

# American English File Student Book 3

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#### 1A present tenses: simple and continuous, action and non-action verbs

#### simple present: I live, he works, etc.

They work in a bank. Where do you live? He doesn't wear glasses. She usually has cereal for breakfast. I'm never late for work.

- Use the simple present for things that are always true or happen regularly.
- Remember the spelling rules, e.g. lives, studies, watches.
- Remember the word order for questions: (question word), auxiliary, subject, base form of verb.
- Put adverbs of frequency, e.g., usually, before the main verb and after be.

#### present continuous: be + verb + -ing

- A Who are you waiting for?
- B I'm waiting for a friend.A What are you doing after class?
- B I'm going to the cafe.
- Use the present continuous (not simple present) for actions in progress at the time of speaking or for future arrangements.
- Remember the spelling rules, e.g., living, studying, getting.

#### action and non-action verbs

- A What are you cooking tonight?
- B I'm making pasta.
- A Great! I really like pasta.
- Verbs that describe actions, e.g., make, cook, can be used in the simple present or continuous.
- Verbs that describe states or feelings (not actions), e.g., *like*, *want*, *be*, are <u>not</u> normally used in the present continuous.
- Common non-action verbs are agree, be, believe, belong, depend, forget, hate, hear, know, like, love, matter, mean, need, prefer, realize, recognize, seem, suppose.
  - A few verbs have an action and a non-action meaning. The most common is have. I have a big car. = possession (non-action) I can't talk now. I'm having lunch. = an activity (action)

#### 1B past tenses: simple, continuous, perfect

#### simple past: worked, stopped, went, had, etc.

They got married last year. What time did you wake up this morning? I didn't have time to do my homework.

Use the simple past for finished past actions.

past continuous: was / were + verb + -ing

- A What were you doing at six o'clock last night?
  B I was watching TV. It was a cold night and it was raining.
- Use the past continuous to describe an action in progress at a specific time in the past.

#### 1C future forms

#### be going to + base form

future plans and intentions My sister's going to adopt a child. Are you going to buy a new car? I'm not going to go to New York next week.

#### predictions

I think they're going to win. (They're playing very well.)

It's going to rain. (The sky is very dark.)

- Use going to NOT will / won't when you have already decided to do something.
- With the verb go you can leave out the infinitive. I'm not going (to go) to New York.

#### past perfect: had + past participle

When they turned on the TV, the game had finished. I felt nervous because I

hadn't flown before. Use the past perfect when

you are talking about the past and you want to talk about an earlier past action.

#### using narrative tenses together

When John **arrived**, they **had** dinner. (First John arrived. <u>Then</u> they had dinner.)

When John arrived, they were having dinner.

(When John arrived, they were in the middle of dinner.)

When John **arrived**, they **had had** dinner. (They had dinner <u>before</u> John arrived.)

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#### present continuous: be + verb + -ing

future arrangements We're getting married in October. They're meeting at 10:00. She's leaving on Friday.

- You can usually use present continuous or going to for future plans / arrangements.
- going to shows that you have made a decision.
   We're going to get married in the summer.
- Present continuous emphasizes that you have made the arrangements.
   We're getting married on July 12th (e.g., we've booked the church).

#### will + base form

I'll have the steak. (instant decision) I won't tell anybody where you are. (promise) I'll carry that bag for you. (offer)

You'll love the movie! (prediction)

- Use will / won't (NOT the simple present) for instant decisions, promises, offers, and predictions.
- In sentences with I and we, shall (and not will) is sometimes used to offer to do something or to make a suggestion, but this is very formal.

Shall we go for a walk?

- a Correct the mistakes in the highlighted phrases.
  - Ouch! You stand on my foot!
  - 1 They have always breakfast in bed on Sunday morning.

You're standing

- 2 She can't come to the phone now. She takes a shower.
- 3 We are needing an answer from you before Wednesday.
- 4 I'm studing a lot now because I have exams next week.
- 5 She don't eat meat at all.
- 6 They always are late.
- 7 Do you go out tonight?
- 8 He never replys to my e-mails!
- 9 A Are you going to the park this afternoon?B I don't know. It's depending on the weather.

#### 1B

**a** Combine the two sentences. Use the verb in **bold** in the past continuous or past perfect.

Sarah **took** a nap from 3:00 to 5:00. Peter picked up the tickets at 4:00. Peter picked up the tickets when Sarah <u>was taking</u> a nap.

1 They watched TV from 7:00 until 9:00. I arrived at 7:30. When I arrived, they \_\_\_\_\_ TV.

2 He left the office at 7:00. She called him at 8:00. When she called him, he \_\_\_\_\_\_ the office.

- 3 I **studied** for the test the night before. The test didn't go well. The test didn't go well although I \_\_\_\_\_\_ the night before.
- 4 He **drove** to work this morning. In the middle of his trip, he had an accident.
- When he \_\_\_\_\_\_ to work this morning, he had an accident. 5 He only had five lessons. He passed his driving test.
- When he passed his driving test, he \_\_\_\_\_ (only) five lessons.

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a Circle the correct form. Put a check (✔) next to the sentence if both are possible.

(I'm not going) I won't go to work tomorrow because it's Saturday.

- 1 I'm going to study / I'll study English here next year.
- 2 We'll go / We're going to Brazil next week. I can't wait.
- 3 What are you going to wear / are you wearing to the party?
- 4 Do you think it will rain / it's going to rain tomorrow?
- 5 A This is heavy. B I'll help / I help you.
- 6 I'm meeting / I meet a friend this evening.
- 7 I'm really sorry. I promise I won't do / I'm not going to do it again.
- 8 They're getting / They're going to get married in May.

- **b** Write questions in the present continuous or simple present.
  - A What are you eating? (you / eat) B A cheese sandwich.
  - 1 A Where \_\_\_\_\_ lunch today? (you / have)
  - B At home. My mother's making pasta.
    2 A What \_\_\_\_\_? (he / do)
  - **B** He's an accountant.
  - 3 A \_\_\_\_\_ this weekend? (you / go away) B No, we're staying here.
  - 4 A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to eat out tonight? (you / want)
  - **B** Yes, that would be nice.
  - 5 A What \_\_\_\_\_? (she / cook)
    - **B** I don't know, but it smells good.
      - **b** Complete with the simple past, past continuous, or past perfect.

We *didn't realize* that we <u>had been</u> there before. (not realize, be)

- 1 A How \_\_\_\_\_? (the accident / happen)

   B He \_\_\_\_\_\_ back from Chicago when
  - he \_\_\_\_\_\_ a tree. (drive, hit)
- 2 I \_\_\_\_\_\_ to cook dinner when they \_\_\_\_\_\_ me to say they couldn't come. (already / start, call)
- 3 When I got home, I was very tired, so I \_\_\_\_\_\_ a shower and \_\_\_\_\_\_ to bed. (take, go)
- 4 I arrived too late. The concert \_\_\_\_\_\_ and my friends \_\_\_\_\_\_ home. (finish, go)
- 5 The driver \_\_\_\_\_ control of his car because he \_\_\_\_\_ on his cell phone. (lose, talk)
- **b** Complete **B**'s replies with a correct future form.

A Sorry, Ann's not in.

- B OK. <u>I'll call back</u> later. (call back)
- 1 A There's no milk.
- B Don't worry. I \_\_\_\_\_ some. (get)
- 2 A Can we meet on Tuesday?
   B Sorry, I can't. I \_\_\_\_\_\_ to Boston on Tuesday. (go)
- 3 A Can we have pizza for lunch?
  B No, we \_\_\_\_\_\_ chicken. I've already put it in the oven. (have)
- 4 A Is that the phone? B Yes, but don't get up. I \_\_\_\_\_\_ it. (answer)
- **b** les, but don't get up. I \_\_\_\_\_ It. (answer
- 5 A Jane's put on a lot of weight!B She's pregnant. She \_\_\_\_\_\_a baby in August. (have)

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#### 2A present perfect and simple past

	past actions at an indefinite time in the past	unfinished states or actions that started in the past and are true now	with already and yet
-	l <b>'ve been</b> to Miami, but I <b>haven't been</b> to Tampa. She <b>'s never used</b> an ATM. <b>Have you ever lost</b> your credit card?	I've known her for ten years. How long have they worked here? They've worked here since 2004.	<b>I've already seen</b> the movie. <b>He hasn't found</b> a job yet? <b>Have</b> they left yet?
	<ul> <li>We often use <i>ever</i> and <i>never</i> with the present per They go before the main verb.</li> <li>Use for + a period of time. e.g., for two weeks; use since with a point of time, e.g., since Wednesday.</li> <li>Use How long ? + present perfect to ask abou period of time from the past until now.</li> <li>For irregular past participles see page 156.</li> <li>present perfect or simple past?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>yet goes at the end in [</li> <li>The words already and past with the same mean</li> </ul>	yet are also used with the simple aning. We already ate.
	I've been to Miami twice. (= in my life up to nor How long have you been married? (= you are married now) I've bought a new computer. (= I don't say exactly w	How long <b>were</b> you marr (= you are not married n	ow)
	• Use the present perfect when there is a connective between the past and the present.	in the past, when the time	k or talk about <b>finished</b> actions e is mentioned or understood. We ression, e.g., <i>January</i> , <i>last week</i> , etc.
B	present perfect continuous	With <b>non-action verbs</b> (e.g., <i>know</i> , <i>be</i> , etc.) use the present perfect simple NOT the present perfect continuous with <i>for</i> or <i>since</i> .	present perfect continuous for recent continuous actions A Your eyes are red. Have you been crying?
	<ul> <li>How long have you been studying English? He's been working here since April. They've been going out together for three years.</li> <li>have 1 has been + verb + -ing</li> <li>Use the present perfect continuous with for or since with action verbs (e.g., learn, go, etc.).</li> </ul>	I've known her for ages. NOT <del>I've been knowing her for ages.</del>	<ul> <li>B No, I've been cutting onions.</li> <li>Use the present perfect continuous for actions that have been going on very recently. The have usually just stopped.</li> </ul>
С	comparatives and superlatives	superlatives	
	comparing two things (or actions)My sister is a little taller than my brother.San Fransisco is more expensive than Chicago.This test is less difficult than the last one.Olive oil is better for you than butter.You drive more slowly than I do.Atlanta played worse today than last week.Flying isn't as comfortable as going by train.He doesn't smoke as much as she does.Her new car looks the same as the old one.	This book is the leas She's the best studen Who drives the most That's the worst they • Form superlatives like instead or -er and m • You normally use th	pensive capital city in Asia? t difficult to understand. at in the class. t carefully in your family? y've ever played. e comparatives but use -est ost / least instead of more / less. e before superlatives, but you we adjectives, e.g., my best friend,

Regular comparative adjectives / adverbs: ٠ hard>harder, big>bigger, easy>easier, modern>more modern, difficult>more difficult, carefully>more carefully • Irregular comparative adjectives / adverbs: good / well> better, bad / badly> worse, far> farther / further

After than or as we can use an object pronoun me, him, her, etc., or a subject pronoun (I, he, she) + auxiliary verb, e.g., She's taller than me OR She's taller than I am but NOT She's taller than I. .

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- a Correct the mistakes in the highlighted phrases. I've never saw Star Wars I've never seen
  - 1 He left pretty early, but he vet hasn't arrived.
  - 2 We don't see each other since we graduated.
  - 3 Have you ever wrote a poem?
  - She have never been to Seoul. 4
  - 5 I've lent him \$50 last week, but he hasn't paid me back yet.
  - 6 I don't see them often but I've known them since ten years.
  - 7 What year have you graduated?
  - 8 We're lost. We already have been down this road twice.
  - 9 I sent her an e-mail last week, but she doesn't reply yet .
  - 10 They live in that house since 1980.

#### **2B**

**a** Make sentences with the present perfect continuous (and for / since if necessary).

> she / work there / 2003 [+] She's been working there since 2003.

- how long / they / go out together ? 1
- 2 I / study English / two years 🛨
- 3 he / feel very well recently -
- 4 you / read that book / months! +
- 5 you / wait / a long time ?
- 6 we / spend much time together -
- 7 how long / she / live there ?
- 8 I / rent this house / three years. [+]
- 9 the elevator / work / 10 o'clock
- 10 she / work here / a long time ?]

#### **2C**

a Complete with one word.

She's much \_more\_intelligent than her brother.

- 1 He's not as smart \_\_\_\_\_. he thinks he is.
- 2 It's \_\_\_\_\_ best book I've read in a long time.
- 3 The trip took longer \_\_\_\_\_ we expected.
- 4 I think it was the saddest movie I've \_\_\_\_\_ seen.
- 5 Is Texas the biggest state \_\_\_\_\_ the US?
- 6 He's the \_\_\_\_\_ selfish person I've ever met.
- 7 Your watch is the same \_\_\_\_\_ mine.
- 8 My father speaks \_\_\_\_\_ quickly than I do.
- 9 We don't go swimming \_\_\_\_\_ often as we did before.
- 10 Her brother's about 10 and she's a year younger than \_\_\_\_\_.

- **b** Complete the dialogues with the simple past or present perfect. I've already seen that movie twice. (already / see)
  - 1 A How long \_\_\_\_\_\_ at the university? (you / be)
  - B I \_\_\_\_\_\_ two years ago. I'm in my third year now. (start)
  - A Do you live with your parents?
  - **B** I \_\_\_\_\_\_ with them for the first two years but then I \_\_\_\_\_ into a student residence last September and I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ there since then. (live, move, live)
  - 2 A \_\_\_\_\_\_ a job yet? (your brother / find)
  - **B** Yes, he \_\_\_\_\_\_ work in a hotel. (already / start)
  - 3 A \_\_\_\_\_ to Nobu that new Japanese restaurant? (you / ever / be)
    - **B** Yes, we \_\_\_\_\_ there for my birthday. (go)
    - A What was it like?
  - B The food \_\_\_\_\_\_ fantastic but it \_\_\_\_\_ a fortune! (be, cost)

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**b** Complete with a verb from the list in the present perfect continuous.

bark cry do eat play shop not sleep watch A Your sister's lost a lot of weight!

- **B** Yes. She 's been eating a lot less recently. 1 A Your eyes are red. \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_
  - B Yes. I \_\_\_\_\_ a sad movie.
- 2 A It's very late. Why aren't you in bed?
- **B** I can't sleep. That dog \_\_\_\_\_ for the last two hours.
- 3 A You look tired.
  - B I know. I \_\_\_\_\_ well recently.
- 4 A Wow! You bought a lot of things!
  - B Yes, we \_\_\_\_\_ all day.
- 5 A You look hot! What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_?
  - **B** I \_\_\_\_\_\_ at the park with the children.

**b** Complete with the comparative or superlative of the **bold** word.

- Mexican food is much *spicier* than Italian food. spicy
- 1 It's \_\_\_\_\_ than it was this time last year. hot 2 Jan's \_\_\_\_\_ of all my sisters. competitive 3 He's \_\_\_\_\_ person in the office. lazy 4 He looks much \_\_\_\_\_ with shorter hair. good 5 I sat next to \_\_\_\_\_\_ person at the party! boring 6 Could we meet a little \_\_\_\_\_ tomorrow? early bad
- 7 It was \_\_\_\_\_ movie I've seen this year.
- 8 Sue is \_\_\_\_\_ member of my family.
- 9 The \_\_\_\_\_ way to travel is by train.
- 10 The beach was \_\_\_\_\_ from the hotel than far we expected.

ambitious

safe

#### **3A** *must, have to, should* (obligation)

#### obligation / necessity: have to / must (+ base form)

You have to wear a seat belt in a car.

Do you have to work on Saturdays?

I had to wear a uniform at my elementary school. I'll have to get up early tomorrow. My interview is at 9:00.

I must remember to call Emily tonight – it's her birthday.

You must be on time for class tomorrow - there's a test.

- Must and have to have a very similar meaning. Have to is more common in speaking and for general, external obligations, for example rules and laws. Must is more common in official forms, notices, and signs and for
- specific (i.e. on one occasion) or personal obligations. Compare:
- · Have to is a normal verb and it exists in all tenses.
- Must is a modal verb. The only forms are must and must not.
- You can also use have to or must for strong recommendations, e.g., You have to / must see that movie – it's fantastic.

#### advice or opinion: should / shouldn't (+ base form)

#### no obligation / necessity: don't have to

You **don't have to** pay for the tickets. They're free. You **don't have to** go to the party if you don't want to.

#### prohibition: must not (+ base form)

Passengers must not leave bags unattended.

- Don't have to and must not are completely different. Compare:
  - You must not drive down this street. = It's prohibited, against the law.
  - You don't have to drive. We can get a train. = You can drive if you want to but it's not necessary / obligatory.
- You can often use can't or not allowed to instead of must not. You must not park here. You can't park here. You're not allowed to park here.

A Have got to is sometimes used instead of have to in spoken English, e.g., I've got to go to now.

Should is not as strong as must / have to. We use it to say if we think

You can also use ought to and ought not to instead of should / shouldn't.

You should take an umbrella with you. You ought to take an umbrella with you.

Should is a modal verb. The only forms are should and shouldn't.

something is the right or wrong thing to do.

You **should** take warm clothes with you to Quito. It might be cold at night.

I think the government **should** do something about unemployment.

#### **3B** must, may, might, can't (deduction)

#### when you are sure something is true: must

They **must** be out. There aren't any lights on. She **must** have a lot of money. She drives a Porsche.

#### when you think something is possibly true: may / might

His phone's off. He **might** be on the plane now. She **might not** like that skirt. It's not her style. She's not at home. She **may** be working. He hasn't written. He **may not** have my address.

#### **3C** can, could, be able to (ability and possibility)

#### can / could

I can speak Spanish very well. She could play the violin when she was three. She can't come tonight. She's sick.

They **couldn't** wait because they were in a hurry. **Could** you open the door, please?

- Can is a modal verb. It only has a present, past, and conditional form (but can also be used with a future meaning).
- For other tenses and forms use be able to.

#### when you are sure something is impossible / not true: can't

He **can't** be sick. I saw him at the gym. They **can't** be Italian. They're speaking to each other in Spanish.

- We often use *must*, *may* / *might*, and *can't* to say how sure or certain we are about something (based on the information we have).
- In this context, the opposite of must is can't NOT must not.

#### be able to + base form

I am able to accept your invitation.

They weren't able to come.

I'll be able to practice my English in the US.

She has been able to speak French since she was a child. I'd like to be able to ski.

I love being able to sleep late on weekends.

- You can use *be able to* in the present, past, future, present perfect, and as a gerund or infinitive.
- be able to in the present and past is more formal than can / could.

- a Circle the correct form.
  - You don't have to l(must not) drink that water. It's not safe.
  - 1 We must not / don't have to hurry. We have plenty of time.
  - 2 You *must / should* remember to write the report. The boss will be furious if you forget.
  - 3 The exhibition was free so I hadn't to / didn't have to pay.
  - 4 Do you have to / Should you wear a uniform at your school?
  - 5 We *must / had to* wait two hours at security and nearly missed our flight.
  - 6 Had you to / Did you have to do a lot of homework when you were at school?
  - 7 I think people in apartments must not / shouldn't have dogs.
  - 8 She's allergic to dairy products so she *can't | doesn't have to* eat anything made from milk.
- 3B

#### **a** Match the sentences.

- 1 He must be over 70.
- 2 He can't be in college.
- 3 He may not remember me.
- 4 He might like this book.
- 5 He must be very shy.
- 6 He can't be serious.
- 7 He may be in bed already.
- 8 He might not be at home yet.
- 9 He must have a computer.
- 10 He can't be a good athlete.

- A He hasn't seen me in a long time.
- B He sends me lots of e-mails.
- C He must be joking.
- D He's interested in history.
- E He sometimes works late.
- F He gets up very early.
- G He's only 16.
- H He's not fit enough.
- I He retired 10 years ago.
- J He never opens his mouth.

- **b** Complete the second sentence with **two** or **three** words so it means the same as the first.
  - Smoking is prohibited here. You must not smoke here.
  - It isn't a good idea to go swimming after a big meal.
     You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ swimming after a big meal.
  - 2 Was it necessary for them to pay cash?
  - Did \_\_\_\_\_ pay cash?
  - 3 The meeting isn't obligatory. You \_\_\_\_\_\_ go to the meeting.
  - 4 It's bad manners to talk loudly on a cell on a train. People \_\_\_\_\_ quietly on their cell phones on a train.
  - 5 Trucks are not allowed to use this road. Trucks \_\_\_\_\_\_ this road.
    - b Complete with might (not), must, or can't.
      - This sauce is really spicy. It <u>must</u> have chili in it.
      - 1 A What music is this?
      - B I'm not sure but it \_\_\_\_\_ be Mozart.
      - 2 She looks very young. She \_\_\_\_\_ be more than 16.
      - 3 I'm not sure why she hasn't called. She \_\_\_\_\_ have my new number.
      - 4 They \_\_\_\_\_ have a lot of money. They live in a huge house.
      - 5 He \_\_\_\_\_ be away. His car is outside his house.
      - 6 I \_\_\_\_\_\_ be a size 44! I'm usually a 40 or 42.
      - 7 lt \_\_\_\_\_ be true! I saw it on the news.

#### 3C

- a Complete with the correct form of *be able to*.
  - [] I' ve\_ never been able to learn to swim.
  - 1 🔄 I \_\_\_\_\_\_ send any e-mails since lunchtime.
  - 2 + She used to \_\_\_\_\_ speak German really well.
  - 3 🖃 I \_\_\_\_\_ do my homework until tomorrow.
  - 4 🛨 I'd really like \_\_\_\_\_ dance well.
  - 5 [?] \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ come to our wedding? It's on May 10th.
  - 6 If I spoke better English, I \_\_\_\_\_ get a job in a hotel.

  - 8 She hates \_\_\_\_\_ do what she wants.

**b** Complete with *can / can't*, or *could / couldn't* where possible. If not, use a form of *be able to*.

They told me that they <u>couldn't</u> do anything about the noise.

- 1 I \_\_\_\_\_ talk to you now. I'm too busy.
- 2 When I lived in Rome, I \_\_\_\_\_ speak Italian quite well.
- 3 I would love \_\_\_\_\_ play tennis very well.
- 4 If we don't hurry up, we .\_\_\_\_\_ catch the last train.
- 5 My mother \_\_\_\_\_ see much better now with her new glasses.
- 6 To do this job you need \_\_\_\_\_ speak at least two languages.
- 7 I \_\_\_\_\_ help you tonight if you want.
- 8 They \_\_\_\_\_ find a house yet. They're still looking.

#### 4A first conditional and future time clauses + when, until, etc.

## first conditional sentences: *if* (or *unless*) + simple present, *will / won't* + base form

If you don't do more work, you'll fail the exam. He'll be late for work if he doesn't hurry up. She won't get into college unless she gets good grades.

- Use the present tense (NOT the future) after *if* in first conditional sentences.
- unless = if ... not
   I won't go unless she invites me. = I won't go if she doesn't invite me.
- You can also use an imperative instead of the will clause, e.g., Come and see us next week if you have time.

#### 4B second conditional

#### second conditional sentences: if + past simple, would / wouldn't + base form

If 1 had more money, I would buy a bigger house. If he spoke English, he could get a job in a hotel. I'd get along better with my parents if I didn't live with them. I wouldn't do that job unless they paid me a really good salary. If I were you, I'd buy a new computer.

• Use the second conditional to talk about a hypothetical / imaginary situation in the present or future and its consequence. Compare:

I don't have much money, so I can't buy a bigger house (real situation).

If I had more money, I'd buy a bigger house (hypothetical / imaginary situation).

• Use were for all subjects if the second conditional *if* clause contains the verb *be*. If I were you ...

#### 4C usually and used to

#### present habits and states

I usually get up at 8:00 on school days. I don't usually go out during the week. Houses in the suburbs usually have yards. Do you usually walk to work?

#### future time clauses

- As soon as you get your test results, call me. We'll have dinner when your father gets home. I won't go to bed until you come home. I'll have lunch before I leave. After I graduate from college, I'll probably take a year off and travel.
- Use the simple present (NOT the future) after when, as soon as, until, before, and after to talk about the future.
- as soon as = at the moment when, e.g. I'll call you as soon as I arrive.

#### would / wouldn't + base form

My ideal vacation would be a week in the Bahamas. I'd never buy a car as big as yours.

- You can also use would / wouldn't + base form (without an if clause) when you talk about imaginary situations.
- The contraction of would is 'd.
- Remember the difference between first and second conditionals.
  - If I have time, I'll help you.
  - = a possible situation. I may have time.

If I had time, I'd help you.

- = an imaginary / hypothetical situation.
- I don't / won't have time.

#### past habits and states

We used to be close friends, but we don't see each other anymore. I used to go out with that girl when I was at school. Did you use to wear glasses? She didn't use to have blond hair. She had dark hair before.

- · For present habits use usually or normally + simple present.
- · For past habits use used to / didn't use to + base form. Used to does not exist in the present tense.
- We use *used to* for things that were true over a period of time in the past. It usually refers to something that is not true now.
  - I used to live downtown. = I lived downtown for a period of time in the past, but now I don't.
- Used to / didn't use to can be used with action verbs (e.g., wear, go out) and non-action verbs (e.g., be, have).
- We often use not ... anymore / any longer (= not now) with the simple present to contrast with used to.

I used to go to the gym, but I don't anymore / any longer.

a Complete with a word or expression from the list.

after as soon as before if unless until when

\_\_\_\_\_After\_\_\_\_ we have dinner, we could go for a walk.

- 1 I must write the date on my calendar \_\_\_\_\_ I forget it.
- 2 Let's wait under the tree \_\_\_\_\_\_ it stops raining.
- 3 This job is very urgent, so please do it \_\_\_\_\_ you can.
- 4 We won't get a table at the restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ we don't hurry.
- 5 I'll pay you back \_\_\_\_\_ I get my first paycheck.
- 6 I can't go \_\_\_\_\_ you pay for my ticket. I'm broke.
- 7 They'll be really happy \_\_\_\_\_\_ they hear your news.
- 8 I want to go on working \_\_\_\_\_ I'm 65. Then I'll retire.
- 9 I must renew my passport \_\_\_\_\_ I go to Mexico.
- 10 \_\_\_\_\_ you work harder, you won't pass the final exam.

#### 4B

**a** Write second conditional sentences. If you / speak to your boss, I'm sure he / understand.

If you spoke to your boss, I'm sure he would understand.

- 1 It / be better for me if we / meet tomorrow.
- 2 She / not treat him like that if she really / love him.
- 3 If I / can live anywhere in the world, I / live in New Zealand.
- 4 The kitchen / look bigger if we / paint it white.
- 5 I / not buy that house if I / be you.
- 6 He / be more attractive if he / wear nicer clothes.
- 7 If we / not have children, we / travel more.
- 8 What / you do in this situation if you / be me?

#### **4C**

a Correct the mistakes in the highlighted phrases.

She wasn't use to be so shy. She didn't use to be

- 1 I use to get up at 6:30, but I don't any more.
- 2 Did she always used to have long hair?
- 3 Do you use to have breakfast before you go to work?
- 4 They didn't used to have a car; they used to ride bikes everywhere.
- 5 He doesn't like coffee, so he use to drink tea in the morning.
- 6 He used be a teacher , but now he works for Greenpeace.
- 7 Do usually you wear pants or skirts?
- 8 Last year we used to go to Caracas in August.
- 9 Does she use to live near you when you were children?
- 10 At school we don't use to wear a uniform. We wore what we liked.

- **b** Complete with the simple present or *will*.
  - I'll give him your message when I <u>see</u> him. (see)
  - 1 Don't forget to turn off the lights before you \_\_\_\_\_. (leave)
  - 2 Go to bed when the movie \_\_\_\_\_. (finish)
  - 3 They \_\_\_\_\_ married until they find a place to live. (not get)
  - 4 If I see Emma, I \_\_\_\_\_ her you are looking for her. (tell)
  - 5 I'll call you as soon as I \_\_\_\_\_ at the hotel. (arrive)
  - 6 You won't be able to park unless you \_\_\_\_\_ there early. (get)
  - 7 As soon as it stops raining, we \_\_\_\_\_ out. (go)
  - 8 She won't like curry if she \_\_\_\_\_ spicy food. (not like)
  - 9 Don't write anything until I \_\_\_\_\_ you. (tell)
  - 10 When she finds out what he's done, she \_\_\_\_\_ furious. (be)
- **b** First or second conditional? Complete the sentences.
  - If you tell her anything, she <u>`ll tell</u> everybody in the office. (tell) We'd have a dog if we <u>had</u> a yard. (have)
  - 1 It'll be quicker if we \_\_\_\_\_ a taxi to the airport. (take)
  - 2 If you started exercising, you \_\_\_\_\_ better. (feel)
  - 3 What would you do if you \_\_\_\_\_ your job? (lose)
  - 4 If you buy the food, I \_\_\_\_\_ tonight. (cook)
  - 5 I think he'd be happier if he \_\_\_\_\_ alone. (not live)
  - 6 I'll be very surprised if Marina \_\_\_\_\_ coming here. (not get lost)
  - 7 Where will he live if he \_\_\_\_\_ the job in Montreal? (get)
  - 8 If she didn't have to work so hard, she \_\_\_\_\_ life more. (enjoy)
- **b** Complete with used to in  $\pm$ ,  $\neg$ , or ? and a verb from the list.

argue be (x2)  $g\Theta$  have (x2) like live play work

- I <u>didn't use to go</u> to the theater much but now I go twice a month.

- 1 🛨 Kirsty \_\_\_\_\_\_ in Boston but she moved to Orlando last year.
- 2 💽 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ a mustache? You look different.
- 3 🗇 I \_\_\_\_\_ my boss but now we get along pretty well.
- 4 🛨 We \_\_\_\_\_ really close, but now we hardly ever meet.
- 5 [?] Where \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ before you started with this company?
- 6 + She \_\_\_\_\_\_ tennis professionally, but she retired last year.
- 7 🛨 When I lived in Paris, I always \_\_\_\_\_ breakfast in a cafe.
- 8 [?] \_\_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_\_ with your parents when you were a teenager?
- 9 🖃 He \_\_\_\_\_\_ so thin. In fact, he was very overweight before.

#### 54 quantifier

	quanuners			
	large quantities	small quantities	zero quantity	
	They have a lot of money. She has lots of friends. He eats a lot. There aren't many cafes near here.	A Do you want some ice cream? B Just a little. The town only has a few banks. Hurry up. We have very little time. I have very few close friends.	There <b>isn't any</b> room in the car. There's <b>no</b> room in the car. <b>A</b> How much money do you have? <b>B</b> None.	
	Do you watch <b>much TV</b> ? Don't run. We have <b>plenty of time</b> . Use <i>a lot of / lots of</i> in <b>+</b> sentences. Use <i>a lot</i> when there is no noun,	<ul> <li>Use <i>little</i> + uncountable nouns, <i>few</i> + plural countable nouns.</li> <li><i>a little</i> and <i>a few</i> = some, but not a lot,</li> <li><i>very little</i> and <i>very few</i> = not much / many.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Use any for zero quantity with a  verb. Use no with a  verb.</li> <li>Use none (without a noun) in short answers.</li> </ul>	
	e.g., He talks a lot.	more than you need or want less than	you need	
	Much / many are normally used in - sentences and ?, but a lot of can also be used. Use plenty of in + sentences to mean as much as we need or more.		en't enough parks. es aren't frequent enough.	
		<ul> <li>Use too + adjective, too much + uncountable noun, too many + plural countable noun</li> <li>Use enough before a noun but after an adjective.</li> </ul>		

#### **5**B articles: a / an the no article

Use a / an with singular countable nouns		Don't use the
<ul> <li>the first time you mention a thing / person.</li> <li>when you say what something is.</li> <li>when you say what somebody does.</li> <li>in exclamations with <i>What</i>!</li> <li>in expressions like</li> </ul>	I saw an old man with a dog. It's a nice house. She's a lawyer. What an awful day! three times a week	<ul> <li>when you are speaking in general (with plural and uncountable nouns).</li> <li>Women often talk more about money.</li> <li>with some nouns (e.g., home, work, school) after at / to / from,</li> </ul>
Use the		She's not at home today.
- when we talk about something we've already mentioned.	I saw an old man with a dog, and <b>the dog</b> was barking.	<ul> <li>with downtown (no preposition).</li> <li>They went downtown today.</li> </ul>
– when there's only one of something. – when it's clear what you're referring to.	The moon goes around the sun. He opened the door.	<ul> <li>before meals, days, and months.</li> <li>I never have breakfast on Sunday.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>with places in a town, e.g., bank and theater.</li> <li>with superlatives.</li> </ul>	I'm going to <b>the bank</b> . It's <b>the best</b> restaurant in town.	<ul> <li>before next / last + days, week, etc.</li> <li>See you next Friday.</li> </ul>

#### 50

Use the gerund (verb + -ing)				
1 after prepositions and phrasal verbs.	I'm very good at remembering names.			
	She kept on talking.			
2 as the subject of a sentence.	Eating out is cheap here.			
3 after some verbs, e.g., dislike, enjoy.	I don't mind getting up early.			

Common verbs that take the gerund include: Finish, mind, practice, quit, recommend, stop, suggest and phrasal verbs, e.g., give up, keep on, etc.

#### Use the infinitive

- 1 after adjectives.
- 2 to express a reason or purpose.
- 3 after some verbs, e.g., want, need, learn.

My house is easy to find. He's saving money to buy a new car. She's never learned to drive. Try not to make noise.

Common verbs that take the infinitive include: (can't) afford, agree, decide, expect, forget, help, hope, learn, need, offer, plan, pretend, promise, refuse, remember, seem, try, want, would like

A Use the base form 1 after most modal and auxiliary verbs 2 after make and let.

I can't drive. We must hurry. My parents don't let me go out much. She always makes me laugh.

- Gerunds and infinitives form the . negative with not, e.g., not to be, not being.
- These common verbs can take either the gerund or infinitive with no difference in meaning: begin, continue, hate, like, love, prefer, start.
- A Some verbs can take a gerund or an infinitive but the meaning is different, e.g.,

Try to be on time. = make an effort to be on time.

Try doing yoga. = do it to see if you like it.

Remember to call him. = Don't forget to do it.

- I remember meeting him years ago.
- = I have a memory of it.

- a Circle the correct answer. Check (✔) if both are possible. I think this restaurant is (too)/ too much expensive.
  - 1 There are too much / too many people in my salsa class.
  - 2 Nobody likes him. He has very little / very few friends.
  - 3 We've had a lot of / lots of rain recently.
  - 4 There aren't enough parking lots / parking lots enough downtown.
  - 5 I have no / I don't have any time.
  - 6 He works a lot / much. At least ten hours a day.
  - 7 A Do you speak Japanese? B Yes, a little / a few.
  - 8 I don't have no time / any time for myself.

#### 5B

**a** Circle the correct answer.

Did you see news /(the news) on TV last night?

- I Did you lock door / the door when you left a house / the house?
- 2 My brother is married to Russian / a Russian. She's lawyer / a lawyer.
- 3 We go to theater / the theater about once a month / the month.
- 4 What *beautiful / a beautiful day*! Let's have breakfast on *a patio / the patio*.
- 5 I love classical music / the classical music and Italian food / the Italian food.
- 6 Who is a girl / the girl by a window / the window?
- 7 I leave *home / the home* at 8:00 and get to *work / the work* at 9:00.
- 8 Men / The men aren't normally as sensitive as women / the women.
- 9 We usually have *dinner / the dinner* at 8:00 and go to *bed / the bed* at about 11:30.
- 10 She has a lovely face / the lovely face and the attractive eyes / attractive eyes.

#### **5C**

- a Complete with the gerund or infinitive.
  - <u>Smoking</u> is banned in all public places. (smoke)
  - 1 It's very expensive \_\_\_\_\_ an apartment downtown. (rent)
  - 2 Are you afraid of \_\_\_\_\_? (fly)
  - 3 I called the restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ a table for tonight. (reserve)
  - 4 Be careful \_\_\_\_\_ noise when you come home tonight. (not make)
  - 5 She's worried about \_\_\_\_\_ the exam. (fail)
  - 6 Everybody kept on \_\_\_\_\_ until after midnight. (dance)
  - 7 \_\_\_\_\_ an only child is a little boring. (be)
  - 8 It's easy \_\_\_\_\_ the way if you look at the map. (find)
  - 9 He's terrible at \_\_\_\_\_ languages. (learn)
  - 10 A Why are you learning Spanish?
    - **B** I want \_\_\_\_\_\_ talk to my in-laws. They're Argentinian, and they don't speak English. (be able to)

- b Right (✓) or wrong (✗). Correct the wrong sentences.
   She drives too much fast . too fast
  - 1 Slow down! We have plenty time.
  - 2 We have too many work at the moment.
  - 3 I think I made a few mistakes in the letter.
  - 4 He isn't enough old to understand.
  - 5 We can't go tomorrow. We're too busy.
  - 6 We have very little time to do this.
  - 7 A How many eggs are there? B Any.
  - 8 He's retired so he has much free time.

**b** Complete with *a* / *an*, *the*, or – (no article).

Can you give me <u>a</u> ride to <u>the</u> station? I want to catch <u>the</u> 6:00 train.

- 1 We went to \_\_\_\_\_ movies \_\_\_\_\_ last night. We saw \_\_\_\_\_ great movie.
- 2 A Do you like \_\_\_\_\_ sports?
  B It depends. I hate \_\_\_\_\_ baseball. I think \_\_\_\_\_ players earn too much money.
- 3 He always wears \_\_\_\_\_ expensive clothes and drives \_\_\_\_\_ expensive car.
- 4 Jake's \_\_\_\_\_ musician and \_\_\_\_\_ artist.
- 5 They've changed \_\_\_\_\_ date of \_\_\_\_\_ meeting. It's \_\_\_\_\_ next Tuesday now.
- 6 We walked \_\_\_\_\_ downtown but we got \_\_\_\_\_ taxi back to \_\_\_\_\_ hotel.
- **b** Complete the sentences with *work*, to work, or working.

I regret not <u>working</u> harder when I was at school.

- 1 I spent all weekend \_\_\_\_\_ on the computer.
- 2 I've decided \_\_\_\_\_ overseas next year.
- 3 You must \_\_\_\_\_ harder if you want to get promoted.
- 4 My boss often makes me \_\_\_\_\_ late.
- 5 He isn't very good at \_\_\_\_\_ on a team.
- 6 I don't mind \_\_\_\_\_ on Saturdays if I can have a day off during the week.
- 7 He's gone to the US \_\_\_\_\_ in his uncle's store.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ with members of your family can be pretty difficult.
- 9 My husband promised not \_\_\_\_\_ on my birthday.
- 10 I used \_\_\_\_\_ in a restaurant when I was a student.

#### 6A reported speech: statements and questions

direct statements	reported statements	A • Must changes to had to BUT must not stays the same
"I like shopping."	She said (that) she liked shopping.	"You must not touch it." She said I must not touch it.
"I'm going tomorrow."	He told her he was going the next day.	<ul> <li>You usually have to change the pronouns.</li> </ul>
"I'll always love you."	He said he would always love me.	"I like">She said <b>she</b> liked"
"I passed the exam!"	She told him she had passed the exam.	• Using that after said and told is optional.
"I've forgotten my keys."	He said he had forgotten his keys.	• If you report what someone said on a different
" <b>I can't</b> come "	She said <b>she couldn't</b> come.	day or in a different place, some time and place
" <b>I may</b> be late."	He said <b>he might</b> be late.	words can change, e.g., tomorrow>the next day,
"I must go."	She said <b>she had to</b> go.	here>there, this>that, etc.
	e this: present>past; will>would;	"I'll meet you here tomorrow." >He said he'd meet me there the next day.
	rect>past perfect e, e.g., can>could, may>might,	After said <u>don't</u> use an object pronoun. He said he was tired NOT He said me

must>had to. Other modal verbs stay the same, e.g., could, might, should, etc.

direct questions "Are you married?" "Did she call?" "What's your name?" "Where do you live?"	reported questions She asked him <b>if he was</b> married. He asked me whether she <b>had called</b> . I asked him what his name <b>was</b> . They asked me where <b>I lived</b> .	<ul> <li>When you report a question, the tenses change as in reported statements.</li> <li>When a question begins with a verb (not a question word), add <i>if</i> (or <i>whether</i>).</li> <li>You also have to change the word order to subject + verb, and not use <i>do / did</i>.</li> </ul>
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#### reported speech: commands

direct speech	reported speech	ſ	A You can't use <i>said</i> in these sentences.
"Go away."	She told him <b>to go</b> away.		NOT She said him to go away.
"Don't worry."	The doctor told me <b>not to worry</b> .	-	
"Can / Could you help me?"	I asked the salesperson to help me.		

• To report an imperative or request, use told or asked + person + the infinitive.

• To report a negative imperative, use a negative infinitive (e.g., not to do).

#### **6B** the passive: *be* + past participle

A lot of films <b>are shot</b> on location. My car <b>is being repaired</b> today.	My bike <b>has been stolen</b> . You <b>'ll be picked up</b> at the airport.	0	Ve often us r importar
Death in Venice was directed by Visconti. She died when the film was being made.	This bill has to be paid tomorrow.	(5	<i>1y bike has</i> Somebody
she are she she are this was being hade.		• It	you want

We often use the passive when it's not clear or important who does an action, e.g., *My bike has been stolen*.

After told you must use a person or pronoun.

He told me he was tired. NOT He told he was ...

- (Somebody stole my bike. I don't know who.)
- If you want to say who did the action, use by.

#### **6C** relative clauses To give important information about a person, place, or thing use a relative clause = a relative pronoun + (subject +) verb. defining relative clauses Use the relative pronouns who / that for people, that / which for things, and where for places. Use whose to mean "of who / of which." Julia's the woman who / that works with me. It's a book that / which tells you how to relax. That is more common than which in defining clauses. That's the house where I was born. Who, which, and that can be omitted when the relative pronoun is the . That's the boy whose father plays for the Lakers. object, not the subject, of the clause, e.g., He's the man (that) I met on He's the man (who / that) I met on the plane. the plane. (The subject of met is I, so it is not necessary to use that.) non-defining relative clauses If a relative clause gives extra, non-essential information (the sentence makes sense without it), you must put This painting, which was painted in 1860, is worth \$2 million. it between commas (or a comma and a period). Last week I visited my aunt, who's nearly 90 years old. In these clauses, you can't leave out the relative

Stanford, where my mother was born, is a beautiful town. My neighbor, whose son goes to my son's school, has just re-married.

In these clauses, you can't use that instead of who / which.

pronoun (who, which, etc.).

a Complete the sentences using reported speech.

"The hotel is full." The receptionist told me the hotel <u>was full</u>.

- 1 "I'll call the manager." The waiter said \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 "I've passed all my exams." Jack said \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 "You should get to the airport early." They said that we \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 "I may be late." Jack said \_\_\_\_\_\_,
- 5 "I didn't tell anybody!" Mary said \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 "Can you help me?" She asked us \_\_\_\_\_.
- 7 "Do you want to dance?" He asked me \_\_\_\_\_.
- 8 "Have you been here before?" I asked her \_\_\_\_\_.
- 9 "What music do you like?" She asked me \_\_\_\_\_.
- 10 "Where's the nearest bank?" I asked her \_\_\_\_\_.

#### **6**B

a Correct the mistakes in the highlighted phrases.

A lot of cars made in Brazil. are made in Brazil.

- 1 A new highway is being build at the moment.
- 2 The movie based on a famous novel.
- 3 This program were watched by millions of people.
- 4 My suitcase was stole when I was in Florida.
- 5 The Harry Potter books were written for J.K. Rowling.
- 6 I couldn't send you an e-mail because my computer was repairing.
- 7 You will taken to your hotel by taxi.
- 8 Oh no! Our flight has being canceled.
- 9 English is spoke in this restaurant.
- 10 Seat belts must wear at all times.

**b** Rewrite the sentences with the passive.

9 "Get off at the next stop." The bus driver told me \_\_\_\_\_.

- They sell cold drinks here. Cold drinks <u>are sold here</u>.
- 1 They subtitle a lot of foreign films. A lot of foreign films \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 Someone threw the letters away by mistake. The letters \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Some people are painting my house. My house \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 They have sold all the tickets for the concert. All the tickets for the concert \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 They will play the game tomorrow. The game \_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 Somebody must pay this bill tomorrow. This bill \_\_\_\_\_\_.

#### **6C**

a Complete with who, which, that, where, or whose.

The man <u>whose</u> car I crashed into is taking me to court.

- 1 We drove past the house \_\_\_\_\_ we used to live.
- 2 The girl \_\_\_\_\_ was talking to you is the boss's daughter.
- 3 Look! That's the man \_\_\_\_\_ son plays for the Red Sox.
- 4 The car was an invention \_\_\_\_\_ changed the world.
- 5 That's the restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ I told you about.
- 6 Is this the store \_\_\_\_\_ you bought your camera?
- 7 What was the name of your friend \_\_\_\_\_\_ wife is an actress?
- 8 The woman \_\_\_\_\_ called this morning didn't leave a message.
- 9 It's the movie \_\_\_\_\_ won all the Oscars last year.
- 10 This is the book \_\_\_\_\_ everybody is reading at the moment.
- **b** Check (**v**) the sentences in **a** where you could leave out the relative pronoun.

c Are the highlighted phrases right (✔) or wrong (★)?
 Correct the wrong ones.

After Rome we went to Venice, that we loved . X which we loved

- I Is that the girl you used to go out with?
- 2 My brother, that you met at my wedding, is getting divorced.
- 3 It's a machine that makes candy.
- 4 He lives in Acapulco, that is on the west coast of Mexico.
- 5 Our neighbor, who yard is smaller than ours, has an enormous dog.
- 6 Jerry, who I work with , is completely bilingual.
- 7 The movie I saw last night was fantastic.
- 8 I met some people who they come from the same town as me.

**b** Complete the reported imperatives and requests.

"Don't stop here." The traffic officer told us <u>not to stop there</u>

- 1 "Be quiet!" The teacher told us \_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 "Please don't smoke!" I asked the taxi driver \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 "Open your mouth." The dentist told me \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 "Don't tell anyone!" Melinda told us \_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 "Could you show me your driver's license?" The police officer asked me \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 "Please turn off your cell phones." The flight attendant told us \_\_\_\_\_\_.
- 7 "Don't eat with your mouth open!" I told my daughter \_\_\_\_

10 "Don't wait." Our friends told us

8 "Can you bring me the check, please?" He asked the waiter \_\_\_\_\_



#### 7A third conditional

third conditional sentences: if + had + past participle, would + have + past participle.

If I'd known about the meeting, I would have gone. If I hadn't gone to that party, I wouldn't have met my wife. You wouldn't have been late if you'd gotten up earlier. We would have arrived at 6:00 if we hadn't gotten lost.

The contraction of had is 'd.

#### 7B tag questions, indirect questions

#### tag questions

• Use third conditional sentences to talk about a hypothetical / imaginary situation in the past (which didn't happen) and its consequence. Compare:

Yesterday I got up late and missed my train. (= the real situation) If I hadn't gotten up late yesterday, I wouldn't have missed my train. (= the hypothetical / imaginary situation)

 To make a third conditional, use if + past perfect and would have + past participle.

negative.

affirmative verb, negative tag	negative verb, affirmative tag	<ul> <li>Tag questions are often used to check something you already think is true.</li> </ul>
It's cold today, isn't it?	She isn't here today, is she?	Your name's Maria, isn't it?
You're Peruvian, aren't you?	You aren't happy, are you?	To form a tag question use:
They live in Kyoto, don't they?	They don't know, do they?	- the correct auxiliary verb, e.g., do / does for
The game finishes at 8:00, doesn't it?	She doesn't eat meat, does she?	the present, will / won't for the future, etc.
She worked in a bank, didn't she?	You didn't like the movie, did you?	- a pronoun, e.g., he, it, they, etc.
We've met before, haven't we?	She hasn't been to Rome before, has she?	
You'll be OK, won't you?	You won't tell anyone, will you?	and an affirmative tag if the sentence is

#### indirect questions

direct question	indirect question	•	If the question do word, add if (or wi
Where's the bank?	Could you tell me where the bank is?		me?/ Do you kn
What time do the stores close?	Do you know what time the stores close?		We also use this st
Is there a bus stop near here?	Do you know if there's a bus stop near here?		remember?, e.g.
Does this train go to Toronto?	Could you tell me if this train goes to Toronto?		he lives?

To make a question more polite we often begin *Could you tell me...?* or *Do you know...?* The word order changes to subject + verb, e.g., *Do you know where the post office is?* NOT *Do you know where is the post office?*   If the question doesn't start with a question word, add if (or whether) after Could you tell me...?/ Do you know...?

 We also use this structure after Can you remember...?, e.g., Can you remember where he lives?

7C phrasal verbs

group 1: no object - verb + up, on, etc., can't be separated.

Come on! Hurry up! We're late.

The plane took off two hours late.

Go away and never come back!

group 2: with object – verb + *up*, *on*, etc., can't be separated.

I'm looking for my keys. NOT I'm looking my keys for.

I asked for chicken, not steak.

I don't get along with my sister.

I'm looking forward to the party.

group 3: with object - verb + up, on, etc., can be separated.

Please turn off your phone./ Please turn your phone off.Can you fill out this form, please? / Can you fill this form out, please?They've set up a new company./ They've set a new company up.Don't throw out those papers./ Don't throw those papers out.

- A phrasal verb is a verb combined with a particle (= an adverb or preposition).
- Sometimes the meaning of the phrasal verb is obvious from the verb and the particle, e.g., *sit down*, *come back*.
- Sometimes the meaning is not obvious, e.g. give up, keep on talking (= continue talking).

• In group 3, where the verb and particle can be separated, if the object is a pronoun, it must go between the verb and particle.

Turn it off. NOT Turn off it.

Throw them away. NOT Throw away them.

Sometimes a phrasal verb has more than one meaning, e.g., The plane took off. He took off his shoes.

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- - **b** Make indirect questions.

Where's the station? Could you tell me where the station is?

1 Where do they live? Do you know \_\_\_\_\_? Can you tell me \_\_\_\_\_? 2 Is there a bank near here? 3 Where can I buy some stamps? Do you know \_\_\_\_\_? Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_? 4 Does this bus go downtown? Do you know \_\_\_\_\_? 5 What time do the stores open? Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_? 6 Where are the restrooms? Do you know \_\_\_\_\_? 7 Is Susan at work today? Do you know \_\_\_\_\_? 8 Did the Mets win last night? Can you remember \_\_\_\_\_? 9 Where did we park the car? Could you tell me \_\_\_\_\_? 10 What time is it?

**c** Complete the third conditional sentences with the correct form of the verbs.

> If you hadn't helped me, I wouldn't have finished on time. (not help, not finish)

- 2 If she \_\_\_\_\_ he was so stingy, she 3 I \_\_\_\_\_ you some money if you

#### 7B

7A

a Match the sentence halves.

1 If you hadn't reminded me, I

4 We wouldn't have been late

7 You would have laughed

8 I wouldn't have bought it

11 It would have been cheaper

5 We would have gone to the beach

6 If you hadn't told me it was him,

9 If you'd arrived two minutes earlier,

10 If you hadn't forgotten the map,

**a** Complete with a tag question (*are you*?, *isn't it*?, etc.) Your name's Mark, isn't it ?

**b** Cover A–K. Look at 1–11 and try to remember the end of the sentence.

- 1 You don't take sugar in your coffee, \_\_\_\_\_?
- 2 They're on vacation this week, \_\_\_\_\_? 3 He can't be serious, \_\_\_\_\_?
- 4 She eats meat, \_\_\_\_?
- 5 You won't be late, \_\_\_\_\_?
- 6 She was married to Tom Cruise, \_\_\_\_\_?
- 7 We've seen this movie before, \_\_\_\_\_?
- 8 You didn't tell anybody, \_\_\_\_?
- 9 You would like to come, \_\_\_\_? 10 It's hot today, \_\_\_\_\_?

#### 7C

a Complete with the right particle (*in*, *on*, etc.).

What time did you get <u>up</u> this morning?

- 1 Could you turn \_\_\_\_\_ the radio? I can't hear it.
- 2 I'm in a meeting. Could you call \_\_\_\_\_ later, say in half an hour?
- 3 Hurry \_\_\_\_! We'll be late.
- 4 The game is \_\_\_\_! Brazil won.
- 5 How long has she been going \_\_\_\_\_ with him?
- 6 Are we having dinner at home or are we eating \_\_\_\_?
- 7 Athletes always warm \_\_\_\_\_ before a race.
- 8 I didn't wake \_\_\_\_\_ until 8:30 this morning.
- 9 If you don't know the word, look it \_\_\_\_\_ in a dictionary.
- 10 I went online to find \_\_\_\_\_ what time the train left.

**b** Rewrite the sentences. Replace the *object* with a pronoun. Change the word order where necessary.

Turn on the TV. <u>Turn it on.</u>

- 1 Take off your shoes.
- 2 Could you fill out this form?
- 3 Do you get along with your sister?
- Turn off your cell phones. 4
- 5 I'm looking for my glasses.
- 6 Please pick up that towel.
- 7 Turn down the music!
- 8 I'm really looking forward to the trip.
- Can I try on this dress? 9
- 10 Don't throw away that letter!

1 We \_\_\_\_\_ if our best player \_\_\_\_\_ injured. (win, not be) \_\_\_\_\_ with him. (know, not go out) \_\_\_\_\_ me. (lend, ask) 4 If we \_\_\_\_\_ more time, we \_ another day in Miami. (have, spend) 5 1 \_\_\_\_\_ to help you if you \_\_\_\_\_ me about it earlier. (be able, tell) 6 If you \_\_\_\_\_ me yesterday, I \_\_\_\_\_ my plans. (ask, change) 7 You \_\_\_\_\_\_ the weekend if you \_\_\_\_\_ with us. (enjoy, come)

2 This wouldn't have happened B we wouldn't have gotten lost. 3 If they hadn't worn their seat belts, C if it hadn't rained.

D you would have seen them.

A if you'd seen what happened.

- E if I'd known you didn't like it.
- F if we'd bought tickets on the Internet.
- G if you'd been more careful.
- H they would have been killed.
- I I would have forgotten.
- J I wouldn't have recognized him.
- K if we hadn't missed the bus.

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