

hello

Other Ways of Saying...

# BEAUTIFUL

## GORGEOUS

Extremely pretty and attractive  
*For example: She looked gorgeous in that red dress.*

## STUNNING

Extremely impressive or attractive  
*For example: Take a photo of this stunning couple.*

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## DAZZLING

Extremely impressive, beautiful  
*For example: Jane looked dazzling at her wedding.*

## BEWITCHING

Enchanting or delightful  
*For example: He had the most bewitching blue eyes.*

## RESPLENDENT

Impressive, richly colourful  
*For example: I bought that resplendent sea-green dress.*

## Unit 2 Wish you were here

Emily went to London with her parents for a two-week holiday. She had a wonderful time and sent postcards to all her friends. Here are some of them.

Dear Eva

London is really exciting. It's such a busy city and so many people live here. There are lots of interesting things to do. There's an underground rail system, so you can travel all over the city really easily.

Yesterday we visited Buckingham Palace, the Houses of Parliament and the famous Tower Bridge. I'll be exhausted when I get home!

See you soon  
Love Emily



Dear Kate

I'm having a great holiday. This is an amazing city. There are lots of interesting old buildings and many galleries and museums to visit. The people here are very friendly, and helpful when we get lost. The only thing I don't like

is the weather. It rains every day and it's freezing!

Wish you were here  
Love Emily



Dear Sarah

This is a huge city and I like it very much. There are lots of beautiful parks and a great big river in the middle of the city. There are so many shops - I've been very busy shopping. There are also lots of restaurants. I've tried

so many different types of food. I'm having a great time! I've got lots of photos to show you when I get back.

Love Emily



4. Draw lines to match each adjective to the correct noun.

- a. crowded
- b. helpful
- c. wide
- d. wet

- people
- weather
- city
- river



5. Look at the picture and complete the postcard.

Dear Olga

Today we had a  
(a) \_\_\_\_\_ in a  
beautiful (b) \_\_\_\_\_ in  
London. The weather was  
great and the sun was  
(c) \_\_\_\_\_ at last! I  
played (d) \_\_\_\_\_ with  
some children next to a  
huge (e) \_\_\_\_\_. We  
had a lot of fun. I hope this

warm weather lasts until  
the end of our holiday!

See you soon

Emily

LONDON  
20 pm  
20 JUNE  
EMN

What do you like to do in your free time? Why do you like this activity?

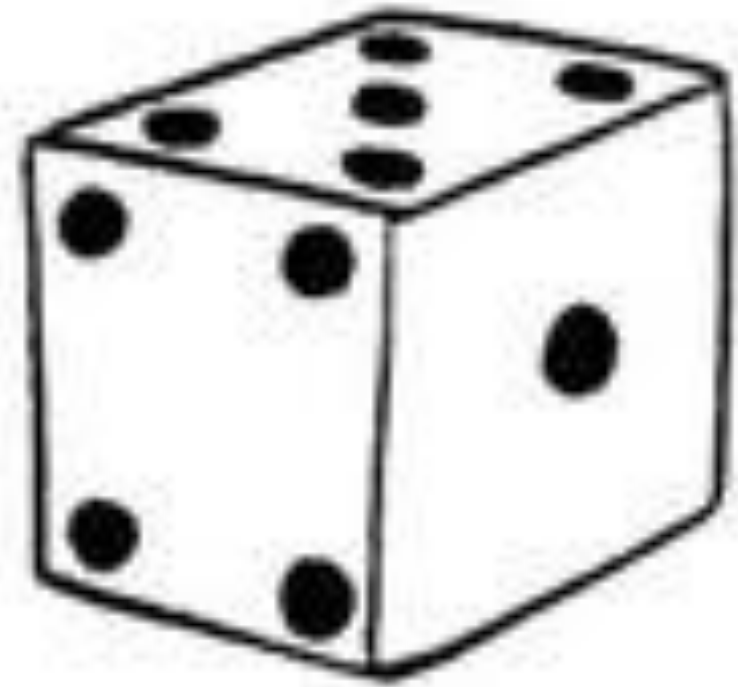
If you could have just one wish granted, what would it be and why?

Where would you go on vacation if you could go anywhere? Why?

What qualities do you look for in a friend? Why are these qualities important to you?

What's your favorite sport? Do you like to watch it, play it, or both?

Share a little bit about your family. Include your pets if you have any.



Are you listening?



## Part 2

### Questions 8–13

You will hear an English woman called Britta talking to an interviewer about her life in Berlin, the capital of Germany.

For each question, put a tick (✓) in the correct box.

- 8 How long has Britta lived in Berlin?
- A  four years  
B  six years  
C  twenty years
- 9 What does Britta say about living in Berlin?
- A  She can't sleep at night because of the traffic noise.  
B  She misses the museums and theatres in Bonn.  
C  She likes living in a big, busy city.
- 10 The area of Berlin where Britta lives is
- A  a rather expensive place to live.  
B  a good place to eat out.  
C  a long way from the city centre.
- 11 How does Britta usually travel around in Berlin?
- A  She walks.  
B  She uses her bicycle.  
C  She uses the tram or bus.
- 12 Britta says that her nephew, Philippe, likes going
- A  to the park with her.  
B  to the shops with his parents.  
C  to a gallery with her.
- 13 Britta has lots of friends who
- A  live near her.  
B  work with her.  
C  are still in England.

**1 Put the verbs in brackets into the *present simple* or the *present continuous*.**

Hi Isabel,

I'm in the beautiful city of Oxford. I 1) *am studying* **(study)** German and Russian at the university here. I 2) ..... **(find)** both languages interesting but German 3) ..... **(be)** more difficult. All the other students on the course 4) ..... **(feel)** the same way, too. We 5) ..... **(meet)** once a week to discuss the lectures. This week, we 6) ..... **(go)** to the theatre in London to see a play.

I 7) ..... **(stay)** on the campus for the moment but a few of us 8) ..... **(look)** for a house to share. The food in the halls 9) ..... **(not/be)** very good, so we usually 10) ..... **(have)** lunch at a restaurant nearby.

I hope to hear from you soon.

Take care,

Bill



2

Put the verbs in brackets into the *past simple* or the *present perfect*.

1 A: When ..... *did you move* .....  
(**you/move**) house, David?

B: Three days ago but I .....  
..... (**not/unpack**) yet.

2 A: Do you like Chinese food?

B: Actually, I .....  
(**never/try**) it.

3 A: I .....  
(**just/finish**) my essay.

B: Really? I .....  
(**write**) mine yesterday evening.

4 A: How long .....  
(**you/live**) in America?

B: I .....  
(**come**) here in 2004.

5 A: .....  
(**you/type**) the letters yet?

B: Yes, I .....  
(**finish**) them half an hour ago and .....

.....  
(**give**) them to Mr Harris.

11 Put the verbs in brackets into the *present perfect* or the *past simple*.

# Did

you know?

1 Victoria Falls ... *has been* ... (be) a popular tourist attraction for many years.

2 In 1855, David Livingstone, a Scottish explorer, ..... (name) the falls after Queen Victoria.

3 The African government ..... (open) two national parks near the falls to protect wild animals.

4 The Victoria Falls Bridge is one of the most famous bridges in the world. It ..... (take) just 14 months to build and ..... (be) ready in April, 1905.

5 Over 50,000 people ..... (try) bungee jumping off the Victoria Falls Bridge so far.



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**6** Gloria thinks football is the most ..... sport she plays.

- A** favourite      **B** interesting      **C** nice

**7** When Gloria plays, she ..... about everything else and just thinks about football.

- A** leaves      **B** forgets      **C** loses

**8** After school, Gloria ..... on her football boots and plays with her friends.

- A** runs      **B** changes      **C** puts

**9** When Gloria is older, she hopes that she can ..... some money from playing football.

- A** earn      **B** bring      **C** take

**10** One day Gloria wants to play football for her ..... in the World Cup.

- A** country      **B** nationality      **C** group

## PART 3

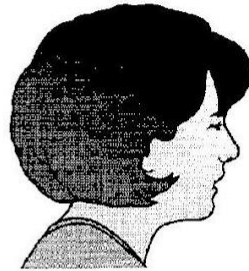
### QUESTIONS 11-15

Complete the five conversations.

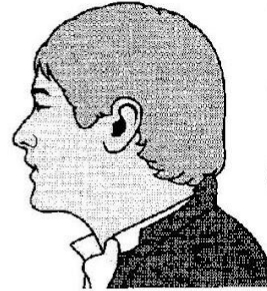
For questions 11-15, mark A, B or C on your answer sheet.

Example:

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How old are you?



A Sixteen.

B Fine, thanks.

C How do you do?

Answer:

0	A	B	C
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

11 Hello. This is 245-6780.

A I'll call again later.

B Thank you for your help.

C I'd like to speak to John, please.

12 I'm going to have a party on Saturday.

A Who will come?

B Where to?

C How often is it?

13 What do I do at the traffic lights?

A That's right.

B Turn left.

C You can't.

14 I'll take these grapes, please.

A Can I help you?

B They're over there.

C Would you like a bag?

15 What colour will you paint the room?

A I hope it was right.

B We can't decide.

C It wasn't very difficult.

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9. What do you think it would be like to be a bird? What kind of bird would you be and why? Where would you live and what kinds of exotic lands would you migrate to?

10. What is your favorite book? Write a different ending to that book. What would happen to the main characters at the end?

11. Write a sequel to your favorite movie. If it was a serious movie, write a humorous sequel and vice versa.