 8. Your son is so well-behaved.
- 9. He'd better shape up!
- 10. That kid is such a troublemaker.
- Express and Support an Opinion. Do you think grounding Eric is a smart move? In your opinion, what's the best way to handle or discipline a teenager who has been acting up?

### STARTING POINT

Relate to Personal Experience. Choose one of the topics. Tell your partner about a time you ...

had a difference of opinion with someone from another generation. had a falling out with a friend, a family member, or a colleague.

helped patch things up for someone else.

# Describe family trends

Grammar Snapshot. Read the information in the brochure and notice the comparatives.

# Falling Birthrates

Current trends show the size of families is changing, impacting societies worldwide. Women are marrying later, and couples are waiting longer to have children. And the longer couples wait to have children, the fewer children they

Two key factors that impact family size are the education and the employment of women. Studies show that the more education women get, the smaller families they have. Moreover, the longer women stay in school, the better their opportunities for employment. Working women are less

likely to marry young and have large families.

In addition to the falling birthrate, there is a rising life expectancy. With people living longer and longer, families are going to have to face the challenges posed by an aging population. The longer people live, the more care they require. Traditionally, children have cared for their elderly parents at home. However, the more the birthrate falls, the harder the future may be for the elderly. With fewer children, families may find it more and more difficult to care for their older members,



Information source: United Nations Statistics Division

- B Identify Cause and Effect. Discuss the questions.
  - According to the brochure, what factors explain why more couples are having fewer children?
  - 2. Why do you think populations are living longer? What problems does a larger elderly population pose?
- Grammar. Repeated comparatives and double comparatives

Repeated comparatives are used to describe actions and things that are increasing or decreasing.

The birthrate is getting lower and lower.

By the end of the twentieth century, couples were waiting longer and longer to marry.

More and more people are marrying later.

Fewer and fewer children are leaving school.

It's becoming more and more difficult.

### Double comparatives are used to describe a cause-and-effect process.

The more education women get, the later they marry. [Women are getting more education, so they're marrying later.] The less children studied, the more slowly they learned. [Children studied less, so they learned more slowly.]

### NOTE: When be is used in double comparatives, it is sometimes omitted.

The better the quality of health care (is), the higher the life expectancy (is).

#### BE CAREFUL! Don't use continuous verb forms in double comparatives.

The longer couples wait to have children, the fewer children they have. NOT The longer couples are waiting to have children, the fewer they're having.

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- Making comparisons: summary
- Other uses of comparatives. superlatives, and comparisons with as ... as



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# GOAL

## Discuss parent / teen issues

- A Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen.
  Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: What do you think parents should do if their teenage kids start smoking?
  - B: Well, I hate to say it, but there's not much they can do.
  - A: Why's that?
  - B: Well, teenagers are out of the house most of the day, so parents can't control everything they do.
  - A: I suppose. But they can ground them if they don't shape up.
  - Rhythm and intonation practice



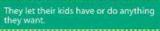
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B Vocabulary. Describing Parent and Teen Behavior. Listen and practice.

Parents can sometimes be . . .

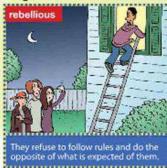








Teenagers can sometimes be .









They are rude to adults and think what adults say is not important.

- Vocabulary Practice. Correct the adjective in each of the following statements.
  - 1. Parents who always allow their teenage children to stay out late are overprotective.
  - 2. Teenagers who demand that their parents buy everything they ask for are rebellious.
  - When parents never let their children do things because they are afraid that their children will get sick or hurt, they are being strict.
  - 4. When a teen gets a tattoo against a parent's wishes, we say that he or she is disrespectful.

- 5. Parents who make their teenage children clean their rooms every day are lenient.
- 6. Teens who don't listen to adults and often talk back are spoiled.
- Listening. Listen to Activate Vocabulary. Listen to the conversations about parent and teen behavior. Then listen again and determine which adjective from the Vocabulary best completes each statement.

- 3. He thinks she's . . 6. She criticizes him for being . .
- Make Personal Comparisons. Can you identify with any of the people in the listening? Are any of the speakers like anyone you know? Explain.

### NOW YOU CAN Discuss parent / teen issues

A Frame Your Ideas. Discuss and complete the survey with a partner. Compare your ideas. Give specific examples to support your answers.

# Circle the rating that most closely expresses your opinion.

1 = completely agree 2 = somewhat agree, depending on the circumstances 3 = completely disagree

			Me		My	par	tner
LO.	Parents should let kids make their own mistakes. Being overprotective with children makes kids less responsible.	1	2	3	1	2	3
NTS	It's OK to give in to kids' demands sometimes in order to "keep the peace."	1	2	3	1	2	3
PARE	Parents should include their children in family decision-making. After all, kids' opinions are important, too.	1	2	3	1	2	3
Q,	It's a good idea for parents to use physical punishment to discipline their children. If parents aren't strict, their kids will become troublemakers.	1	2	3	1	2	3
	Your own idea:				1	2	3

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Teenagers don't always have to obey their parents. Sometimes it's OK to say "no."	1	2	3	1	2	3
Teenagers shouldn't have to help around the house. They already have enough to do with their schoolwork.	1	2	3	1	2	3
Teenagers are mature enough to make their own decisions. They shouldn't have to ask permission for everything.	1	2	3	1	2	3
Teenagers have a right to privacy. They shouldn't have to tell their parents about everything they do.	1	2	3	1	2	3
Your own idea:				1	2	3

B) Use the Conversation Strategies. Role-play a conversation in which you discuss parent or teen behavior. Use the Conversation Snapshot as a guide. Start like this:

their teenage kids ...?"

"What do you think parents should do if OR "What do you think kids should do if their parents ...?"

Discussion. If you could give parents one piece of advice, what would it be? If you could give teenagers one piece of advice, what would it be?

### GOAL

# Compare generations

Mord Skills. Transforming Verbs and Adjectives into Nouns

common noun endings			nouns
-ation -tion -ssion	expect explain frustrate permit		expectation explanation frustration permission
-ment	develop involve	-	development involvement
-у	courteous difficult	=	courtesy difficulty
-ility	responsible reliable capable dependable		responsibility reliability capability dependability

common noun endings			nouns
	fair	-	fairness
8000	rebellious		rebelliousness
-ness	selfish	-	selfishness
	strict	-	strictness
	generous	-	generosity
lbu .	mature	-	maturity
-ity	mobile	$\rightarrow$	mobility
	secure	-+	security
	important		importance
-ance	independent	-+	independence
-ence	lenient	-+	lenience
	obedient	$\rightarrow$	obedience

NOTE: Sometimes internal spelling changes occur when a noun ending is added to a verb or an adjective.

Word Skills Practice. Circle all the words that are nouns. Check in a dictionary if you are not sure about the meaning of a word.



1.	dependency	depend	dependence	dependent
2.	impatient	impatience	impatiently	
3.	confidence	confident	confide	confidently
4.	unfair	unfairness	unfairly	
5.	consider	consideration	considerate	considerately
6.	closeness	close	closely	
7.	different	difference	differentiate	differentiation
8.	happily	happy	happiness	
9.	attraction	attract	attractive	attractiveness

- Listening. Listen to Summarize. Listen to Part 1 of a man's description of the generation gap in his family. Then answer the questions.
  - 1. How did Rimas grow up differently from his parents?
  - 2. Why does Rimas's father think teenagers nowadays have more problems than when he was growing up?
- Listening. Listen for Details. Listen to Part 1 again. Then complete each statement.
  - Rimas grew up in \_\_\_\_\_, but his parents grew up in \_\_\_\_\_.
  - Rimas's extended family includes and uncles on his mother's side.



Listening. Compare and Contrast. Now listen to Part 2. Then listen again and complete the chart by describing the differences between the two generations. Compare your chart with a partner's.

	How are they	different?
	Rimas's parents' generation	Rimas's generation
career choices		
mobility	in the second se	
influences from other cultures		
age at marriage and childbearing		
work experience		
closeness of family		

- F Critical Thinking. Discuss the questions.
  - 1. Why do Rimas's parents worry about him and the future? Why do you think parents always worry about their children?
  - 2. In what ways is the Vilkas's family story similar to or different from yours?

## NOW YOU CAN Compare generations

Notepadding. Compare your parents' generation with your generation. Write your ideas on your notepad. Discuss them with a partner.

music style of clothes hairstyles / facial hair attitude toward elders family responsibility language (idioms, slang) marriage and childbearing values and beliefs other:		My parents' generation	My generation
hairstyles / facial hair attitude toward elders family responsibility language (idioms, slang) marriage and childbearing values and beliefs	music		
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values and beliefs	language (idioms, slang)		
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other:	values and beliefs		
	other:		

- **B** Discussion.
  - 1. In what ways is your generation most different from your parents' generation? What do you like best or respect most about your parents' generation?
  - 2. What contributions do you think your generation will make to the next generation? How do you think the next generation will differ from yours?

# GOAL Describe care for the elderly

- Reading Warm-up. In previous generations, how have older family members traditionally been cared for in your country?
- B (n) Reading. Read the article. What impact has China's one-child policy had on care for the elderly?

# **Uncertain Future for China's Elderly**

Due to a sharp increase in its aging population, China faces new social problems in the future, according to a recent report from the Chinese Academy of Sciences. In China today, the elderly—people aged 60 or older—make up about 11 percent of the population. However, according to



United Nations statistics, by 2050 the number of elderly will increase to more than 31 percent. If this trend continues, the elderly could eventually outnumber young people—a dramatic change for China.

While lower birthrates and higher life expectancies are causing similar population shifts in many countries, this transformation is happening faster in China due to the strict one-child policy introduced in 1979. Under this policy, couples can have only one child. The policy's purpose was to stop China's burgeoning population from growing too fast. It created a generation of "only children" growing up without brothers or sisters who can share the burden of caring for elderly family members.

According to Chinese tradition, the elderly have always been honored and respected by the young; for generations, parents and grandparents have relied on their children to care for them in old age. But today an increasing number of single young adults face the difficult situation of caring for both their parents and their grandparents. This phenomenon is known as a 4-2-1 family: For every one child, there are two parents and four grandparents to look after. Breaking with tradition, many young adults who can afford it are beginning to transfer the responsibility of looking after their elderly relatives to private nursing homes. This change in attitude is causing some conflict and anger between generations.

The aging of China's population will have a big impact on the country's future. The less the old can depend on the young, the more they may have to depend on the government. In one attempt to deal with this problem, the government has started a national lottery to raise money for elder care. However, it may still need to create more resources to care for its graying population.



China's one-child families have had an unexpected effect on care for the elderly.

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Information source: Beijing Times

- Summarize. Describe how China's population is changing. What is causing those changes?
- Confirm Content. Discuss the questions.
  - 1. According to the article, what challenges are China's young people facing today?
  - 2. How may elder care in China differ in the future from the traditions of the past?

# NOW YOU CAN Describe care for the elderly

- A Frame Your Ideas. With a partner, discuss the statements and check those you think are true about care for the elderly in your country.
  - Most elderly people are adequately cared for.
  - ☐ The way the elderly are cared for has been changing.
  - ☐ The elderly usually live with younger family members.
  - ☐ The elderly usually live in their own homes or apartments.
  - The elderly usually live in special nursing homes.
  - ☐ The government makes sure the elderly have affordable care.
  - Younger people accept care for elderly relatives as their responsibility.
  - Older people generally prefer not to socialize with younger people.
  - Other:
- B Draw Conclusions. Read each case study. Discuss the challenges each person is facing and recommend solutions.



Ingrid is divorced and has three young daughters. Her mother died years ago, and her seventy-five-year-old father can no longer take care of himself. He often forgets things. She worries that he might get hurt.

Robert's parents, who live in another city, are in their eighties. They continue to have a full social life, and they still enjoy traveling with organized tours. But they are not as strong as they used to be and need help with cooking and cleaning.





Nick is married and has two teenage children. His mother just turned seventy-nine and lives alone. Nick and his family live in a very small apartment with two bedrooms. He and his wife both work overtime, putting in long hours in order to make ends meet. Nick is concerned about his mother's health and well-being.

- Discussion. How do you think the elderly will be cared for by the time you are old?

  How would you like to be cared for? Describe the ideal situation for elder care. Use language from the checklist in A. Frame Your Ideas.
- Project. Prepare a presentation about how the elderly are cared for in your country.

## Writing: Describe your relationship with a family member

### Avoiding Run-on Sentences and Comma Splices

Note two common errors that writers often make when joining two sentences.

Run-on sentence (connecting sentences without using punctuation)

INCORRECT: My grandmother taught me how to bake however I never do.

Comma splice (connecting two sentences with a comma and no conjunction) INCORRECT: My grandmother taught me how to bake, now I know how to make great cookies.

To correct a run-on sentence or a comma splice, choose one of the following:

 Use a period and capitalize My grandmother taught me how to bake. Now I know how to make great cookies. the following word. My grandmother taught me how to bake. However, I never do.

· Use a semicolon. My grandmother taught me how to bake; now I know how to make great cookies.

My grandmother taught me how to bake; however, I never do.

· Use a comma and a My grandmother taught me how to bake, and now I know how to make great cookies. coordinating conjunction.

My grandmother taught me how to bake, but I never do.

Coordinating conjunctions and for or but nor

#### ERROR CORRECTION

Correct the errors.

A Prewriting, "Freewriting" to Generate Ideas. Writing quickly without stopping is one way to generate ideas. First, choose a family relationship you would like to write about. Then, write anything that comes to mind for five minutes. Write quickly and do not worry about spelling, punctuation, etc. Finally, read what you wrote. Select some of the ideas from your freewriting and organize them logically.

My	granaparents
-	in their seventies
1/2	always help me
- 4	grandfather likes to fish
-	grandmother loves when I visit

Everyone tells me I am a great cook however, everything I know about baking I learned from my grandmother. I always helped my grandmother when she baked we made cookies, cakes, pies, and breads together. I even had more fun baking than eating the food! At first I wondered how she was able to put various ingredients together without measuring cups and written recipes with time, I also learned the tricks. When my grandmother died, she left me all her baking and cooking equipment and many years of wonderful memories.

- B Writing. On a separate sheet of paper, write a paragraph about the relationship you chose. Include a topic sentence that expresses your main idea. Avoid run-on sentences and comma splices.
- C Self-Check.
  - Did you write any run-on sentences? Comma splices? If so, correct them.
  - Do all the sentences support the topic sentence?
  - Is the paragraph interesting? What could you add to make it more interesting?

### Review

grammar · vocabulary · listening reading · speaking · pronunciation

- Listening. Listen to the conversations about generational issues. Then listen to each conversation again and complete each statement with the correct comparative.
  - 1. Philip is spending \_\_\_\_\_ time on his homework.
    - a. more and more
- b. less and less
- 2. \_\_\_\_, the more her mother worries.
  - a. The later Sandi stays out
- b. The older Sandi gets
- 3. The stricter Jill's father gets,
  - she becomes.
- a. the more rebellious
- b. the more spoiled
- 4. The older the sisters get, ...
  - a. the smarter they become
- b. the more they appreciate their parents
- B Write the adjective that best describes the behavior in each statement.
  - Mark's parents don't allow him to watch more than two hours of TV a day, but most of his friends can watch as much as they want. He feels that his parents are
  - Karen has a closet full of expensive clothes, yet she always complains about not having anything to wear. Her parents usually buy her whatever she wants. A lot of people think Karen is \_\_\_\_\_\_.
  - Even though she has had her driver's license for a year and a half, Marissa's parents worry about her driving at night. They say that it's too dangerous, but Marissa thinks they're just being
  - 4. When Clyde's grandfather asked him to turn down the volume on his CD player, he ignored him and continued to listen to his music. Clyde's grandfather thought this was very
  - Rodney and Carolyn believe parents don't need to be so concerned about their children. They rarely set rules for their kids. Carolyn's sister thinks this is a bad idea. She feels they're
  - Deanna wears clothing that her parents find shocking. She also has friends that her parents don't approve of. Her mother wishes she weren't so
- Correct the part of speech of any of the incorrect underlined words.
  - 1. Teenagers were given a lot more responsibility when I was young.
  - 2. I think teenagers today lack the mature to make decisions for themselves.
  - The main reason young people are rebellious today is selfishness.
  - If kids today were taught about <u>courteous</u>, they would be better behaved.
  - There's no question that teenagers today demand more <u>independent</u> than they did fifty years ago.
  - It's important to be involved in your child's <u>development</u>.
  - 7. Young people have a lot more mobile than they did several generations ago.
  - 8. It seems like there's a lot more rebellious among teenagers today.

# UNIT

# **History's Mysteries**

# **Preview**

- GOALS
  - 1 Speculate about the out-of-the-ordinary
  - 2 Present a theory about a past event
  - 3 Discuss how believable a story is
  - 4 Evaluate the trustworthiness of news sources

Topic Preview. Take the quiz with a partner and discuss your answers.

# The World's Easiest Quiz . . .

or is it?

How long did the Hundred Years' War last? The answer has to be a hundred years, right? Well, the answer may not be what you think. Take a stab at this quiz and see how many answers you can guess correctly. Then check your answers below.

- How long did the Hundred Years' War in Western Europe last?
  - a. 100 years b. 116 years
- c. 50 years d. 200 years
- Salar Salar
- 7. What was King George VI of England's first name?
  - a. George
- d. Albert
- b. Charles d. Alt



8. What color is a male purple finch?

a. dark purple c. sky blue

b. crimson red d. white



- 2. Which country makes Panama hats?
  - a. Panama
  - b. the Philippines
  - c. Ecuador
- d. Italy
- From which animals do we get catgut for violin strings?
   a. cats
   c. sharks
  - b. sheep
- d. dogs



- 9. What country do Chinese gooseberries come from?
  - a. China c. Sweden
  - b. Japan d. New Zealand





- 4. The former U.S.S.R. used to celebrate the October Revolution in which month?
  - a. October
- c. December
- b. November d. June



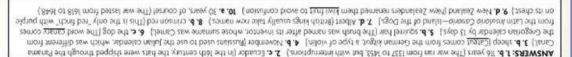
- 10. How long did the Thirty Years'
  War in Central Europe last?
  a. 30 years c. 20 years
  - b. 40 years
- d. 100 years



- 6. The Canary Islands in the Atlantic Ocean are named after what animal?
  - a, the canary
- c. the dog
- b. the cat d. the camel



- 1-2 correct Hmm... Maybe you need to work on your guessing skills!
- 3-5 correct Not a bad job at guessing! Or
  - did you already know a few of the answers?
- 6-10 correct Either you're a great guesser, or you're a real scholar!



**Express Your Ideas.** Did you have a reason for the answers you chose? Did you just take "wild guesses," or did you use "the process of elimination"? Which method do you think works better? Why?

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation about a well-known mystery.

VICTOR: I saw the most fascinating TV program about Bigfoot last night.

PATTY: Bigfoot? Don't tell me you buy that story!

VICTOR: You're such a skeptic! Who's to say those things don't exist?

How else would you explain all those sightings over the years?

PATTY: Could've been gorillas.

VICTOR: In the U.S.? I don't think so. There's no question—Bigfoot is real.

PATTY: Get out of here! There's no such thing as Bigfoot. You have

such a wild imagination!

VICTOR: You'd change your mind if you'd seen that program.

PATTY: The only way I'd change my mind is if I saw one of them with my own two eyes. Seeing is believing, as far as I'm concerned.

Think and Explain. Read the conversation again. With a partner, explain the meaning of each of the following statements.

- 1. "Don't tell me you buy that story!"
- 2. "You're such a skeptic!"
- 3. "There's no question—Bigfoot is real."
- 4. "Get out of here!"
- 5. "You have such a wild imagination!"

Bigfoot

Many people claim to have seen a hairy,

human-like creature—called "Bigfoot"—in the

western mountains of the United States. In 2004, Bob Heironimus admitted that he dressed in a costume for this famous 1967 image.

- 6. "Seeing is believing."
- Activate Prior Knowledge. With a partner, discuss other mysteries you've heard about.

### STARTING POINT

**Draw Conclusions.** Read about these two mysteries. How possible is it that each is true? Discuss your opinions with a partner. Use the expressions from Exercise D.



#### The Loch Ness Monster

For centuries, people have reported sightings of a very large, unfamiliar animal living in the deepest lake in the United Kingdom — Scotland's Loch Ness.





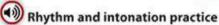
### The Bermuda Triangle

Over several centuries, in a triangular area of the Caribbean Sea, numerous ships have mysteriously disappeared—never to be seen again. Many believe that there is something about that area that causes ships simply to disappear into thin air.



# Speculate about the out-of-the-ordinary

- (1) Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen. Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: I wonder where Stacev is. She said she'd be here by ten.
  - B: Do you think something happened?
  - A: Beats me.
  - B: Well, I'm sure it's nothing. I'll bet she's stuck in traffic.
  - A: You're probably right.
  - B: Why else would she be late?
  - A: I can't imagine.





# B Grammar. Indirect speech with modals

REMEMBER: When a reporting verb is in a past form, the verb in the indirect speech statement usually changes or "backshifts."

"I went to the store." → She said [that] she had gone to the store.

Some modals also backshift in indirect speech.

"I'll be there by six." → I said [that] I would be there by six.

"You must come on time." -> She said [that] they had to come on time.

"You have to" pay in cash." -> They told me [that] I had to pay in cash.

#### Some modals don't backshift in indirect speech.

"You should hurry." → She told him [that] he should hurry. "He might call tonight." → He said [that] he might call tonight.

Perfect modals never backshift in indirect speech.

"We must have forgotten." -> He said [that] they must have forgotten.

### GRAMMAR BOOSTER

· Say, ask, and tell: summary · Other reporting verbs

### Modals that backshift

will → would can → could may → might must → had to have to - had to

# Modals that don't backshift

would - would

could - could might - might

should - should ought to - ought to

### REMEMBER

In indirect speech, pronouns and possessives change in order to preserve the speaker's meaning.

"My brother got me a gift." → She said [that] her brother had gotten her a gift.

- Grammar Practice. Change each sentence from direct to indirect speech
  - 1. He told me, "You shouldn't worry if I arrive a little late."
  - He said, "Students must arrive fifteen minutes early."
  - 3. "Jack may have gotten lost," he said.
  - "They might have forgotten their luggage," she said.
  - She told me, "I'll call you as soon as I get there."
  - 6. She told us, "I may have to cancel the meeting."
  - 7. He told me, "I'll come early."
  - 8. "You ought to phone first," she told me.

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<sup>&</sup>quot; Have to is not a true modal, but it is often referred to as a "modal-like expression."

D Vocabulary. Ways to Express Certainty. Listen and practice.

### very certain

Clearly It's obvious There's no question

he's not coming.

### almost certain

not certain

Most likely Probably I'll bet

someone found it.

### somewhat certain

I guess I imagine I suppose

she's lost.

Maybe

Maybe It's possible It could be

he forgot.

# NOW YOU CAN Speculate about the out-of-the-ordinary

Use the Vocabulary. With a partner, discuss and speculate about one of the situations below, or create your own. Then on a separate sheet of paper, use the Vocabulary to write four sentences about the situation in which you are very certain, almost certain, somewhat certain, and not certain.

I'll bet the elevator isn't working.

It's 9:30, and your teacher hasn't arrived yet for your 9:00 class.



No transfer to take the elevator downstairs

You're trying to take the elevator downstairs to get some lunch. You've been waiting for the elevator for over ten minutes.

B Use the Conversation
Strategies. Role-play the situation
you chose, or choose another one,
speculating about what you think
happened. Use the Vocabulary
and the Conversation Snapshot as a
guide. Start like this: "I wonder..."



You go to your favorite restaurant. The lights are on, but the doors are locked, and there's no one inside.



Monday. It's Friday, and it still hasn't come.

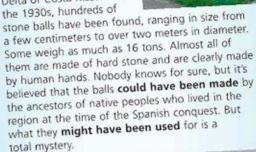
# GOAL

# Present a theory about a past event

Grammar Snapshot. Read the articles and notice the perfect modals in the passive voice.

# STONE BALLS

One of the strangest mysteries in archaeology was discovered in the Diquis Delta of Costa Rica. Since



Information source: www.world-mysteries.com

Activate Prior Knowledge. Are you familiar with either of these stories? Have you heard about any other similar mysteries? Describe them.



# An Explosion in Tunguska

At 7:17 A.M. on June 30, 1908, an explosion of catastrophic proportions occurred in the forests of Tunguska in northern Siberia, 3,540 kilometers east of Moscow. All over Europe there were reports of strange colors in the sky. It was impossible to investigate the incident because it was so far from

where people lived at the time. Most scientists assume that the area must have been struck by a huge meteorite. But there are some researchers who claim that the area couldn't have been hit by a meteorite because there was no evidence of a crater—the type of hole a meteorite would have caused.



Information source: en.wikipedia.org

### Grammar. Perfect modals in the passive voice for speculating about the past

You can use may, might, could, must, or had to to speculate with different degrees of certainty about the past. Use the passive voice if the performer of the action is unknown or if you want to focus on the receiver of the action.

not certain

The dinosaurs might (or may) have been killed by a meteor.

The trees could have been destroyed by a fire.

The gold figures might not (or may not) have been lost.

almost certain

The stone balls must have been moved using animals. The drawings must not have been discovered until later.

very certain

The crater had to have been caused by a meteorite.

The trees couldn't (or can't) have been burned in a fire.

### Short responses with perfect modals in the passive voice

Is it possible they were killed by a meteorite? Do you think they were made by hand? I wonder if they could have just been lost. Could they have been stolen? They may have been. They had to have been. They couldn't have been. They might have been. Grammar Practice. Complete each conversation about these sensational headlines, using perfect modals in the passive voice. Make sure each conversation makes sense.

### Harvard Professor Claims Egyptian Pyramids Built by Aliens from Outer Space

- 1. A: Do you think the pyramids by aliens from outer space?
  - B: No way! They \_\_\_\_\_\_. 1 just don't believe that!

# New Zealand Scientist Argues Dinosaurs Killed by Giant Tsunami

- 2. A: Do you believe the dinosaurs by a giant tsunami?
  - B: They \_\_\_\_\_. It might explain how they all disappeared so quickly.

### SHOCKING NEW REVELATION:

Artist van Gogh was actually murdered by brother

- 3. A: Do you think van Gogh by his brother?
  - B: Oh, come on! He

    Everyone knows he killed himself.

### Woman Attacked by Tiger While Shopping in London

- 4. A: Do you think someone by a tiger in London?
  - B: Get out of here! That story made up!
  - A: I guess you're right. It



### NOW YOU CAN

### Present a theory about a past event

Frame Your Ideas. Read about each mystery and the theories explaining it. Which theory do you think is the most possible? Speculate with perfect modals in the passive voice when possible.



# Stonehenge

This formation in southern England was built over 3,000 years ago. The stones were brought from mountains far away, but no one knows for sure how the stones were carried or put into place. The purpose for the stone formation is unknown.

#### Theories

- a. It was used as a type of calendar.
- b. It was used for religious ceremonies.
- it wasn't made or used by people at all it was formed naturally.

### The Nasca Lines

These shapes were carved into the earth in Peru more than 1,500 years

ago. However, the people who made them could not have seen what they were carving—the figures can only be seen from an airplane. No one knows how they were made.

#### Theories:

- They were carved by ancient people, who used small drawings to design them.
- With the help of airplanes, they were carved in 1927, right before they were supposedly "discovered."
- They were created by aliens, who were able to see them from their spaceships.

### Atlantie

Around 350 B.C.E., the Greek philosopher Plato wrote about a lost



continent called "Atlantis." He describes this advanced civilization in great detail. Researchers argue whether the story is true or comes from Plato's imagination.

#### Theories:

- It was a real community established by the Greeks that was destroyed by an earthquake and sank into the ocean.
- b. It was a real place discovered by ancient explorers. We know it today as Iceland.
- Plato was tricked into believing the story by one of his students.

Use the Grammar. Choose one of the mysteries. Present the theory that you think best explains the mystery and tell the class why you believe it.

"I believe the stones may have been used for religious purposes. That's what makes the most sense to me."

### GOAL

# Discuss how believable a story is

Word Skills. Using Adjectives with the Suffix -able.

believable can be accepted as true because it seems possible

The story he told seems believable. He backed it up with a lot of details.

debatable not easy to prove because more than one explanation is possible

The cause of the explosion is debatable; experts still disagree.

provable can be shown to be definitely true I don't think your theory will be provable, unless clear evidence can be found.

questionable uncertain, but more likely to be untrue

Her convincing account of the events makes his version highly questionable.

unsolvable impossible to prove

This mystery may be unsolvable. Everyone who saw what happened is no longer alive.

B Word Skills Practice. Complete each statement, using an adjective with the suffix -able. Use each adjective only once.

 His story is really . I doubt that those things could have really happened.

I think she's telling the truth. Her description of the events sounds very to me.

 It is highly whether "lie-detector" testing should be used as evidence. Experts continue to argue about what the test results really mean.

 The mystery of what happened to the famous U.S. pilot Amelia Earhart is most likely since her body and the plane have never been found.

Anna Anderson,

who claimed to have been Anastasia

Listening. Listen for Main Ideas. Listen to Part 1 of a historical mystery. What happened to the Russian royal family? What's mysterious about this event?

# Russia's Royal Family: An Enduring Mystery

St Poznatura

Russia's last royal family: Czar Nicholas II and Empress Alexandra with their children, Olga, Maria, Anastasia, Alexei, and Tatiana.



Listening. Listen to Summarize. Now listen to Part 2. What happened in 1991, and what facts did it seem to prove? Why is it still a mystery?

- Draw Conclusions. Complete each statement, according to the listening.

  Listen to Part 2 again if necessary.
  - 1. The czar's son, Alexei,
    - a. might have been executed with the rest of the family
    - b. must have been executed with the rest of the family
  - Researchers believed that five of the nine bodies discovered in 1991
    - a. couldn't have been the royal family
    - b. had to have been the royal family
  - 3. Anna Anderson, who claimed to be Anastasia, \_
    - a. couldn't have been Anastasia
    - b. might have been Anastasia
  - 4. More recently, some scientists believed that the bodies
    - a. might not have been the czar's family
    - b. had to have been the czar's family



# NOW YOU CAN Discuss how believable a story is

- A Frame Your Ideas. Think of things you have done that might surprise your classmates. In groups of three, tell each other about one such experience.
- B Game: To Tell the Truth. In your group, choose one experience that all three of you will claim as your own. The rest of the class asks members of your group questions in order to determine which of you is telling the truth. Make your stories believable to your classmates.

Finally, after all questions have been asked, the class takes a vote on who they think is telling the truth.

Use the Vocabulary. After each group plays the game, explain why you think some students' stories were more believable than others'.

"I thought your story was questionable because..."

"It was obvious that you were telling the truth because..."



I studied to

I studied to be an opera singer.



How old were you when you did this?
Where exactly were you?
Were you alone or were other people with you?
What did you learn from the experience?
Your own question:

# Evaluate the trustworthiness of news sources

- A Reading Warm-up. Look at the photos and headings in the magazine article. Are you familiar with either of these stories? What do you know about them?
- B (1) Reading. Read the article. Why do you think so many people believed these stories?



# The "Hitler Diaries" Hoax

In 1983, the German magazine Der Stern announced that reporter Gerd Heidemann had made an incredible discovery; diaries written by Adolf Hitler. The magazine explained that the diaries had been found by farmers after a Nazi plane crashed in a field in April 1945. Der Stern paid almost 10 million marks to a Dr. Fischer, who claimed to have retrieved them.

The discovery caused a lot of excitement. Magazines and newspapers in London and New York rushed to print excerpts from the diaries. and scholars and researchers couldn't wait to get their hands on the material to learn more about the century's most infamous dictator. But some skeptics argued that the story couldn't be trueit was well-known that Hitler didn't like to take notes. Nonetheless, Der Stern insisted that the authenticity of the diaries was unquestionable.

However, when experts began to examine them, it became clear that the diaries were fake. It turned out that "Dr. Fischer" was actually Konrad Kujau, an art forger who had written the diaries himself, imitating Hitler's own handwriting. And both he and Heidemann had been putting the money from Der Stern into their own bank accounts. Both were sent to prison for fraud.

Interestingly, Kujau made a living selling copies of paintings by the world's greatest artists after he was released from prison.

# SPECIAL EDITION

Although they occurred fifty years apart, both of these spectacular hoaxes took the world by storm.

# The Loch Ness Monster Story

It was quite a surprise when London's Daily Mail printed a photo in 1933 of a creature in Scotland's Loch Ness, the largest and deepest freshwater take in the United Kingdom, People had been telling stories about such a creature for over a thousand years. But when a respected London surgeon, Colonel Robert Kenneth Wilson, took this photo, the stories suddenly seemed believable. He claimed that while driving by Loch Ness, he saw something strange in the water and quickly grabbed his camera. The photo he took was seen worldwide and began an increased public interest in the "Loch Ness Monster." Sixty years later, in November 1993,

Christian Spurling told a different story, His stepfather, filmmaker and actor Duke Wetherell, had been hired by the Daily Mail to look for evidence of the Loch Ness Monster, But instead, he asked his stepson, Spurling, to make a "monster" with his own hands-from a toy boat. His other sou, Ian, took the photo. Then, in order to make the story believable, Wetherell asked the surgeon, Colonel Wilson, to say that he had taken the photo.

The story created so much publicity in 1933 that they decided not to admit the hoax. The true story remained a secret for over sixty years. In the meantime, those who believe there is a creature in the lake, continue to do so.

On your ActiveBook disc: Reading Glossary and Extra Reading Comprehension Questions

# Information source: en.wikipedia.org

admit = tell the truth

claim = say that something is true without proof

evidence - information that proves that something is true

fake = not real

a forger = a person who makes things that aren't authentic, such as copies of famous paintings or money

traud = the crime of telling a lie to gain money

a hoax = a story designed to make people believe something

that isn't true

infamous = well-known for having done something bad or morally evil

a skeptic = a person who doesn't believe claims easily

Snapshot of the "Loch Ness

Monster," published by the

Daily Mail

Confirm Facts. Discuss how best to complete each st	tatement with names from the article.			
The Loch Ness Monster Story	The "Hitler Diaries" Hoax			
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2. The fake Loch Ness Monster was made by				
3didn't really take the photo of the Loch Ness Monster; the photo was actually taken by  4. The Loch Ness Monster hoax was created	3. Konrad Kujau was claiming to be 4. The evidence showed that the Hitler Diaries were actually written by 5. Der Stern paid almost 10 million marks to			
by	and , not to Dr. Fischer.			
Draw Conclusions. Discuss the questions.				
1. Why do you think the media get fooled by sen publish these stories so quickly?	sational hoaxes? Why do they seem to			
2. Do you think hoaxes should be considered a co	rime, or are they harmless? Why?			
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# Writing: Write a news article

#### **Avoiding Sentence Fragments**

A sentence fragment is a group of words that does not express a complete thought.

Two common fragments are:

 a dependent clause: a group of words that contains a subject and a verb but begins with a subordinating conjunction, making it an incomplete thought.

FRAGMENT: After the banker admitted to fraud.

 a phrase: a group of words that does not contain a subject and a verb.

FRAGMENT: With his help.

FRAGMENT: At the end of the year.

FRAGMENT: The man giving the speech.

To correct a sentence fragment, do one of the following:

 Attach the fragment to an independent clause to complete the thought.

After the banker admitted to fraud, the bank was closed down.

We found the hospital with his help.

 Add a subject and / or a verb to make the fragment into a sentence.

She graduated at the end of the year.

The man giving the speech needs a microphone.

### An independent clause:

- contains a subject and a verb
- · expresses a complete thought

#### A complete sentence:

- · starts with a capital letter
- · ends with a period
- · expresses a complete thought
- needs at least one independent clause

#### Subordinating conjunctions

after since
as soon as unless
because until
before when
even though whenever

while

ERROR CORRECTION

Correct the errors.

# Benefit to Save Library

Last Wednesday, our town hosted a benefit concert. To help save the old building that used to be the library. Developers announced a plan to tear the building down. Two months ago. Because many people feel a connection to the library. The town decided to raise money to restore the building. The benefit concert was a success. Many local musicians performed, and we raised a lot of money.

A Prewriting. Generating Ideas with Information Questions.

A news article usually answers information questions about an event. Think of a recent news event. This will be the topic of your article. On your notepad, write information questions about the topic to help generate ideas.

Topic:		
Who?		
What?		
When?		
Where?		
Why?		
How?		

- Writing. On a separate sheet of paper, write an article about the event, answering your questions from Prewriting. Try to include as much information as you can. Choose a title that reflects the main idea of your article.
- C Self-Check.
  - Did you write any sentence fragments? If so, correct them.
  - □ Do you have a clear topic sentence?□ Is the article interesting? Could you
    - add any more details?

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Review

the st	istening. Listen to the conversations. Then listen to each conversation again and choose atement that is closer in meaning to what each person said.
1.	The woman said she thought  a. it was possible Bill had overslept  b. most likely Bill had overslept
2.	The woman said she thought  a. it was possible the wallet could be Gina's  b. it was obvious the wallet was Gina's
3.	The man said he thought
4.	The man said he thought  a. the story could possibly be a hoax  b. the story couldn't possibly be true
Chang	ge each sentence from direct to indirect speech.
1.	She said, "The job will be completed by Monday."
2.	He told me, "Your parents should take the early flight."
3.	My boss said, "Rita may be interested in visiting the art museum."
4.	The school director told us, "Your children must come to class on time."
5.	The clerk said to him, "Your package can be picked up anytime before 5:00 P.M."
6.	The agent told them, "Your passports have to be renewed by tomorrow."
	separate sheet of paper, write your <i>own</i> response to each question, using varying degrees tainty. Explain your theory.
1.	Do you think Bigfoot is real?
2.	We know that the photograph of the Loch Ness Monster was a hoax, but do you think the Loch Ness Monster exists?
3.	Do you believe there's something mysterious about the Bermuda Triangle that causes ships to disappear?
4.	Do you think the damage to the forests in Tunguska was caused by a meteorite?

# UNIT

# **Your Free Time**

Preview

GOALS After Unit 10, you will be able to:

- Explain the benefits of leisure activities
- 2 Describe hobbies and other interests
- 3 Compare your use of leisure time
- 4 Discuss the risk-taking personality

A Topic Preview. Read about these technological advances. Do you know of any other inventions that didn't achieve their promises?

# Does technology always live up to its promises?



#### The promise

Cars were supposed to make it easy to get away

#### The reality

Drivers today spend an average of 101 minutes a day driving. And they spend over 40 hours a year stuck in traffic.





#### The promise

Television was supposed to bring families closer for quality time together.

#### The reality

Families spend an average of 170 minutes a day watching TV-a lot more time than they



#### The promise

New household appliances were supposed to increase free time and cut back on time spent doing chores.

#### The reality

Despite increased spending on "laborsaving" devices, people still spend an average of 23.5 hours a week on housework-the same as people living at the beginning of the 20th century.



Information based on U.S. and Canadian government statistics

### **B** Express Your Ideas.

- 1. In your opinion, what technological advances do save us time?
- 2. With all the laborsaving and timesaving inventions available to us today, why is it that everybody complains about not having enough free time?

Sound Bites. Read and listen to a conversation between two close friends at the office.

ED: I can't take it anymore. This job is really getting to me.

KIM: Hey, sounds like you could use a break.

ED: Are you kidding? I'm up to my ears in paperwork.

KIM: When was the last time you took some time off?

ED: Come to think of it, it's been over a year. I was supposed to take off a few weeks in January, but it just got too busy around here.

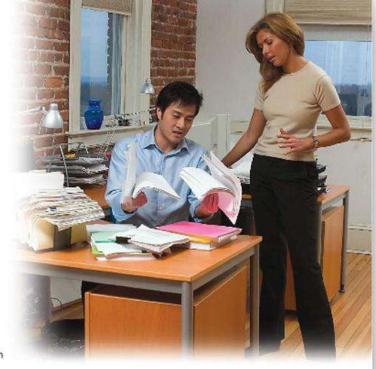
KIM: Then it sounds like a little R and R\* would do you some good.

ED: You're right. And anyway, I can always bring my laptop along and catch up on my work.

KIM: Listen, leave the laptop at home! You need to just take it easy for a while.

\* R and R = rest and relaxation

- Think and Explain. Read the conversation again. With a partner, explain the meaning of each of the following statements.
  - 1. "This job is really getting to me."
  - 2. "Are you kidding?"
  - 3. "I'm up to my ears in paperwork."



- 4. "A little R and R would do you some good."
- 5. "I can catch up on my work."
- 6. "You need to just take it easy."



☐ I hang out with other people.

☐ I spend my time alone.

☐ I take it easy.

☐ I find something exciting to do.

☐ I catch up on the chores I never have time for.

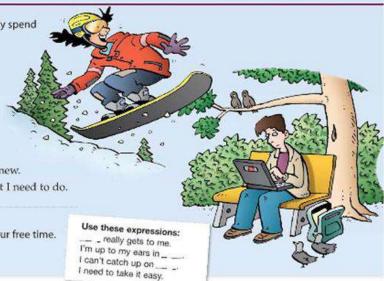
I catch up on work.

☐ I use my time to learn something new.

☐ I sit around and worry about what I need to do.

Other:

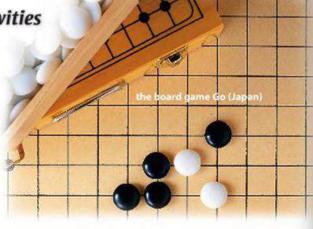
B Pair Work. Compare how you spend your free time.
Discuss what causes stress in your lives.



# GOAL Explai

# Explain the benefits of leisure activities

- A Conversation Snapshot. Read and listen.
  Notice the conversation strategies.
  - A: I've taken up Go recently. Do you play?
  - B: No. I've never even heard of it. What's Go?
  - A: It's a great Japanese game. Kind of like chess.
  - B: I hate to say this, but I find chess a little boring.
  - A: Well, even so, you should give it a try. I think it's intellectually stimulating. I'm sure you'd like it.
  - Rhythm and intonation practice



Word Skills. Using Collocations for Leisure Activities. Add your own game, fitness activity, hobby, or handicraft.



Use Collocations. First discuss the leisure activities you do or would like to do. Then see which activities are the most popular in your class.

"I collect coins."

"I do yoga."

Word Skills. Modifying with Adverbs. Use an adverb to modify a verb or an adjective. Many adverbs are formed by adding -ly to an adjective.

Karate challenges you physically. You have to work your body really hard if you want to be good at it. [modifies verb]

I find chess intellectually stimulating. You have to use your head to play it well. [modifies adjective]

Word Skills Practice. Complete the statements with an appropriate adverb.

Adjectives creatively emotional 
intellectual 
intellectual 
physical 
physical 
physically 
social 
spiritual 
physically 
social 
spiritual 
physically 
social 
spiritual 
spiritually

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satisfying.

Compare your choices with a partner.

Building one-of-a-kind furniture is what makes woodworking so

 While it doesn't feature the numbing and kicking found in karate or

Even though there are computer programs that can defeat the greatest chess players, there has never been a program "smart" enough to win the \_\_\_\_\_\_ challenging game of Go.

4. They say raising tropical fish can really set you back . They're very expensive.

Praw Conclusions. Recommend a leisure activity for each person. Explain your choices.



I've just opened up my own graphic design business. I'm also a full-time mom. Balancing work and family is really challenging. When I do get some free time, I need to do something creative.

Colon Passaba

Being a computer programmer, I have to sit at a desk all day long. I work long hours, and by the time I get home at night, I'm pretty exhausted. The only free time I have is on the weekends. But even then, I can't always let go of the job. I've got to find a way to take my mind off of work.

Lionel Emineza



"I think Suzy should take up some kind of handicraft. She might find it relaxing, and it might stimulate her creatively."



I'm a businessperson, and my job is very demanding. Sometimes the stress really gets to me. I have to travel a lot for work—I'm on the go from morning to night. I often get headaches and backaches from all the tension. I really need to get some R and R into my life.

Solange Teixeira

# NOW YOU CAN Explain the benefits of leisure activities

A Frame Your Ideas. With a partner, discuss and list leisure activities you think fit in each category.

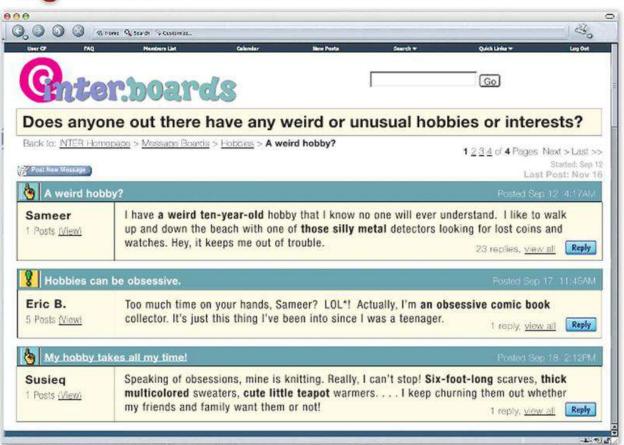
physically challenging	emotionally satisfying	intellectually stimulating	just plain fun!

B Use the Conversation Strategies. Talk to your partner about a leisure activity you have taken up or that you would like to try. Explain why you like it. Use the Conversation Snapshot as a guide. Start like this:

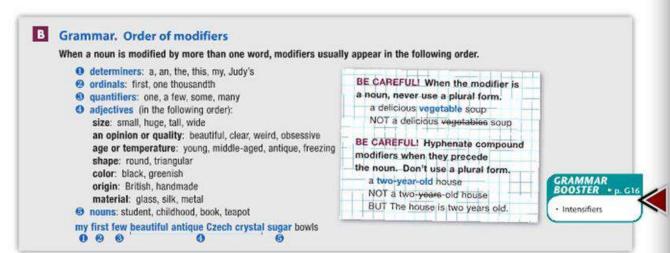
"I've taken up \_\_\_\_\_\_ recently."

# 2 Describe hobbies and other interests

Grammar Snapshot. Read the message-board posts and notice the noun modifiers.



\*LOL = laughing out loud



Grammar Practice. On a separate sheet of paper, rewrite each sentence, correcting the order of the noun modifiers. Explain your corrections.





- 1. Are you going to wear that green ugly cotton shirt?
- 2. That was the most interesting French old film I've ever seen.
- 3. I gave her a wooden beautiful round box that I picked up during my trip.
- 4. She bought an Italian hundred-year-old expensive violin.
- 5. Isn't this the third mystery historical novel you've read this month?
- 6. He bought her a silk white gorgeous handkerchief.
- Grammar Practice. Complete the sentences with compound modifiers, using the descriptions in parentheses.

1.	She bought a new		bike.
		(It has ten speeds.)	

2. They offer a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ introductory class at the new yoga school.

3. We gave her a small pillow.

4. The company sent him a letter.

5. The government announced a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_plan for protecting

# NOW YOU CAN Describe hobbies and other interests

the environment.

A Notepadding. Think of some things you and people you know like to do or make. On your notepad, write sentences about these hobbies or interests, using at least three noun modifiers to describe each.

The been collecting beautiful antique handmade paper dolls for years.

My sister has always liked to watch old black-and-white Hollywood movies.

B Use the Grammar. Walk around the classroom and interview your classmates about the hobbies and interests they wrote about on their notepads. Then tell your class about the most interesting hobbies or interests you heard about, using noun modifiers.

# Compare your use of leisure time

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Reading Warm-up. Are you satisfied with the amount of leisure time you have in your life?





B (4)) Reading. Read the article. What's the author's main point about technology today?

# IS TECHNOLOGY KILLING LEISURE TIME?

ew surveys suggest that the technological tools we use to make our lives easier are killing our leisure time. We are working longer hours, taking fewer and shorter vacations (and when we do go away,

we take our cell phones, PDAs, and laptops along). And we are more stressed than ever as increased use of e-mail, voice mail, cell phones. and the Internet are destroying any idea of privacy and leisure.

Since the Industrial Revolution, people have assumed that new laborsaving devices would free them from the burdens of the workplace and give them more time to grow intellectually, creatively, and sociallyexploring the arts, keeping up with current events, spending more time with friends and family, and even just "goofing off."

But here we are at the start of the 21st century, enjoying one of the greatest technological boom times in human history, and nothing could be further from the truth. The very tools that were supposed to liberate us have bound us to our work and study in ways that were inconceivable just a few years ago. It would seem that technology almost never does what we expect.

In "the old days," the lines between work and leisure time were markedly clearer. People left their offices at a predictable time, were often completely disconnected from and out of touch with their jobs as

they traveled to and from work, and were off-duty once they were home. That's no longer true. In today's highly competitive job market, employers demand increased productivity, expecting workers to put in longer hours and to keep in touch almost constantly via fax, cell phones, e-mail, or other

communications devices. As a result, employees feel the need to check in on what's going on at the office, even on days off. They feel pressured to work after hours just to catch up on everything they have to do. Workers work harder and longer, change their work tasks more frequently, and have more and more reasons to worry about job security.

Bosses, colleagues, and family members-lovers, friends, and spouses too-expect instant responses to voice mail and e-mail messages. Even college students have become bound to their desks by an environment in which faculty, friends, and other members of the college

community increasingly do their work online. Studies of time spent on instant messaging services would probably show staggering use

This isn't what technology was supposed to be doing for us. New technologies, from genetic research to the Internet, offer all sorts of benefits and opportunities. But when new tools make life more difficult and stressful rather than easier and more meaningful-and we are, as a society, barely conscious of it—then something has gone seriously awry. both with our expectations for technology and our understanding of how it should benefit us.



On your ActiveBook disc: Reading Glossary and **Extra Reading Comprehension Questions** 

- Identify Supporting Details. Discuss the questions.
  - The author states that advances in technology such as e-mail, voice mail, cell phones, and the Internet are "destroying any idea of privacy and leisure." How do you think each of these technologies do that in his view? Give specific examples.
  - The author states that "technology almost never does what we expect." What expectations do people have each time a new technology appears? Give examples with specific technologies.
  - 3. Do you agree with the author's point of view in the article? Why or why not?

# NOW YOU CAN Compare your use of leisure time

A Frame Your Ideas. Complete the survey. Then circle the activities you truly consider to be "leisure activities."

Water and the second	Very often	Frequently	Sometimes	Rarely	Never
running errands	0	0	0	0	0
doing housework	0	0	0	0	0
surfing the Web	0	0	0	0	0
catching up on personal e-mail	0	0	0	0	0
keeping in touch with friends by telephone	0	0	0	0	0
spending time with family		0	0	0	0
attending cultural events	0	0	0	0	0
working on a hobby or interest	0	0	0	0	0
playing games (video, board games, sports)	0	0	0	0	0
reading for pleasure	0	0	0	0	0
listening to music	0	0	0	0	0
watching TV	0	0	0	0	0
exercising	0	0	0	0	0
taking naps	0	0	0	0	0
eating out	0	0	0	0	0
other:	0	0	0	0	0

- B) Make Personal Comparisons. With a partner, compare how you spend your time. Which activities do you wish you spent more time on? Are there any you think you spend too much time on?
- Discussion. In what ways does technology add to or interfere with your leisure time? What can you do to keep work or study balanced with leisure time in your life?

"E-mail keeps me in touch with more of my friends. I don't think it interferes with my leisure time at all."

# 4

# GOAL Discuss the risk-taking personality

Listening. Listen to Define. Listen to the interview with a psychologist. Then listen again and write a description for each of the two personality types the psychologist describes

What is a "big T" personality?	What is a "small t" personality?		1
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B Relate to Personal Experience. Where do you fit on the risk-taking continuum? Do you have a "big T" or a "small t" personality? Give examples to support your opinion.

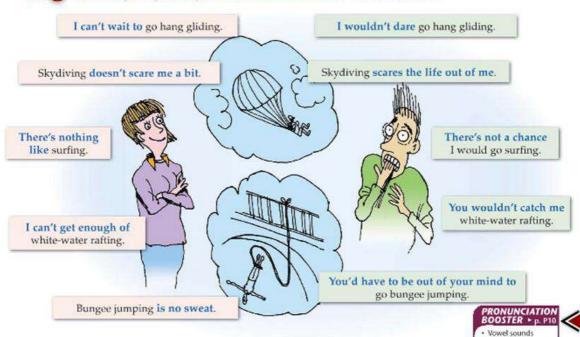
RISK-TAKER

RISK-AVOIDER

Do people who ride roller coasters

have a "big T" or "small t" personality?

Vocabulary. Ways to Express Fear and Fearlessness. Listen and practice.



Vocabulary Practice. With a partner, use the Vocabulary to discuss which extreme sports you would or would not be willing to do.

"Rock climbing scares the life out of me."



# NOW YOU CAN Discuss the risk-taking personality

A Notepadding. What's the riskiest thing your partner has ever done? Interview him or her and take notes on your notepad. Where would you place your partner on the risk-taking continuum?

What?	Other details:	
Where?		
When?		
How?		
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- B Make Comparisons. In small groups, compare your partners' experiences. Then decide who is the most fearless.
- G Discussion.
  - 1. In your opinion, why does one person develop into a risk-taker and another into a risk-avoider?
  - 2. Do you think risk-taking is a healthy type of behavior? Where do you think the best place to be on the risk-taking continuum is? Why?

# Writing: Comment on another's point of view

#### **Expressing and Supporting Opinions Clearly**

When you write to critique or comment on another's spoken or written ideas, present your reasons logically, using connecting words to give reasons and to sequence your ideas.

#### Giving reasons

People have more free time since they are able to work from home.

Because of the Internet, people are working more efficiently.

Actually, using new technology doesn't save paper. This is why I think the author is wrong.

Due to new technological advances, working at home has become easier than ever.

#### Sequencing ideas

First of all, I agree with Jon Katz's main point.

I also think he makes a good point about modern technology.

In addition, I think he's right about technology in the workplace.

Finally, we need to decide what we want technology to do for us.

#### WRITING MODEL

I disagree with almost all of Jon Katz's ideas in his article "Is Technology Killing Leisure Time?" since most new inventions actually help us increase the time we have for leisure activities. First of all, when Katz says, "Technology almost never does what we expect," he is ignoring the popularity of most new technologies. If a technology did not achieve its promise, it would not be so popular. In addition, I

# A Prewriting. Developing Arguments.

Read the article "Is Technology Killing Leisure Time?" on page 116 and underline sentences that you agree with or do not agree with. On a separate sheet of paper, do the following:

- · paraphrase each sentence you underlined ·
- · provide the reasons why you agree or disagree -

Writing. On a separate sheet of paper, write a critique of the article. State your own opinion at the beginning. Use the sentences you underlined and the comments you wrote to support your opinion.

#### Quoting the author

You can write short statements in direct speech using quotes, as shown in the Writing Model. Paraphrase longer statements in indirect speech.

The author says that technology almost never aces what we expect. I alsagree because it isn't true for most new inventions. The popularity of most new technologies proves that people are happy with them.

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☐ Is your opinion clearly stated?

☐ Did you use connecting words to support your reasons and sequence your ideas?

☐ Did you use quotation marks when using the author's own words?

☐ Did you paraphrase the author's words when you didn't use direct speech?

# Review

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# **Pronunciation table**

bought, dog

boat, road

book, good

boot, food, student

but, mud, mother

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These are the pronunciation symbols used in Summit 1.

Vowels

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Symbol	Key Word	Symbol	Key Word
i	beat, feed	0	banana, among
1	bit, did	3"	shirt, murder
er	date, paid	ar	bite, cry, buy, eye
3	bet, bed	ao	about, how
æ	bat, bad	21	voice, boy
a	box, odd, father	tr	beer

3	banana, among
3	shirt, murder
at	bite, cry, buy, eye
au	about, how
21	voice, boy
tr	beer
Er	bare
ar	bar
or	door
υr	tour

#### Consonants

Symbol	Key Word	Symbol	Key Word
p	pack, happy	z	zip, please, goes
b	back, rubber	J	ship, machine,
t	tie		station, special,
d	die		discussion
k	came, key, quick	3	measure, vision
9	game, guest	h	hot, who
Ħ,	church, nature,	m	men, some
	watch	n	sun, know,
45	judge, general,		pneumonia
	major	ŋ	sung, ringing
ſ	fan, photograph	w	wet, white
v	van	1	light, long
θ	thing, breath	r	right, wrong
ð	then, breathe	У	yes, use, music
S	sip, city,	Ţ	butter, bottle
	psychology	t?	button

# Irregular verbs

base form	simple past	past participle
be	was / were	been
beat	beat	beaten
become	became	become
begin	began	begun
bend	bent	bent
bet	bet	bet
bite	bit	bitten
bleed	bled	bled
blow	blew	blown
break	broke	broken
breed	bred	bred
bring	brought	brought
build	built	built
burn	burned / burnt	burned / burnt
burst	burst	burst
buy	bought	bought
catch	caught	caught
choose	chose	chosen
come	came	come
cost	cost	cost
creep	crept	crept
cut	cut	cut
deal	dealt	dealt
dig	dug	dug
do	did	done
draw	drew	drawn
dream	dreamed / dreamt	dreamed / dream
drink	drank	drunk
drive	drove	driven
eat	ate	eaten
fall	fell	fallen
feed	fed	fed
feel	felt	felt
fight	fought	fought
find	found	found
fit	fit	fit
fly	flew	flown
forbid	forbade	forbidden

base form	simple past	past participle
forget	forgot	forgotten
forgive	forgave	forgiven
freeze	froze	frozen
get	got	gotten
give	gave	given
go	went	gone
grow	grew	grown
hang	hung	hung
have	had	had
hear	heard	heard
hide	hid	hidden
hit	hit	hit
hold	held	held
hurt	hurt	hurt
keep	kept	kept
know	knew	known
lay	laid	laid
lead	led	led
leap	leaped / leapt	leaped / leapt
learn	learned / learnt	learned / learnt
leave	left	left
lend	lent	lent
let	let	let
lie	lay	lain
light	lit	lit
lose	lost	lost
make	made	made
mean	meant	meant
meet	met	met
mistake	mistook	mistaken
pay	paid	paid
put	put	put
quit	quit	quit
read /rid/	read /rcd/	read /rcd/
ride	rode	ridden
ring	rang	rung
rise	rose	risen
run	ran	run

base form	simple past	past participle	base form	simple past	past participle
say	said	said	spring	sprang / sprung	sprung
see	saw	seen	stand	stood	stood
sell	sold	sold	steal	stole	stolen
send	sent	sent	stick	stuck	stuck
set	set	set	sting	stung	stung
shake	shook	shaken	stink	stank / stunk	stunk
shed	shed	shed	strike	struck	struck / stricken
shine	shone	shone	string	strung	strung
shoot	shot	shot	swear	swore	sworn
show	showed	shown	sweep	swept	swept
shrink	shrank	shrunk	swim	swam	swum
shut	shut	shut	swing	swung	swung
sing	sang	sung	take	took	taken
sink	sank	sunk	teach	taught	taught
sit	sat	sat	tear	tore	torn
sleep	slept	slept	tell	told	told
slide	slid	slid	think	thought	thought
smell	smelled / smelt	smelled / smelt	throw	threw	thrown
speak	spoke	spoken	understand	understood	understood
speed	sped / speeded	sped / speeded	upset	upset	upset
spell	spelled / spelt	spelled / spelt	wake	woke / waked	woken / waked
spend	spent	spent	wear	wore	worn
spill	spilled / spilt	spilled / spilt	weave	wove	woven
spin	spun	spun	weep	wept	wept
spit	spit / spat	spit / spat	win	won	won
spoil	spoiled / spoilt	spoiled / spoilt	wind	wound	wound
spread	spread	spread	write	wrote	written

# Stative verbs

amaze	desire	hear	need	seem
appear*	dislike	imagine	owe	smell*
appreciate	doubt	include*	own	sound
astonish	envy	know	please	suppose
be*	equal	like	possess	surprise
believe	exist	look like	prefer	taste*
belong	fear	look*	realize	think*
care	feel*	love	recognize	understand
consist of	forget	matter	remember*	want*
contain	hate	mean	resemble	weigh*
cost	have*	mind	see*	District Control

<sup>\*</sup>These verbs also have action meanings. Example: I see a tree. (non-action) I'm seeing her tomorrow. (action)

# Verbs followed by a gerund

acknowledge	consider	endure	imagine	prevent	resent
admit	delay	enjoy	justify	prohibit	resist
advise	deny	escape	keep	propose	risk
appreciate	detest	explain	mention	quit	suggest
avoid	discontinue	feel like	mind	recall	support
can't help	discuss	finish	miss	recommend	tolerate
celebrate	dislike	forgive	postpone	report	understand
complete	don't mind	give up	practice	S. Dangerson, M. E.	

# Expressions that can be followed by a gerund

be opposed to be used to complain about dream about / of talk about / of think about / of apologize for make an excuse for have a reason for believe in participate in succeed in take advantage of take care of insist on look forward to blame [someone or something] for forgive [someone or something] for thank [someone or something] for keep [someone or something] from prevent [someone or something] from stop [someone or something] from

# Verbs followed directly by an infinitive

choose afford drow mean pretend threaten claim hesitate volunteer agree need promise appear consent hope neglect refuse wait decide arrange hurry offer request want ask wish demand intend pay seem attempt would like deserve learn plan struggle can't wait expect manage prepare swear yearn care fail

# Verbs followed by an object before an infinitive\*

advise	choose*	force	need*	remind	urge
allow	convince	get*	order	request	want*
ask*	enable	help*	pay	require	wam
beg	encourage	hire	permit	teach	wish*
cause	expect*	instruct	persuade	tell	would like*
challenge	forbid	invite	promise*		

<sup>\*</sup>In the active voice, these verbs can be followed by the infinitive without an object (example: want to speak or want someone to speak).

#### Adjectives followed by an infinitive\*

afraid	content	disturbed	glad	proud	sorry
alarmed	curious	eager	happy	ready	surprised
amazed	delighted	easy	hesitant	relieved	touched
angry	depressed	embarrassed	likely	reluctant	upset
anxious	determined	encouraged	lucky	sad	willing
ashamed	disappointed	excited	pleased	shocked	101111111111111111111111111111111111111
certain	distressed	fortunate	prepared		

<sup>\*</sup>Example: I'm willing to accept that.

# Verbs that can be followed by a gerund or an infinitive

#### with a change in meaning

forget (+ gerund) = forget something that happened (+ infinitive) = forget something that needs to be done

regret (+ gerund) = regret a past action

(+ infinitive) = regret having to inform someone about an action

remember (+ gerund) = remember something that happened

(+ infinitive) = remember something that needs to be done

stop (+ gerund) = stop a continuous action (+ infinitive) = stop in order to do something

#### without a change in meaning

begin love can't stand prefer continue start hate try like

### Participial adjectives

alarming alarmed amazed amazing amusing amused annoying annoyed astonishing astonished boring bored comforting comforted confusing confused depressed depressing disappointing disappointed disgusting disgusted distressing distressed

disturbing disturbed embarrassing embarrassed entertaining entertained excited exciting exhausting exhausted fascinating fascinated frightening frightened horrifying horrified inspiring inspired interesting interested irritating irritated moving moved

paralyzing paralyzed pleased pleasing relaxing relaxed satisfied satisfying shocking shocked soothing - soothed startling startled stimulated stimulating surprising surprised terrifying terrified tired tiring touching touched

# Grammar Booster

The Grammar Booster is optional. It provides more explanation and practice as well as additional grammar concepts.

# Unit 1 Go to Unit

#### Gerunds and infinitives: summary

#### Gerunds

A gerund functions as a noun. A gerund or gerund phrase can be the subject of a sentence, a direct or indirect object, a subject complement, or the object of a preposition.

Living a balanced life is about integrating all parts of it. [subject] I love spending time with my family. [direct object]

The best part of life is learning new things. [subject complement]

Here are some tips for getting a healthy perspective on life. [object of a preposition]

#### Infinitives

An infinitive also functions as a noun. An infinitive or infinitive phrase can be the subject of a sentence, but infinitives as subjects are often considered awkward. It is more common to use an impersonal It as the subject.

To be honest isn't always easy. [subject] OR It isn't always easy to be honest.

An infinitive or infinitive phrase can be a direct object or a subject complement.

I want to feel less stressed. [direct object]

My favorite thing is to spend time with friends. [subject complement]

An infinitive or infinitive phrase can express a purpose.

Make time to relax.

We stopped to buy some gas.

#### REMEMBER

Some verbs can only be followed by a gerund.

I suggest asking her if she can make it.

We finished writing the report.

He recommends not waiting till the last minute.

Some verbs can only be followed by an infinitive.

You should expect to be there by early afternoon.

I hope to complete the course.

Learn not to live in the past.

Some verbs can be followed by a gerund or an infinitive with no change in meaning.

He likes listening to jazz.

He likes to listen to jazz.

Some verbs require an object before an infinitive.

He reminded me to call my mother.

I persuaded them not to sell their house.

The school permitted her to skip the first level.

Some adjectives can be followed by an infinitive.

He was surprised to get the promotion.

I was disappointed to hear the news.

For a complete list of verbs, adjectives, and expressions followed by gerunds and infinitives, see pages A3-A4 in the Appendices.

- Complete each sentence with a gerund or infinitive form of the verb. Refer to pages A3-A4 in the Appendices if necessary.
  - We were delighted \_\_\_\_\_ out that we had won the contest.
  - 2. Be sure to thank your father for \_\_\_\_\_\_ me get that interview.
  - 3. She goes to the gym five times a week \_\_\_\_\_\_ in shape.
  - 4. Don't be surprised if he refuses with them.
  - 5. other people for help is sometimes hard to do.
  - 6. They definitely won't permit you that on board.
- On a separate sheet of paper, rewrite the following sentences, using an impersonal It as the subject of the sentence.
  - 1. To pass the examination is not the easiest thing in the world.
  - 2. To speak English fluently is my greatest wish.
  - 3. To live in an English-speaking country might be an exciting experience.
  - 4. To know when to use an infinitive and when to use a gerund is pretty confusing.

#### Grammar for Writing: parallelism with gerunds and infinitives

A common error in formal written English is mixing gerunds and infinitives when listing items in a series. A list of items should either be all gerunds or all infinitives.

When I take time off from work, I prefer relaxing at home, spending time with my family, and getting things done around the house.

NOT I prefer relaxing at home, spending time with my family, and to get things done around the house.

I can't stand getting up late and missing the bus.

NOT I can't stand getting up late and to miss the bus.

#### In a series, either use to with all the infinitives or only with the first one.

When I take time off from work, I prefer to relax at home, spend time with my family, and get things done around the house.

NOT When I take time off from work, I prefer to relax at home, spend time with my family, and to get things done around the house.

- On a separate sheet of paper, correct the errors in parallelism in the following sentences.
  - After she arrived in London, she began to write long letters home and calling her parents at all hours of the night.
  - There are two things I really can't stand doing: speaking in front of large audiences and chat with people I don't know at parties.
  - 3. Right before midnight, everyone began to sing, dance, and to welcome in the new year.
  - 4. There's no question I prefer using all my vacation time and take a long vacation.
- Complete the following sentences, using appropriate gerund or infinitive forms. Refer to pages A3–A4 in the Appendices if necessary.

1.	I would suggest		out the form immediately and		a copy for
	- 00	(f(II)		(make)	
	your records.				

- 2. Did you remember off the stove, the windows, and the door before you left?
- 3. It's obvious from her e-mails that she really loves the culture, new people, and just there.
- 4. They prohibit photographs or a recorder.
- 5. I really wouldn't mind them out to dinner or them around if you'd like me to.
- 6. He promised the report home, it carefully, and to any questions by the next day.

# Unit 2 Go to Unit

#### Finished and unfinished actions: summary

#### Finished actions

Use the simple past tense or the past of be for an action finished at a specified time in the past.

They watched that DVD yesterday.

Use the present perfect for an action finished at an unspecified time in the past.

They've watched that DVD three times.

Use the past perfect for an action that was finished before another action in the past.

When I arrived, they had already watched the DVD.

NOTE: Although the continuous aspect is used for actions in progress, the present perfect continuous is sometimes used for very recently completed actions, especially to emphasize duration.

They've been watching that DVD all afternoon, but they're done now.

#### Unfinished actions

Use the present perfect OR the present perfect continuous for unfinished actions that began in the past and may continue into the future. Use the present perfect continuous to further emphasize that the action is continuous.

She's listened to Ray Charles for years. [And she may continue.]

OR She's been listening to Ray Charles for years. [And she may continue.]

A Complete the article, using the simple past tense, the past of <u>be</u>, or the present perfect.

World Music is not really a true genre of music—it	is a combination of musical genres from around the
world. For a number of years, recording companies	the term to describe the music of artists who
they feel could appeal to new audiences across culture	s. The concept of World Music first created
after U.S. singer / songwriter Paul Simon	his hugely successful Graceland album in 1986. At that
time, he South Africa's male choir Lady	smith Black Mambazo and rock group Savuka to accompany
(5. tour)	with him around the world. This exciting collaboration
immediately to European and North Ar	merican audiences, who were attracted to this different sound
(7. try)	ch new audiences, there an increased amount
of "crossover"—that is, musicians influencing each oth	er across cultures. Enthusiasm for music from other cultures
(9. rise)	o and Carlos Vives, who were well-known within specific
regions such as Africa or Latin America, (10, become)	international stars, and mainstream music (11. (ncorporate)
many of the features of these artists.	

- B Read each statement. Then decide which description is closer in meaning.
  - 1. By the time I heard about it, the concert had sold out.
    - a. First I heard about the concert. Then it sold out.
    - b. First the concert sold out. Then I heard about it.
  - 2. After he'd won the award, he got a big recording contract.
    - a. First he got the recording contract. Then he won the award.
    - b. First he won the award. Then he got the recording contract.
  - 3. We wanted to go to his performance because we'd heard his new CD.
    - a. First we heard his CD. Then we wanted to go to his performance.
    - b. First we wanted to go to his performance. Then we heard his CD.
  - 4. He'd played at a lot of different halls before he performed at Carnegie Hall.
    - First he performed at Carnegie Hall. Then he played at a lot of different halls.
    - b. First he played at a lot of different halls. Then he performed at Carnegie Hall.

#### The past perfect continuous

Use the past perfect continuous for a continuous action that occurred and finished before an earlier time or event.

By 1998, he had been studying French for about five years.

When the test began, the students had been waiting for over an hour.

NOTE: This structure tends to occur more in formal writing than in speaking.

<b>C</b> Use t	the present perfect continuous or the past perfect contin	uous to complete each staten	nent.
	Stella is such a big fan of Bob Marley that she  Jill Morsberger at clubs for ten yea  (perform) to sign a recording contract.	collect)	
	Jeff at the airport for his girlfriend She must be extremely popular. The audience hours.	and the same of th	
5.	The lead guitarist for the band (rehearse) the so good tonight.	new songs for weeks. That'	s why they sound
6.	Shakira songs only in Spanish before songs in English for the U.S. market.	re she decided to branch ou Impersonal expressions that in it is important (that) It appears obvious (that)	man and the second
	nr for Writing: noun clauses as adjective noun complements Go to Unit	It seems clear (that) It becomes essential (that) It is possible (that) It looks likely (that)	
Two way Use a no AVOIL PREF	auses as subjects are awkward and generally avoided.  ys to rewrite such sentences follow.  oun clause as an adjective complement.  DED That Frankel is quite critical of modern art is obvious.  ERRED It is obvious (that) Frankel is quite critical of modern art.  oun clause as a noun complement.  DED That her job was so difficult was why she quit.	Noun phrases that can p the announcement that the argument that the belief that	the possibility that the proposal that the reason that the recommendation that the report that

On a separate sheet of paper, rewrite each sentence, using the impersonal It.

PREFERRED The fact that her job was so difficult was why she quit.

The argument that classical music is dead makes no sense. The news that the new CEO is retiring surprised a lot of people.

The reason that she refuses to appear in films is

the fact that

the idea that

mystery to everyone.

the suggestion that

- That developing countries address the problems caused by global warming is extremely important.
- 2. That the president plans on resigning appears obvious to everyone.
- 3. That not providing disaster relief will only worsen the situation seems quite clear.
- 4. That a cure for cancer will be discovered in the next twenty years is certainly possible.
- 5. That the governments of Argentina and Chile will reach an agreement looks very likely.
- 6. That Max Bianchi won't be participating in the Olympics next year is not important.

Read each quote from a radio news program. Then, on a separate sheet of paper, complete each statement, using the noun clause as a noun complement.

Example: "Volkswagen announced that they would unveil a new car design early next year.

This is causing a lot of excitement in the auto industry." [The announcement...]

The announcement that Volkswagen would unveil a new car design early next year is causing a lot of excitement in the auto industry.

- "The Health Ministry announced that they will begin vaccinating all infants for measles. This was greeted with criticism from the opposition party." [The announcement...]
- "The president said it was possible that he would resign by the end of this year. This has taken everyone by surprise, including the news media." [The possibility...]
- "The London Sun reported that Dr. Regina Blair of the Glasgow Medical Center has discovered a new protein. This is attracting much interest in the world of science." [The report...]
- "The Auckland Times claimed that a 95-year-old New Zealand man had broken the world record for growing the longest beard. This has triggered similar claims across three continents." [The claim...]

# Unit 3 Go to Unit

#### The future continuous

Use the future continuous for actions that will be in progress at a specific time or over a period of time in the future. To form the future continuous, use will + be + a present participle OR be going to + be + a present participle.

Sometimes sentences in the simple future and the future continuous have almost the same meaning. Choose the future continuous to emphasize a continuous or uninterrupted activity. Next year, I'll study English in the United States.

Next year, I'll be studying English in the United States.

#### Questions and short answers

Will you be working at home? Yes, I will. / No, I won't.

Are you going to be working at home? Yes, I am. / No, I'm not.

Use the future continuous and a time clause with while or when to describe a continuous activity that will occur at the same time as another activity. Do not use a future form in the time clause.

I'll be looking for a job while my wife continues her studies.

NOT I'll be looking for a job while my wife will be continuing her studies.

When the mayor is speaking, we'll be listening carefully.

NOT When the mayor will be speaking, we'll be listening carefully.

#### REMEMBER

Stative verbs are "non-action" verbs such as <u>be</u>, <u>have</u>, <u>know</u>, <u>remember</u>, <u>like</u>, <u>seem</u>, <u>appreciate</u>, etc.

Do not use the continuous with stative verbs.

DON'T SAY By next month, I'llbe having a new car.

For a complete list of stative verbs, see page A3 in the Appendices.

- On a separate sheet of paper, correct the errors in the following sentences.
  - 1. She'll be staying at the Newton Hotel when she's going to be attending the meeting.
  - 2. We won't be spending much time sightseeing while we'll be visiting London.
  - 3. When he's going to stay in town, he's going to be meeting with some friends.
  - 4. She'll be correcting homework while the students will be taking the test.
  - While Michelle will be serving dessert, Randy will already be washing the dishes.
  - 6. Won't they be going to sleep in New York when you'll be getting up in Taipei?

B Complete the following sentences, using the future co- future continuous is not possible, use the simple future	
After I've completed my studies, I	for a job.
2. She historic sites while she'	s in Turkey.
	problems they had.
7 (57) 1 ( CC 7 ( C) 7 ( C) C) ( C) (	flights for very long?
5. I'm sure she when you call.	
The future perfect continuous  Use the future perfect continuous to emphasize the continuous time in the future. To form the future perfect continuous, use year, I'll have been studying English for five years. [Do and may still continue.]  Combine a statement using the future perfect continuous with two future actions. Use the simple present tense in the time of By the time I arrive in New York, I'll have been sitting in a plan NOT. By the time I'll arrive in New York, I'll have been sitting in	will + have + been and a present participle. escribes an action that began before "next year" a time clause to show the relationship between ause. ne for over ten hours.
Complete the notecard, using the future continuous of	r the future perfect continuous.
Dear Ida,  Venice was great, but finally on to Paris! By  tomorrow afternoon, I down  the Champs Elysées and (2 take)  the beautiful sights of that great city. In the  erening, I an opera by Bizet  in the city where he was born. Just think, by  Saturday, I delicious French  food for a whole week! Plus, I (5 practice)  my French with real native speakers.	Then, after Paris, it's off to the Riviera, where  I around on the beaches of  Nice and Saint-Tropez for a week. By that time,  I for three weeks, and it will  almost be time to come home-a long trip for a  komebody like me!  See you soon!  Parel
2. I don't think you can say that young p  ☐ most ☐ a great deal of ☐ every	may develop a self-image problem.  mber of

#### Quantifiers: a few and few, a little and little

Use a few with plural count nouns and a little with non-count nouns to mean "some." Use few with plural count nouns and little with non-count nouns to mean "not many" or "not much."

A few companies are allowing their employees to dress casually on Fridays. [some companies] Few companies are allowing their employees to dress casually on Fridays. [not many companies]

Employees are showing a little interest in this new dress code. [some interest] Employees are showing little interest in this new dress code. [not much interest]

Change the underlined quantifiers to a few, few, a little, or little.

a little

Example: Would you like to listen to some music?

- 1. We actually eat almost no meat.
- 2. The newspaper had a bit of information about the concert tonight.
- 3. There were several new students in my class today.
- 4. To tell the truth, I've seen hardly any movies in the last month.
- 5. I enjoy visiting my hometown, but there's not much to do there.
- 6. If you look in the refrigerator, there should be some eggs.

#### Quantifiers: using of

Use of (to refer to something specific) when a noun is preceded by a possessive adjective, a possessive noun, a demonstrative pronoun, or the article the.

most of Jack's co-workers - most co-workers in Italy several of these companies - several companies a few of the choices a few choices a little of the cake - a little cake

many of those books - many books any of her friends any friends much of the coffee much coffee some of his students some students each of the classes each class

one of my cats one cat all of our employees - all employees

Using of after all or both is optional, with no change in meaning.

However, the meaning of both expressions is still singular.

all of our employees OR all our employees NOT all of employees both of those choices OR both those choices NOT both of choices

One and each are used with singular nouns only. But one of and each of are used with plural nouns only.

One student - One of the students Each class Each of the classes

Some quantifiers must include of when they modify a noun or noun phrase.

a lot of a majority of lots of plenty of a couple of a bit of a number of a great deal of

possessive adjectives my, her, their, etc. possessive nouns John's, the doctor's demonstrative pronouns this, that, these, those

> BE CAREFUL! In the superlative, do not use of with most. DON'T SAY Tokyo is the city with the most of people in Japan.

> > BE CAREFUL! Of must be included when using an object pronoun. both of them NOT both them

- Only one of each pair of sentences is correct. Check the correct sentence and correct the mistake in the other one.
  - Example: a. V She went with several of her classmates.
    - Several of classmates went out for coffee.
  - Most of companies in the world are fairly formal.
    - Most of the companies in the United States have dress-down days.
  - 2. a. All of hot appetizers were delicious.
    - Everyone tried all of the cold appetizers.
  - A lot of my friends have traveled to exotic places.
    - There are a lot places I'd like to see.
  - I read a few of Steinbeck's novels last year.
    - A few of novels by Steinbeck take place in Mexico.
  - Several managers were interviewed, and many them liked the new policy.
    - Many of the employees we spoke with liked the new policy.

#### Quantifiers: used without referents

Most quantifiers can be used without the noun they describe as long as the context has been made clear earlier.

A number of people believe there is life on other planets. But many don't. Imany people!

#### Grammar for Writing: subject-verb agreement with quantifiers with of

In quantifiers with of, the verb must agree with the noun that comes after of.

Some of the movie is in English. - Some of the movies are in English. A lot of the music was jazz. - A lot of the musicians were young.

In formal English, none of is followed by a singular verb. However, in everyday spoken English, it is common to use it with a plural verb.

Formal: None of the students was late for class. Informal: None of the students were late for class.

BE CAREFUL! The quantifiers one of, each of, and every one of are always followed by a plural noun, but they always take a singular verb. One of the students likes rap music.

- Choose the verb that agrees with each subject.
  - 1. Every one of these choices (sound / sounds) terrific!
  - 2. One of the teachers (was / were) going to stay after class.
  - 3. A lot of the problem (is / are) that no one wants to work so hard.
  - 4. Each of the employees (want / wants) to work overtime.
  - 5. Half of the city (was / were) flooded in the storm.
  - None of the players (is coming / are coming) to the game.
  - Only 8 percent of their workers prefer shorter work weeks, while at least 90 percent (don't / doesn't).

# Unit 5 Go to Unit

#### Conjunctions with so, too, neither, or not either

Use and so or and . . . too to join affirmative statements that are similar. Spitting on the street is offensive, and so is littering. OR Spitting on the street is offensive, and littering is too.

Use neither or not either to join negative statements that are similar. Spitting on the street doesn't bother me, and neither does littering. Spitting on the street doesn't bother me, and littering doesn't either.

If the first clause uses the verb be, an auxiliary verb, or a modal, use the same structure in the second clause.

Tokyo is a huge city, and so is São Paulo.

New York doesn't have a lot of industry, and neither does London. Mexico City has grown a lot, and so has Los Angeles.

Nancy can't tolerate loud radios, and neither can Tom.

If the first clause does not include the verb be, an auxiliary verb, or a modal, use a form of do.

John thinks graffiti is a big problem, and so does Helen.

BE CAREFUL! Use a negative with either and an affirmative with neither. ... and neither does littering.

NOT . . and neither deeen't littering.

, and littering deesn't either. NOT ... and littering does either

BE CAREFUL! Notice the subject-verb order.

... and so is littering.

... and littering is too.

and neither does littering.
and littering doesn't either.

BE CAREFUL! With so and neither, the verb (or auxiliary verb) goes before the subject.

Nancy can't stand loud boom boxes, and neither can Tom. NOT . . . neither Tom can.

Tokyo is a huge city, and so is São Paulo.

NOT ... and so São Paulo is.

Find and underline the nine errors. On a separate sheet of paper, write each sentence correctly.

New York is one of the most famous cities in the world, and so does London. While these two cities differ in many ways, they also share a number of characteristics. Here's a quick comparison:

- · If you're looking for peace and quiet, New York is not the place to be, and neither London is. They are both exciting and noisy places. If you're not used to it, New York's traffic can be dealening at times, and so does London's.
- The best way to get around in both cities is the subway (or the Tube in London). New York's subway system is quite old and elaborate, and is London's too.

- If you're looking for first-rate entertainment, New York is filled with theaters, and so London does.
- Hungry? London's restaurants feature exciting dishes from around the world, and New York's are too.
- · Both cities offer a huge choice of museums to visit. The museums in New York can't possibly be seen in a day, and either London's can't.
- New York offers some of the world's most famous tourist sites-for example, the Statue of Liberty and the Empire State Building-and so is London, with Buckingham Palace and the Millennium Wheel.

It's clear that New York shouldn't be missed, and neither London shouldn't!

On a separate sheet of paper, rewrite each statement, using the word in parentheses. Make any necessary changes in verbs or possessive adjectives.

Example: Both Vilnius and Riga have large historic districts. (so)

Vilnius has a large historic district, and so does Riga.

- Both Bangkok and São Paulo face many problems caused by too much traffic. (so)
- Both Athens and Barcelona have hosted the Olympic Games in the past. (too)
- 3. Vancouver and Taipei don't ever get very cold. (neither)
- 4. Mexico City and Tokyo won't experience a decrease in their populations any time soon. (not either)
- 5. Both Hong Kong and Rio de Janeiro are famous for their physical beauty. (so)
- 6. Prague and Krakow attract people who like great architecture. (too)
- 7. The Prado Museum in Madrid and the Louvre in Paris shouldn't be missed. (neither)
- 8. Tokyo and Mexico City haven't lost their places among the world's largest cities yet. (not either)

#### So, too, neither, or not either: short responses

Use so, too, neither, or not either in short responses to express agreement.

A: I hate littering. B: So do I. / I do too. NOT So do I hate. / I do hate too.

A: I can't stand smoking. B: I can't either. / Neither can I. NOT I can't stand either. / Neither can I stand.

In English, it is common to express agreement with me too or me neither.

A: I hate littering. B: Me too.
A: I can't stand smoking. B: Me neither.

Agree with each statement. Use short responses with so, too, neither, or not either.

A: I've never been to Ulan Bator.
 B:

2. A: I can't figure this out. B:

3. A: I loved going there! B:

4. A: I have to get some cash. B:

5. A: I'm getting really tired. B:

6. A: I used to travel more. B:

7. A: I'll call her tomorrow. B:

8. A: I'm not going to tell her she's late. B:

# Unit 6 Go to Unit

#### Modals and modal-like expressions: summary

#### Make polite requests

Could I get your phone number?

Can my son have just one more cookie?

Would you please hold this for a second? (with you only)

May I have a cup of coffee? (with I or we only, formal)

#### Express preferences

I would like to see that movie.

Would you like to go running?

I'd rather not see a movie.

I would rather have left earlier.

#### Give or ask for permission

You can open the window if you want.

Can I leave this here?

You may leave early if you need to.

May I leave my coat here? (with I or we only, formal)

#### Express ability or lack of ability

He can complete the job for you in an hour.

Can you write well in English?

We couldn't finish the report yesterday.

Couldn't you find the restaurant?

My grandmother isn't able to walk any more.

Is she able to take care of herself?

She was able to do a lot more when she was younger.

#### Express possibility

It may rain this afternoon.

He may not be able to come this morning.

She may have forgotten to lock the door.

She may not have remembered.

It might be noisy at that restaurant.

She might not want to eat anything.

He might have gone home already.

He might not have paid yet.

#### Draw conclusions

Your father must be very smart.

She must not think it's important.

They must have been exhausted when they got home.

He must not have sent it.

#### Suggest alternatives

You could take the next train.

She could have bought it for less.

#### Give suggestions

They really should think about staying longer.

He shouldn't have waited to make a reservation.

They should have called first.

You shouldn't stay at that hotel.

They really ought to think about staying longer.

They ought to have called first.

Should we have called first?

NOTE: Quant to is not usually used in negative statements or questions. Use shouldn't or should instead.

#### Give a warning

Your mother had better see a doctor right away.

You had better not forget about your appointment.

He had better have called this morning.

They had better not have hurt any animals when they made that movie.

NOTE: Had better is generally not used in questions. In spoken English, the contraction 'd better is almost always used.

#### Express necessity

All students have to take the test.

All students must take the test. [formal]

All students have got to take the test. [spoken only]

#### Express lack of necessity

You don't have to have a passport. She didn't have to pay a late fee.

#### Express prohibition or deny permission

New employees shouldn't park their cars in the garage.

New employees cannot park their cars in the garage.

New employees must not park their cars in the garage. [formal]

New employees may not park their cars in the garage. [formal]

NOTE: In questions, have to is generally used.

Questions with must are very formal and not very common. Past necessity is expressed with had to.

Does everyone have to take the test?

Must everyone take the test?

All students had to take the test.

A Cross out the one modal that cannot be used in each sentence or question.

- 1. (May / Can / Could) your mother please call me tonight?
- 2. I (wasn't able to / couldn't / shouldn't) get there on time because the traffic was so bad.
- 3. She (may / had better / can) be able to complete the job by tomorrow.
- 4. (Can / Should / Ought to) my students listen in while you practice?
- 5. Shoppers (may / have to / must) not load their cars in front of the main entrance.
- Thank goodness she (doesn't have to / must not / was able to) renew her passport for another five years.
- You (could / had better / should) let his assistant know you won't be able to make it on time, or you may not get the job.
- 9. This restaurant is so good we (ought to / might / would rather) come here more often.
- B Circle the one modal that best completes each conversation.
  - 1. A: Why didn't you come to the party last night?
    - B: I (had to / have to / must / have got to) study for a test.
  - 2. A: You really (can't / should / mustn't / are able to) call more often.
    - B: You're right. I'm sorry.
  - 3. A: She ('d better not have / should have / had to have / must have) forgotten the tickets!
    - B: Uh-oh. I hate to tell you this, but I think she did.
  - 4. A: Do you think I ('m able to / must / would / could) get your phone number?
    - B: Sure.
  - 5. A: Did you get to go to the movies?
    - B: Yeah. But I (must have / 'd rather have / should not have / would have) stayed at home.
  - A: Unfortunately, the doctor (shouldn't / has to / won't be able to / had better) see you until tomorrow.
    - B: That's OK. No problem.
  - 7. A: What do you think happened to ludy?
    - B: She (must not have / shouldn't have / isn't able to / didn't have to) known we were starting so early.

#### Grammar for Writing: past forms of gerunds and infinitives

Gerunds and infinitives have past forms to express actions that occurred in the past.

I appreciate having had the opportunity to meet our overseas colleagues.

They were disappointed not to have met everyone from the Jakarta office.

We didn't mind having been delayed so long in Paris.

He's surprised to have heard about your resignation.

If the main verb is in the simple past tense or the past of  $\underline{be}$ , the gerund or infinitive can be in either the present or past form, with no change in meaning. It is more common to use the present form of a gerund or an infinitive in everyday spoken English.

They were disappointed not to meet everyone from the Jakarta office. We didn't mind being delayed so long in Paris.

Past forms Active voice	
gerund	having + past participle
Passive voic	to have + past participle e
gerund infinitive	having been + past participle to have been + past participle

	past gerund or infinitive form of each verb to complete the statements. Use the passive where necessary. Refer to pages A3–A4 in the Appendices if necessary.
1.	It was clear that many passengers were shocked about from the flight without warning.
2.	The ministers were found guilty of personal gifts from foreign companies.
3.	At the news conference, the president mentioned with his advisers about the problem.
4.	The mayor apologized today forimmediately to the disaster.
5.	Most of the seniors expressed their happiness at as participants in the event.
6.	They were accused of money from the cash register.
7.	The newspaper reporter appeared by a government worker who claimed she knew what had really happened.
8.	We want you to know how much we regret such a serious mistake.

(make)

# Unit 8 Go to Unit

#### Making comparisons: summary

Comparative forms of adjectives and adverbs show how two things are different.

John is taller than Rob (is).

This movie was less interesting than the last one (was).

My sister types a lot faster than I (do).

There is less corruption in the government than there used to be.

Superlative forms of adjectives and adverbs show how one thing is different from everything else.

She was the nicest person I ever met!

That was the least entertaining movie I ever saw.

Of all the actors, she sang the most beautifully.

Among my friends, Ned and Stacey definitely have the most money.

Of all the cars we looked at, the Linkus costs the most.

Comparisons with as . . . as show how two things are alike.

Tom is just as tall as George (is).

She still sings as beautifully as she did when she was young.

My nephew now weighs as much as I do.

I have as much money in the bank as I did last year.

Use as . . . as with almost, about, and not guite to show how two things are similar, but not equal.

My nephew weighs almost as much as I do.

[I weigh a bit more.]

The movie is about as long as his last one.

[But it's a bit shorter.]

This coat isn't quite as expensive as it looks. [It's actually cheaper.]

Use as . . . as with twice, three times, etc., to show that things are not equal at all.

A Linkus sedan is about twice as expensive as a Matsu.

My new computer is ten times as fast as my old one.

NOTE: In informal spoken English, it is more common to say "... as tall as me" instead of the more formal "... as tall as I."

Irregular forms			
adjective	adverb	comparative	superlative
good	well	better (than)	the best
bad	badly	worse (than)	the worst
far	far	farther / further (than)	the farthest / furthest
a little	a little	less (than)	the least
a few	a few	fewer (than)	the fewest
many / a lot of	-	more (than)	the most
much / a lot of	-	much / a lot more (than)	the most

BE CAREFUL! Use the with a superlative form.

Which student is the tallest OR tallest?

NOT Which is tallest student?

followed by a noun.

However, you can omit the if the superlative is not

1.	"The textbook we are using now is very good. The textbook we were using last year was also very good."
	The textbook we're using now is the one we were using last year.
2.	"Star shampoo costs about \$6.00. Ravel shampoo costs about \$7.00. Sanabel shampoo costs about \$5.00."
	Among the three shampoos, Sanabel is
3.	"We paid four hundred euros each for our tickets. They paid three hundred euros."
	We paid they did.
4.	"Hank has only a little experience working with children. Nancy has a lot of experience."
	Hank has Nancy.
5.	"John's laptop weighs 4 kilos. Gerry's laptop weighs 4.1 kilos."
	John's laptop isn't Gerry's is.
6.	"Mark knows only a little Japanese. Jonah knows a lot."
	Mark knows Jonah does.
7.	"Bart ate a lot for lunch. Susan ate a lot for lunch too."
	Susan ateBart did for lunch.

#### Other uses of comparatives, superlatives, and comparisons with as ... as

#### For emphasis

The Nile River is more than 5,500 kilometers long. [emphasizes that the river is very long]

The Dickens School now has fewer than 900 students. [emphasizes that this is a relatively small number]

A newborn Asian elephant can weigh as much as 150 kilos. [emphasizes that this is fairly heavy]

As many as 200 of these animals are killed every year. [emphasizes that this is a high number]

That was the worst movie ever. [emphasizes that this was a bad movie]

This meal was the best ever! [emphasizes that this was a great meal]

#### To show progression

My son is getting taller every day. [He's growing.]

The economy is stronger now. [It's improving.]

#### To show tendencies or preferences

We eat out more than in. [We tend to eat out.]

Sara likes being alone more than socializing. [She prefers to spend time alone.]

#### To clarify

He's a lot friendlier than you would think. [You may think he's not friendly, but in fact he is.]

She's more of a singer than a dancer. [People may think she's mainly a dancer, but in fact she's mainly a singer.]

The movie's more annoying than scary. [You may think this movie will be scary, but in fact it's just annoying.]

It looks more like snow than rain. [You may think it's going to rain, but in fact it looks like it's going to snow.]

- B Use a comparative, a superlative, or a comparison with <u>as</u> ... <u>as</u> to complete each statement so it has a similar meaning to the information in quotes.
  - 1. "Our meal last night was really inexpensive. It only cost 48 euros for the two of us." Our meal last night cost .. 50 euros.
  - 2. "Our reading club meetings are getting pretty big. On some nights there are thirty students." Our reading club meetings sometimes have students.
  - 3. "I think our teacher is really great!"

Our teacher is

4. "The garden you planted last month has become so beautiful!"

Your garden is getting every day!

5. "You may think snails might taste strange, but they actually taste quite good." ... you may think.

6. "You may think Kate is shy, but she's actually very talkative."

than you might think.

### Unit 9 Go to Unit

#### Say, ask, and tell: summary

Snails taste \_\_

Say and ask are the most common reporting verbs in direct speech. Use say for statements and ask for questions.

"I completely disagree with the president on this issue," said the education minister.

"Who do they think is in control of this government?" asked the president.

#### Note the use of say, ask, and tell in indirect speech.

She said (to the press) that she completely disagreed with the president.

She asked (the press) if they disagreed with the president.

She told the press that she completely disagreed with the president.

BE CAREFU	
DONTSAY	She said the prese that she
	completely disagreed with
T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-T-	the president
DON'T SAY	She told that she completely
	disagreed with the provident
- DON'T SAY	She told to the prese that she
	completely disagreed with
	the president

- A Complete the sentences with a form of say, ask, or tell.
  - 1. She \_\_\_\_\_ the waiter if she could pay with a credit card.
  - 2. We \_\_\_\_\_ that we would come back later when they were less busy.
  - 3. He \_\_\_\_\_ his friends that he would be a few minutes late.
  - 4. She \_\_\_\_\_\_ to her teacher that she needed a bit more time.
  - 5. I my kids whether they would mind if we stopped at the store on the way home.
  - 6. They \_\_\_\_\_ the reporter that they were ready to provide information about the case.
  - 7. He \_\_\_\_\_\_ to the clerk that it was the longest he'd ever had to wait on line.
  - 8. I them if they enjoyed the movie.

#### Grammar for Writing: other reporting verbs

Writers use a variety of reporting verbs to describe actions more specifically and accurately.

#### argue

"Things are definitely getting worse," argues Charles Wilder, a leading economic advisor to the president. Charles Wilder, a leading economic advisor to the president, argues that things are getting worse.

#### claim

"Baylor was taking bribes," claims the Daily Sun.

The Daily Sun claims that Baylor was taking bribes.

#### declare

"The mayor has been doing a brilliant job!" declared the governor on Tuesday.

On Tuesday, the governor declared that the mayor had been doing a brilliant job.

#### evolain

"You should always discuss dieting with your doctor," Dr. Fish explained.

Dr. Fish explained that people should always discuss dieting with their doctors.

#### report

The New York Times reports, "Obesity is a growing problem in Asia."

Last year, The New York Times reported that obesity was a growing problem in Asia.

#### state

The new CEO stated, "Things are going to change around here."

The new CEO stated that things were going to change at the company.

More reporting verbs
add maintain announce mention answer promise comment remark complain reply exclaim reveal imply write

- On a separate sheet of paper, restate each sentence with a different reporting verb. Use a dictionary if necessary.
  - 1. The Bangkok Post says that the president of Chile will be visiting Thailand next month.
  - The minister of education said yesterday that major improvements have been made in schools across the country.
  - 3. The secretary of the United Nations says that more should be done to alleviate world hunger.
  - 4. The scientists who conducted the study said that more research would have to be conducted.
  - 5. The children who wrote on the walls said that they wouldn't do it again.
  - 6. The BBC said that it would increase its coverage of the news in the Middle East.

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#### Intensifiers

Adverbs of degree, also called "intensifiers," modify adjectives and add emphasis. An intensifier goes before a modifying adjective or series of modifying adjectives.

- a really interesting book
- a considerably large round orange

ntensifiers	
really -	somewhat -
very -	fairly
pretty*	slightly
extremely	wonderfully
rather	considerably
"Informal spokers	

A Complete the restaurant review with appropriate intensifiers.

#### Chez Pierre: Fine dining at its best!

lovely restaurant, guests are greeted by Chef Pierre, who proudly Upon arriving at this explains the \_\_\_\_\_ impressive new menu. There are some \_\_\_ inexpensive dinner choices that are sure to satisfy even the most demanding diners. The elegant European-style décor at Chez Pierre only adds to the experience. However, the \_\_\_\_\_subdued lighting makes it hard to read the menu and is disappointing. Be sure to ask about their dessert choices, which don't require good lighting for you to enjoy them thoroughly!

#### Adverbs of manner Go to Unit

Adverbs of manner show how something is done or happens. They usually go at the end of a clause when the adverb provides important information in the sentence. He ate his dinner slowly. She sings really well.

Adverbs of manner ending in -ly can go before the verb or verb phrase when they are not the main focus of the sentence.

I slowly opened the door. [focus is on opening the door]

I opened the door slowly. [focus is on how the door was opened]

He angrily hung up the phone. [focus is on hanging up the phone]

He hung up the phone angrily. [focus is on how the phone was hung up]

Adverbs of manner can go before the past participle in the passive voice.

His report was very poorly written.

BE CAREFUL! Do not place an adverb of manner between a verb and a direct object.

He drank his coffee quickly. NOT He drank quickly his coffee.

angrily	poorly
badly —	quietly
fast	sadly
happily	slovily
hard	softly
nidely	suddenly
noisily	Well

- B Check if the adverb is correctly used. If not, make corrections.
  - 1. When the game was over, he left quickly the court.
  - 2. As she drove into town, she sang to herself softly.
  - ☐ 3. The meeting was suddenly postponed after the CEO arrived.
  - 4. They pretended noisily to wash the dinner dishes as they listened in on the conversation.
  - ☐ 5. He congratulated her for her nicely presented report.
  - 6. They entered quietly the room and sat in the corner.

# Pronunciation Booster

The Pronunciation Booster is optional. It provides more information about pronunciation as well as additional practice.

# Unit 1 Go to Unit

#### Content words and function words

In English, content words are generally stressed. Function words are generally unstressed.

My BOSS is a PAIN in the NECK! He's REALLY a TERRIFIC BOSS. MARK is such a SMART GUY. I'm SURE she'll be a GREAT MANAGER.

#### Stress in compound nouns

A compound noun is a noun that is made up of two or more words. Stress generally falls on the first word in compound nouns.

compound noun		adjective + noun	
He's a WISE guy.	BUT	He's a WISE LEADER.	
She's a PEOPLE person.	BUT	She's a NICE PERSON.	
It's an APARTMENT building.	BUT	It's a TALL BUILDING.	
They're EXERCISE machines.	BUT	They're NEW MACHINES	

#### Content words

nouns boss, Julie, happiness verbs find, meet, call adjectives talkative, small, green adverbs quietly, again, slowly possessive pronouns mine, yours, his demonstrative pronouns this, those, that reflexive pronouns ourselves, herself interrogative pronouns what, who, where

#### Function words

prepositions of, from, at conjunctions and, but, or determiners a, the, some personal pronouns he, she, they possessive adjectives my, her, their auxiliary verbs have + [past participle]

BE CAREFUL! When an auxiliary verb is negative or used in short answers, it is generally stressed. CAN'T GO. He WON'T LIKE it. No, they DON'T. Yes, I HAVE.

be + [present participle]

- A (1) Listen and practice.
  - My BOSS is a PAIN in the NECK!
  - 2. He's REALLY a TERRIFIC BOSS.
  - 3. MARK is such a SMART GUY.
  - 4. I'm SURE she'll be a GREAT MANAGER.
- B Circle the content words.
  - 1. Learn to live in the present.
  - 2. He reminded me to call my mother.
  - 3. He asked me to work faster.
  - 4. I prefer to stick closer to home.

Now practice reading each sentence aloud and listen to compare.\* (Note that your choices may differ from what you hear on the audio.)

- C (1) Listen and practice.
  - 1. He's a WISE guy. He's a WISE LEADER.
  - 2. She's a PEOPLE person. She's a NICE PERSON.
  - 3. It's an APARTMENT building. It's a TALL BUILDING.
  - 4. They're EXERCISE machines. They're NEW MACHINES.
- Practice reading each compound noun aloud and listen to check.\*
  - 1. a swimming pool 4. a telephone directory
  - 2. tennis courts 5. office managers
  - 3. an answering machine 6. the bullet train

<sup>\*</sup>NOTE: Whenever you see a listening activity with an asterisk (\*), say each word, phrase, or sentence in the pause after each number. Then listen for confirmation.

# Unit 2 Go to Unit

#### Intonation patterns

In statements, commands, and information questions, lower pitch after the stressed syllable in the last stressed word. If the last syllable in the sentence is stressed, lower pitch on the vowel by lengthening it.

I haven't been to many concerts lately.

Don't forget to watch them on TV tonight.

What do you like about that song?

Raise pitch after the stressed syllable in the last stressed word in <u>yes</u> / <u>no</u> questions and requests. If the last syllable in the sentence is stressed, raise pitch on the vowel by lengthening it.

Have you ever heard of Annie Lennox?

Could you pick up their new CD for me?

Do you think she has a nice voice?

- A Listen and practice.
  - 1. I haven't been to many concerts lately.
  - 2. Don't forget to watch them on TV tonight.
  - 3. What do you like about that song?
  - 4. Have you ever heard of Annie Lennox?
  - 5. Could you pick up their new CD for me?
  - 6. Do you think she has a nice voice?
- Circle the last stressed content word in each of the following sentences. If that word has more than one syllable, underline the stressed syllable.
  - 1. That song has a great beat you can dance to.
  - 2. Her catchy lyrics make you want to sing along.
  - 3. Didn't you like that song's melody?
  - 4. What time do you think the concert will be finished?

Now practice reading each sentence aloud, using the intonation patterns you have learned. Listen to check.\*

# Unit 3 Go to Unit

# Sentence rhythm: thought groups

Longer sentences are usually divided by rhythm into smaller "thought groups" -groups of words that naturally or logically go together. Exactly how statements may be divided into thought groups will vary among speakers.

My short-term goal / is to start living / within my means.

NOT My short term / goal is to / start living within my / means.

I don't plan / to be financially dependent / for the rest of my life.

By next year / I hope to have gotten / a good job / as a financial consultant.

#### Pitch in longer sentences

In longer sentences, pitch may fall-or rise-after the last stressed syllable in each thought group, with no change in meaning.

Once he tries keeping / a realistic budget / he'll find it easy / to save money. OR

Once he tries keeping / a realistic budget / he'll find it easy / to save money.

# A Listen and practice.

- My short-term goal is to start living within my means.
- 2. I don't plan to be financially dependent for the rest of my life.
- 3. By next year, I hope to have gotten a good job as a financial consultant.
- 4a. Once he tries keeping a realistic budget, he'll find it easy to save money.
- 4b. Once he tries keeping a realistic budget, he'll find it easy to save money.
- B Read the following sentences. Decide how you might break each sentence into thought groups.
  - 1. By the end of this month, I hope to have finished paying off my student loans.
  - 2. In two months, when we've finally paid off our house, we're going to have a big party to celebrate.
  - 3. To be perfectly honest, I couldn't tell you where the money goes.
  - 4. By next year, I will have completed my studies, but I don't think I will have gotten married.

Now practice reading each sentence aloud, paying attention to pitch. Listen to compare.\* (Note that your choices may differ from what you hear on the audio.)

# Unit 4 Go to Unit

# Linking sounds

Linking with vowels

When the final consonant sound of a word is followed by a vowel sound, link the sounds together.

It's in style now.

She bought him an elegant tie.

I've already bought a new suit.

#### Linking identical consonants

When the final consonant sound of a word is followed by the same sound, link the sounds together as one sound.

She thinks the blouse is striking.

They preferred dark suits.

What an attractive yest!

Examples of thought groups subject + verb I don't know noun phrases my short-term goal prepositional phrases by the end of the month

predicates is drowning in debt noun clauses where the money goes

adverbial clauses when I've finished my report

adjective clauses that I paid off last year

- - 1. It's in style now.
  - 2. She bought him an elegant tie.
  - 3. I've already bought a new suit.
  - 4. She thinks the blouse is striking.
  - 5. They preferred dark suits.
  - 6. What an attractive vest!
- B Underline all the places where you think the sounds should be linked.
  - 1. She wants Susan to dress up next time.
  - 2. It's fashionable and elegant.
  - 3. It's out of style.
  - 4. I wish she preferred dressing down.
  - 5. That blouse isn't trendy enough for my taste.
  - 6. I think Kyle has stylish taste.
  - Now practice reading each sentence aloud and listen to check.\*

### Unit 5 Go to Unit

#### Unstressed syllables: vowel reduction to /ə/

In conversation, the vowels in unstressed syllables are often reduced to the sound /a/. The vowel sound /a/ occurs more often in English than any other vowel sound and contributes to maintaining the rhythm of English.

ac cept a ble 
$$\rightarrow$$
 /ak'septabal/ re spect ful  $\rightarrow$  /ra'spektfal/
con sid er ate  $\rightarrow$  /kan'sidarat/ ir re spon si ble  $\rightarrow$  /ara'spansabal/
po lite  $\rightarrow$  /po'latt/ in ex cus a ble  $\rightarrow$  /anak'skyuzabal/

- Listen and practice.
  - acceptable
- 4. respectful
- 2. considerate
- 5. irresponsible

3. polite

- 6. inexcusable
- B (isten to each word and circle the unstressed syllables that have the sound / ə/.
  - un ac cept a ble
- 4. un pleas ant
- 7. un i mag i na ble

- 2. in con si de rate
- 5. ir ra tion al
- 8. dis re spect ful

- 3. im po lite
- 6. im ma ture
- 9. in ap pro pri ate

(1)

Now practice reading each word aloud and listen again to check.\*

# Unit 6 Go to Unit

#### Sound reduction

In everyday speech, sounds in unstressed words are often "reduced"; that is, vowels change to /a/ or /a/ or consonants are dropped.

#### **Vowel reduction**

The /u/ sound in the function word to is often reduced to /a/.

I'll be going to the airport after dinner. /tə/

It's ten to two. /ta/

The /e/ sound in many one-syllable function words is often reduced to /e/.

Look at that. /ət/

I got an iguana. /ən/

That's more than I need. /ðən/

The /ar/ and /or/ sounds in function words are often reduced to /a/.

Pets are no trouble. / 3/

Is it black or white? /a-/

Where's your farm? /va/

He's been gone for days. /fa/

The function word and /end/ is often reduced to /an/ when it occurs between two subjects, objects, modifiers, verbs, or phrases.

They have long arms and legs. /an/

She laughed and cried when she heard the news. /on/

We stayed out late and went dancing. /an/

BE CAREFUL! The vowel sound /ac/ in and is generally not reduced when it occurs at the beginning of a clause, but the consonant sound /d/ may still be dropped.

He wore a black suit, and she wore a green dress. /æn/

The initial /h/ sound is usually dropped in function words.

What does he mean? /dazi/

It's in Wis bag. /miz/

# A (4)) Listen and practice.

- 1. I'll be going to the airport after dinner.
- 2. It's ten to two.
- 3. Look at that.
- 4. I got an iguana.
- 5. That's more than I need.
- 6. Pets are no trouble.
- 7. Is it black or white?
- 8. Where's your farm?

- 9. He's been gone for days.
- They have long arms and legs.
- She laughed and cried when she heard the news.

BE CAREFUL! Function words that occur at the

end of a sentence are never reduced.

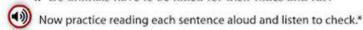
What a beautiful bird you are! /ar/

What are you looking at? /æt/

Who's she talking to? /tu/

What are you waiting for? /for/

- 12. We stayed out late and went dancing.
- He wore a black suit, and she wore a green dress.
- 14. What does he mean?
- 15. It's in his bag.
- B Circle the words in the following sentences you think will be reduced.
  - 1. Alternatives can be found for medical research on animals.
  - A lot can be done to improve conditions on those farms.
  - 3. Animals are trained to perform in circuses.
  - 4. Do animals have to be killed for their hides and fur?



# Unit 7 Go to Unit

#### Vowel sounds /i/ and /1/

The sound /i/ is longer and is formed by tensing the tongue. The sound /i/ is shorter and formed with the tongue relaxed.

/i/ /i/
leave live
team Tim
feel fill
steal still
feet fit

The vowel sound /I/ also appears frequently in unstressed syllables.

places

market

artisan

minute women

The vowel sounds /i/ and /i/ are represented in spelling in a number of ways.

/1/ /1/ steal blimp steep syllable people busy handy building believe women receive pretty boutique been key give

A (isten and practice.

- 1. leave live
- 2. team Tim
- 3. feel fill
- 4. steal still
- 5. feet fit
- **B** Listen and practice.
  - 1. places 2. market 3. artisan 4. minute 5. women
- Listen to each pair of words. Circle if they are the same or different.
  - 1. same different 5. same
  - same different
     same different
     same different
  - 3. same different 7. same different 4. same different 8. same different
- Listen and check which sound you hear in the stressed syllable.
  - fil Itl
- /i/ /i/ 6. □ □
- fil Isl

- 1. 🗆 🗆 2. 🗆 🗇
- 11. □ □

different

- 3. 🗆 🗆
- 13.

- 4. O O
- 9. 🗆 🗀
- 14. 0
- Now listen again and practice.

### Unit 8 Go to Unit

#### Stress placement: prefixes and suffixes

Stress placement does not change when most prefixes and suffixes are added to a word.

unimportant importance importantly important obedient disobedience obedience obediently happily happy unhappy happiness

However, adding the suffixes -ion, -ic, -ity, -ical, and -ian generally shifts stress to the syllable before the suffix.

educate education photograph → photographic dependable → dependability → political politics music musician

Some nouns and verbs have the same spelling. When the word is a noun, the stress is on the first syllable. When the word is a verb the stress is on the second syllable.

nouns verbs rebel rebel protest protest present present object object progress progress

Other words in this category conduct conflict contrast convert permit record survey suspect

A (1) Listen and practice.

1. important unimportant importance importantly 2. obedient obedience disobedience obediently 3. happy unhappy happiness happily

B (1)) Listen and practice.

education 1. educate 2. photograph photographic 3. dependable dependability 4. politics political 5. music musician

Look at the stressed syllable of each word in Column A. According to the rules given in the chart on page P7, mark the stressed syllable of each word in Column B.

- 1. fa mil iar fa mil iar i ty
- 2. e mo tion al e mo tion al ly
- 3. reg u late reg u la tion
- 4. ap pre ci a tive ap pre cia tive ly
- 5. sym pa thy sym pa thet ic
- 6. hy poth e size hy po thet i cal
- 7. beau ty beau ti fy
- 8. his to ry his tor i cal
- 9. ma te ri al ist ma te ri al is tic
- 10. pol i tics pol i ti cian
- Now practice reading each word aloud and listen to check.\*
- Listen and practice.

	nouns	verbs
1.	rebel	rebel
2.	protest	protest
3.	present	present
4.	object	object
5.	progress	progress

- Circle the syllable you think will be stressed in each blue word.
  - 1. A summer fishing permit permits you to fish all you want.
  - 2. The protest was organized to protest government spending.
  - 3. All the employees were surveyed so the results of the survey would be useful.
  - The contrast between them now is not great compared to how much they contrast at other times of the year.
  - 5. We strongly object to the decision to sell art objects outside the museum.
  - Now practice reading each sentence aloud, paying attention to words that are both nouns and verbs. Listen to check.\*

# Unit 9 Go to Unit

#### Reduction and linking in perfect modals in the passive voice

In perfect modals in the passive voice, the modal and the auxiliary verbs have been are said together as one unit. Note that stress falls on the modal and the main verb. In everyday speech, the /h/ sound in the auxilliary have is dropped and /æ/ is reduced to /a/.

/'kudavbin/

They COULD have been KILLED.

/maitavbtn/

They MIGHT have been LOST.

/'mostovbm/

They MUST have been MOVED.

/'meryaybin/

They MAY have been DISCOVERED.

With had to, stress had and the main verb. Say had to and have been as one unit.

/'hætuavbin/

They HAD to have been STOLEN.

In negative perfect modals, stress falls on the modal, the word not, and the main verb. In everyday speech, not and the auxiliary verbs have been are generally said as one unit.

/'nataybin/

They MIGHT NOT have been LOST.

They MUST NOT have been MOVED.



- They could have been killed.
- 2. They might have been lost.
- They must have been moved.
- 4. They may have been discovered.
- 5. They had to have been stolen.
- 6. They might not have been lost.
- 7. They must not have been moved.
- B Underline where you think the words should be linked and which sounds should be reduced.
  - 1. The dinosaurs may have been killed by a meteor.
  - 2. The trees could have been destroyed by a fire.
  - 3. The gold figures may not have been lost.
  - 4. The stone balls must have been moved using animals.
  - 5. The drawings must not have been discovered until later.
  - The crater had to have been caused by a meteorite.
  - 7. The trees couldn't have been burned in a fire.



Now practice reading each sentence aloud, paying attention to reductions. Listen to check.\*

# Unit 10 Go to Unit

### Vowel sounds /e1/, /e/, /æ/, and /A/

The sound /et/ is longer and is formed by tensing the tongue with the lips spread. The sounds /e/, /æ/, and /A/ are shorter and are formed with the tongue relaxed. Say /et/ and /e/ with the lips spread wide. Say /ee/ with the lips spread slightly and the mouth slightly open. Say /A/ with the tongue and jaw completely relaxed.

/et/	181	/æ/	IAI
pain	pen	pan	pun
Dane	den	Dan	done
mate	met	mat	mutt
bait	bet	bat	but

#### Mouth positions for vowels

tongue tensed (long) /ei/ tongue relaxed (short) /ɛ/, /æ/, /ʌ/ lips spread lev, /e/, /æ/ jaw relaxed

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# The vowel sounds /et/, /e/, /æ/, and /a/ may

oe repres	ented by t	nese spelling	S.
/eɪ/	/8/	/æ/	/A/
pay	get	catch	jumping
weigh	sweat	have	nothing
shape	says	laugh	touch
wait	said	half	does
table	friend	guarantee	blood
great	guest	relax	what

- A Listen and practice.
  - 1. pain pen pan pun 2. Dane den Dan done 3. mate met mat mutt 4. bait but bet bat
- B (1) Listen to each word and place it in the correct column.

edge games enough can't bungee rafting nothing chance sweat wait scare /et/ 121 /æ/ IN

- Now practice reading each word aloud and listen again to check.\*
- (4)) Listen to each sentence and circle the word you hear.
  - 1. Give the money to the (men / man).
  - 2. I think it's (Dan / done).
  - 3. What is that (rag / rug) made of?
  - 4. Do you need this (pen / pan)?
  - 5. He's a perfect (mutt / mate).
  - My (date / debt) is causing me trouble.
  - 7. Could you take that (bug / bag) off the counter?
  - 8. Please put a bandage on the (cut / cat).

Now practice reading the sentences both ways.