Introduction

IA. Vocabulary

• Likes and dislikes

I. Complete the sentences with the words below.

don't fancy let's prefer really shall sounds want

1. Do you _____ doing something on Saturday?

2. Why _____ we go out?

3. I'm _____ not into heavy metal.

4. OK, then. _____ go and see that band.

5. _____ we invite Jack and Mary?

6. I'd _____ to go just with you, really.

7. And what do you _____ to do after the concert?

8. OK, then. _____ good.

II. Put the lines of the dialogue in the correct order.

____ **a.** I like playing chess. How about you?

____ **b.** Me too. Do you fancy a game this weekend?

____ **c.** Let's meet in the park at midday.

____ **d.** What do you like doing in your free time?

____ **e.** Yes. That sounds good. What time?

____ **f.** Really? I don't really like chess, but I quite like badminton.

• Describing people

III. Complete the sentences with the items given below.

glasses hat earrings ring
socks belt scarf sunglasses

1. You wear this round your neck when it's cold. _____

2. You wear this on your head. _____

3. You wear these on your feet. _____

4. You wear this with jeans or trousers. _____

5. You wear these to help you see. _____

6. You wear this on your finger. _____

7. You wear these on your ears. _____

8. You wear these when it's sunny. _____

IV. Look at the picture of *Dylan, Marissa, Justin* and *Sheila.* Write the names of the clothes they are wearing from number 1 to number 16. Numbers 2 and 14 have been done for you as examples. Then write descriptions of their clothes.



shorts	*top*	*sandals*	*shoes*
jacket	*dress*	*socks*	*skirt*
tie	*belt*	*boots*	*suit*
trainers	*trousers*	*shirt*	*T-shirt*

Dylan:

1. _____ **2.** *a suit* **3. _____** **4. _____** **5. _____**

Marissa:

6. _____ **7. _____** **8.**

Justin:

9. _____ **10. _____** **11. _____** **12. _____**

Sheila:

13. _____ **14.** *a top* **15. _____** **16. _____**

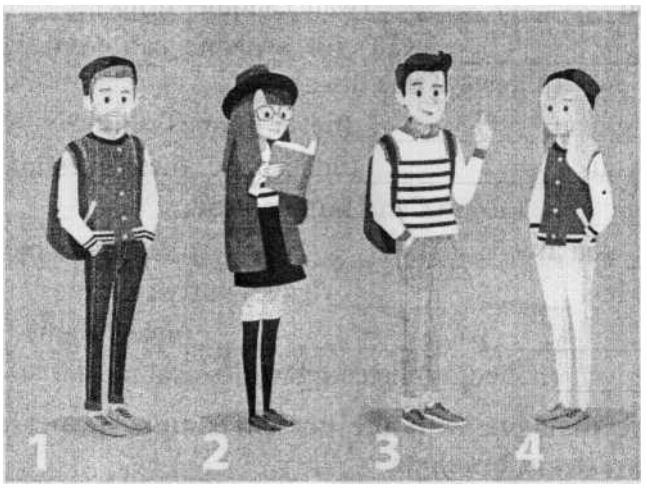
Dylan

Marissa

Justin_____
_____

Sheila_____
_____

V. Write short descriptions of the people. Describe their hair and clothes using the prompts below.



- hair: dark, blonde, short, long, straight, wavy
- special features: moustache, beard
- clothes: shirt, polo shirt, T-shirt, cardigan, jacket, trousers, jeans, skirt, cap, hat, shoes
- accessories: backpack, book

1. Mark's got

2. Jane's got

3. Phong's got

4. Anna's got

IB. Grammar

- **Contrast: present simple and present continuous**

I. Choose the correct answers.

1. This car **is belonging / belongs** to the head teacher.
2. Are you needing / Do you need any help with that?
3. He **isn't understanding / doesn't understand** the questions.
4. I **am studying / study** really hard at the moment.
5. Why **are you waiting / do you wait** here?

II. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1. He never _____ (go) to parties.
2. _____ you _____ (want) another drink?
3. She _____ (wait) for a phone call from Jack. He usually _____ (phone) at this time.
4. 'Why _____ you _____ (never wear) T-shirts?' - 'No real reason.'
5. ' _____ you _____ (understand) these questions?' - T don't.'
6. We _____ (go) to Can Tho tomorrow.
7. _____ you always _____ (go out) for a meal on Sundays?
8. Hurry up! The bus _____ (leave) in five minutes.
9. What time _____ you _____ (meet) Nam?
10. I _____ (not enjoy) listening to classical music.

III. Complete the dialogue with the present simple or present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

Lan Hello.[1] _____ (you / enjoy) the music?

Nick Not really. I [2] _____ (prefer) hip hop. This band is terrible.

Lan It's my dad's band.

Nick Oh, sorry. Actually, they [3] _____ (not play) badly now. Lots of people [4] _____ (dance). Which one is your dad?

Lan He [5] _____ (play) the guitar.

Nick He's great. Anyway, I[6] _____ (not know) your name.

Lan I'm Lan.

Nick I'm Nick. Please to meet you.

Lan Hey. I [7] _____ (like) your polo shirt. It's cool.

Nick Really?

Lan Yes. [8] _____ (you / wear) it often?

Nick Yes, I [9] _____ (wear) it most weekends. Actually, [10] _____ (you / do) anything next weekend?

Lan Yes, I[11] _____ (visit) my grandparents in the suburb.

Nick Oh, right.

IV. Complete the dialogue with the verbs below. Use the present simple or present continuous.

do *come* *have* *like* *stay*
study *want* *work* *not work*

Nick Hi, I'm Nick.

Mai Hi, I'm Mai. Where [1]_____ you _____ from, Nick?

Nick England. I [2]_____ with a family here in Ho Chi Minh City.

Mai [3] _____ you _____ it here?

Nick Yes, it's a nice city. I[4] _____ a great time.

Mai Can you speak Vietnamese?

Nick Yes. I [5] _____ at a language school. What [6] _____ you _____ , Mai?

Mai I'm a nurse.

Nick That's interesting.

Mai I usually [7] _____ at night, but I[8] _____ this evening.

Nick [9] _____ you _____ to have a drink?

Mai OK.

V. Decide whether the present continuous is being used (a) for something that is happening now or (b) for an arrangement in the future. Write *a* or *b.*

1. What are you wearing to Mai's birthday party? _____

2. What's that music you're listening to? _____

3. My aunt is coming to see us this afternoon. _____

4. I can't meet you on Saturday. I'm playing football. _____

5. Is Ann coming to the cinema with us this evening? _____

6. 'Where's Susan?'-'She's reading upstairs.' _____

7. Lan is wearing a pink skirt. _____

8. 'Are you planning to stay at home this weekend?' -'No, we're visiting our grandparents in the suburb.' _____

9. What are you doing tomorrow night? _____

10. It's starting to rain. _____

VI. Complete the pairs of sentences with the present simple or the present continuous form of the verb in brackets.

1. a She always _____ (wear) a white dress for work.

b I _____ (wear) new shoes. Do you like them?

2. a We _____ (go) hiking next month.

b They _____ (go) hiking every summer.

3. a I _____ (love) this music. What is it?

b I _____ (enjoy) this music. What is it?

4. a Light _____ (travel) faster than sound.

b That car _____ (travel) very fast. Be careful.

5. a My brother often _____ (sing) in the shower.

b My friend, Peter, _____ (sing). What a terrible noise!

6. a I _____ (not believe) him. It's a lie.

b He _____ (not tell) the truth. It's a lie.

VII. Make questions from these words, using the correct verb tense.

1. Which book / you read I at the moment?

_____

2. When / you leave/ tomorrow?

_____

3. Which coffee / you prefer / Italian / French?

_____

4. What / you usually have / for breakfast?

_____

5. What / your father / do now?

_____

• **Articles**

VIII. Choose the correct answers.

1. I love **Indian food / the Indian food.**

2. Life / The life in a small village can be very boring.

3. Weather / The weather in Scotland was terrible last weekend.

4. This crossing isn't for **bicycles / the bicycles.** It's for **pedestrians / the pedestrians.**

5. Fields / The fields around the village are full of cows.

6. I hate **advertisements / the advertisements.** They're usually so boring.

IX. Complete the sentences with the correct article: *a/an, the* or zero article *(Ø).*

1. I don't read _____ books about magic.

2. He's reading _____ new Harry Potter book.

3. Polar bears don't mind _____ cold weather.

4. I'm not enjoying _____ cold weather this winter.

5. _____ tigers live in Asia.

6. I don't like _____ Mondays.

7. I don't like _____ heavy metal music.

8. I never wear _____ jeans.

9. I'll see you at _____ weekend.

10. I really like _____ Eyed Peas DVD.

X. Complete the sentences with the correct article: *a, the* or zero article *(0).*

1. There's _____ nice restaurant near our house.

2. We saw _____ President when he visited our city.

3. I want to be _____ doctor when I grow up.

4. The people in _____ village shop aren't very friendly.

5. 'Where's Nick?' - 'He's in _____ garden.'

6. My sister doesn't like _____ dogs - she prefers cats.

7. There's a red car and a blue car in the car park. Ours is _____ blue car.

XI. Complete the sentences with *a* or *the.*

1. I met _____ girl and _____ boy at the party. _____ girl was from France, and _____ boy was from Spain.

2. She lives in _____ flat in the centre of town. _____ flat is very small.

3. There's _____ bus at 10 or _____ train at 11. _____ bus arrives at 12, and _____ train arrives at 11.30.

4. My dad's got _____ Honda, and my mum's got _____ Suzuki. _____ Honda is much better than _____ Suzuki.

5. There was _____ cinema and _____ theatre in our town, but _____ cinema closed last year.

6. 'I'd like _____ pizza and _____ piece of chocolate cake.' - 'Would you like chips with _____ pizza?'

7. I bought _____ Beyonce DVD and _____ Grande DVD. _____ Beyonce was OK, but I didn't like _____ Grande album.

XII. Complete each pair of sentences with *a* or *the.*

1. a Dad is watching TV in _____ living room.

b I'd like a house with _____ big living room.

2. a Look. There's _____ cat on that tree.

b 'Which cat is yours?' - ' _____ black one.'

3. a Linda's _____ lovely girl.

b Who's _____ girl with long dark hair?

4. a I like this song. Who's _____ singer?

b I think Beyonce is _____ great singer.

5. a There's _____ clothes shop near the post office.

b I love _____ clothes shop between the bank and the chemist's.

6. a Shut _____ door, please.

b My bedroom has got _____ blue door.

XIII. Add *the* to the sentences.

1. Moon came out from behind the clouds.

_____

2. Paris is capital of France.

_____

3. It's too cold to swim in sea.

_____

4. I saw President on TV last night.

_____

5. My brother wants to join army.

_____

6. I'd like to travel around world.

_____

7. It was cold but sun was shining.

_____

8. If you see an accident, you should phone police.

_____

XIV. Choose the correct answer.

1. My favourite sport is **football / the football.**

2. She loves **milk / the milk.**

3. I hate **cold coffee / the cold coffee.**

4. 'Where's **coffee / the coffee?' -** 'It's in the cupboard.'

5. We went swimming in the sea. **Water / The water** was really warm.

6. I'm going to take **dogs / the dogs** for a walk.

7. I'm not very interested in **fashion / the fashion.**

8. Where are **CDs / the CDs** that I bought yesterday?