

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

PRACTICE EXTRA ANSWER KEY

UNIT 01

UNIT 01, VOCABULARY, PERSONALITY 1

People who are **introverted** often feel uncomfortable at social gatherings, such as parties.

Bea feels really ~~self-conscious~~ **self-conscious** about her acne, but she'll grow out of it in a few years.

trustworthy: **someone who is honest, reliable and can keep a secret**

David comes ~~through~~ **over/across** as rude, but really he's just shy.

My new colleagues have worked together for years and I feel **left out** when they talk about funny things that happened in the past.

Freddy can't drive, so has to ask his friends and family to take him places. Freddy **relies on** his friends and family to take him places.

Leo's very opinionated and often **clashes with people who don't share** his views.

After each class, Iago **conscientiously** listed all the new words he had learned in alphabetical order.

someone willing to consider points of view different to their own: **open-minded**

Extroverted: **[picture of a man smiling while talking to other people]**

UNIT 01, VOCABULARY, PERSONALITY 2

[Picture of a woman with her jumper pulled up to cover most of her face:] **self-conscious**

I find it hard to **relate to** my younger siblings – it's like we're from different worlds.

If I'm not at home, you can leave the parcel on my doorstep – people in this neighbourhood are generally **trustworthy**.

conscientious: **putting a lot of effort into your work**

My daughter doesn't like sport, so she **feels left out during PE** and at break time.

Anil regularly **clashes with** his teachers about his attitude.

someone who is energetic and likes being with other people: **extroverted**

Leo still hasn't got a job and **relies on** his parents for money.

I'm quite an **introverted** person; I find parties and large gatherings overwhelming.

Tomek gave the impression of being confident and friendly in the interview. Tomek **came across as** confident and friendly in the interview.

UNIT 01, GRAMMAR, PAST TENSES 1

Whenever I didn't get what I wanted as a child, I **would cry** endlessly.

I've watched a lot of documentaries about climate change recently.

I was waiting for my friend **when I saw** the robbery.

Sally **took** a nice photo of us at the weekend – I'll show it to you later.

When I arrived, the exam **had already begun**.

We've been going to that restaurant **for years**. It's such a shame it's closing down.

Larissa had been working there for over a decade when she decided she needed a change.

Marc **used to** be noticeably bigger – he's lost a lot of weight.

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I haven't done the shopping yet – I'll go later.

In my previous job, I **would get** so stressed about everything.

UNIT 01, GRAMMAR, PAST TENSES 2

I'd been waiting for him for an hour when he finally showed up.

Jan **lost** her watch when she was on holiday.

I'd phoned six or seven times **before she finally answered.**

Jaime's been going to the gym a lot recently – he looks in great shape.

I **used to** be a terrible student – I don't know how my teachers coped.

What **were you watching** before? It looked interesting.

When I was at school, I **would often end up** looking out the window and daydreaming.

Toni's **been/has been** asleep for 12 hours. We should go and wake him up.

I saw Katya this morning, when she was walking to work.

The city **used to be really dirty**, but it's a lot better now.

UNIT 01, GRAMMAR, PAST TENSES 3

When we were kids, my brother and I **would argue** non-stop.

When **did you go** to France?

Now that **I've passed my driving test**, I can go anywhere.

I used to have a garden in my old house./I had a garden in my old house.

I **was looking for** a pen when I **found** your watch.

I **hadn't met** any of Tony's friends before he introduced me to them at his party.

My mum **has been looking** tired recently. I hope she's OK.

Sam **had been sitting/'d been sitting** on the sofa all morning before he finally decided to do some work.

I haven't seen Marcel for ages. I wonder what he's up to.

My cat always sat on the windowsill and waited for me whenever I went out. Whenever I went out, my **cat would sit on the windowsill** and wait for me.

UNIT 01, VOCABULARY, ADJECTIVE AND ADVERB SUFFIXES 1

Your little brother is so cheeky!

Roberta is so ~~styleful~~ **stylish** – she always looks amazing.

The swans moved gracefully across the water.

They were sitting **comfortably** on the sofa when they heard a loud knock at the door.

We were **hopelessly** lost and had no way of finding the hotel.

It isn't rational to think of people as being completely good or completely bad.

Peter narrow-**mindedly** claimed that he was right and everyone else was wrong.

too much or too many of something: **excessive**

Eva **optimistically** suggested that I'd come to see losing my job as a good thing, but I'm not so sure.

All they could do was watch **helplessly** as the flames consumed their house.

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UNIT 01, VOCABULARY, ADJECTIVE AND ADVERB SUFFIXES 2

Many companies are now being held **responsible** for their carbon emissions.

Don't worry, Hugo won't be late. He's completely **reliable**.

The waiter **clumsily** tripped over and dropped all the glasses.

Originally, it was a farm, but it's been converted into a hotel.

I **foolishly believed** that they'd **refund** all my money.

I was left entirely **speechless** when they told me I had got the job!

That dog behaves far too **aggressively** – let's keep away from it.

He ~~respectedly~~ **respectfully** declined to answer the journalist's question.

Realistically, students straight out of university can't be expected to find a job./It isn't realistic to expect students straight out of university to find a job.

We should feel privileged to live in this society, yet there are so many things we take for granted.

UNIT 02

UNIT 02, VOCABULARY, CITIES 1

The city is relatively small in size but millions of people live here, so it's very **densely populated**.

urban sprawl: **the spread of a city into the area around it**

There are lots of **transport links** between my neighbourhood and the city centre.

I grew up in a small flat in a ~~high-raised~~ **high-rise** building in the city centre. Life was tough, but we had some great views!

an area on the edge of a large town or city where people who work in the town or city live: **suburb**

Sadly, millions of people still live in **slums** all over the world.

pedestrianised: **an area that has been adapted so that traffic is not allowed to pass through it**

I **miss having all those green spaces** around me. There's barely a single tree where I live now.

Thank goodness for the **ring road**! If it wasn't there, traffic would be flooding into the town centre.

Derelict: **[picture of a house that has been abandoned and is in a bad condition]**

UNIT 02, VOCABULARY, CITIES 2

When I was born, my parents moved out of the city centre and into a **suburb**, where they could afford a bigger house.

derelict: **not cared for and in a bad condition**

Luckily, my town has got a **ring road**, which means we don't get much traffic in the centre.

Manila, in the Philippines, is the most **densely populated** city in the world, with over 40,000 people per square kilometre.

Natural environments within a city are known as **green spaces**.

Although **high-rise buildings** seem like a practical way of housing people, they present a significant fire risk.

slums: **very poor and crowded area of a city**

The **urban sprawl extends** so far in **every direction** – it's hard to see where it ends.

There are limited **transport links** in that part of the country – we should probably rent a car.

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[Picture of a street with no cars and many people walking in it:] **pedestrianised**

UNIT 02, GRAMMAR, COMPARATIVES AND SUPERLATIVES

I find that beaches are **much more polluted** than they used to be.

Tobias is by far the fastest player on the team.

Your story is **slightly more** believable than your sister's, but you're still not telling me something.

Manuel was behaving **significantly more strangely** than usual when he got home.

Jack **has been studying considerably harder** since he decided he wants to become a doctor.

Out of all the suspects, Rose was acting **the most nervously**.

They've moved the doctor's surgery – **it's much farther away now**.

Sara is easily one of **the nicest** people I've ever met.

A flat in the city centre is **significantly** more expensive than a house in the suburbs.

I know I **should go** to the **gym more often**, but I'm just so tired when I get home from work.

UNIT 02, GRAMMAR, DOUBLE COMPARATIVES

You're working too hard and getting **more and more stressed** – why don't you take a break?

The more frequently you exercise, the easier it gets.

Littering in this area is **getting more and more common** – it's becoming a real problem.

Ben has been acting more and more **maturely** since he met his girlfriend – what a relief!

The closer I get to going to university, **the more excited** I feel.

I feel exhausted and am working less and less effectively every day.

The **longer** I stay in bed, **the more tired** I feel when I get up.

The longer I am away from home, **the more desperate** I am to get back there.

The worse the traffic gets, the more appealing working from home becomes.

Every year, more tourists come and the town **gets more and more polluted**.

UNIT 02, GRAMMAR, COMPARATIVES AND SUPERLATIVES; DOUBLE COMPARATIVES

That was easily **the most relaxing** holiday I've ever had.

The angrier you get, the less likely you are to get what you want.

I've **been sleeping far better** since I started using earplugs.

When the weather is good, people feel happier. The **better the weather is/better the weather**, the **happier people feel**.

Out of all the players, **Mattheus easily trains the hardest**.

Since they closed the ring road, the city centre is getting **busier and busier** with traffic.

The **more I'm rejected, the more determined** I am to find a job.

You'll feel **significantly** better about things after a good night's sleep.

Usain Bolt is **easily** the fastest sprinter in the world – no one else has come close to his record.

It's looking **more and more likely** that we'll have to buy a new car – this one is getting worse every day.

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UNIT 02, VOCABULARY, BUILDINGS AND PLACES: IDIOMS 1

David really **burnt his bridges** when he had that argument with his ex-boss. They'll never employ him there again!

If you have somewhere to live, you have **a roof over your head**.

Tessa **hit the roof** when she found out her daughter had been making long-distance phone calls.

set in stone: **be very difficult or impossible to change**

I've been working on my novel all day, but I can't think anymore – I've hit a ~~glass ceiling~~ **brick wall**.

I can't believe I bought that phone only to lose it the next day – **that £200 went down the drain pretty quickly**.

Antonio is really **going to town** on his New Year's Eve party – I've heard he's hiring caterers.

feel comfortable and relaxed somewhere or with a situation: **feel at home**

I just can't seem to break the **glass ceiling** at work – I've been trying to get a promotion for years.

get on like a house on fire: **[picture of two girls laughing together]**

UNIT 02, VOCABULARY, BUILDINGS AND PLACES: IDIOMS 2

All our money **went down the drain** when we invested in that company that went bankrupt.

If you get a more important position at work despite unofficial and unfair restrictions, you **break the glass ceiling**.

We were thinking of going to France, but our holiday plans aren't **set in stone**.

hit a brick wall: **reach a point where it becomes difficult to continue**

That actor has ~~burnt his roof down~~ **burnt his bridges/**~~burned his bridges~~ with most of Hollywood; he'll be lucky to get hired again.

I introduced Matt and Bea at my party and they got on **like a house on fire**.

I really **feel at home** in my new job – I can't believe I ever did anything else!

do something enthusiastically, often by spending a lot of money: **go to town**

As long as Sara's got somewhere to live, I don't need to worry about her. As long as Sara's **got a roof over her head**, I don't need to worry about her.

[Picture of a woman shouting and raising her fist while driving:] **hit the roof**

UNIT 03

UNIT 03, VOCABULARY, THE HUMAN BODY 1

The medical term for breathing out is **exhale**.

If you don't slow down, you're going to **choke** on your food.

All mammals breathe with their ~~spine~~ **lungs**.

germ: **a very small organism that causes disease**

Human beings are vertebrates, which means we have **a spine**.

If you're feeling **poorly**, you should go and see a doctor.

If you are unable to feel anything in a part of your body, it is **numb**.

My brother is **left-handed**, which means he finds it difficult using some devices, such as tin openers.

The city is so polluted – who knows what we're inhaling as we're walking round.

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Sweat: **[picture of a man close up with sweat on his forehead]**

UNIT 03, VOCABULARY, THE HUMAN BODY 2

The long, thin fibres which send messages between the brain and other parts of the body are **nerves**.

My grandad gets terrible pain in his **joints**, especially in his wrists.

Your arms and legs are your **joints limbs**.

sweat: **the clear, salty liquid that passes through your skin**

Before smoking inside was banned, **inhaling** second-hand smoke used to cause serious illnesses.

Did you know that people who exercise can hold more air in their **lungs**?

If you cannot breathe because something is blocking your throat, you are **choking**.

You should cover your mouth when you cough, otherwise you spread **germs** everywhere.

Maria is left-handed, so she struggles to use most scissors.

Susana feels **poorly**.

UNIT 03, GRAMMAR, MODALS: SPECULATION AND DEDUCTION

It **must be** incredibly difficult to become a professional footballer – so few youngsters succeed.

Eating a packet of chocolate biscuits every day can't be good for you.

The doctor's not sure, but she said that the pain in my neck ~~must be~~ **may be/might be/could be** caused by a trapped nerve.

Ian looks exhausted – **he might be burnt out**. Sometimes his job is really stressful and demanding.

We're on time but there's no one here. We **may be** at the wrong restaurant – I'll check the invitation again.

You **can't be** bored already – it's only the first day of the holidays!

You've just been robbed? You must feel shaken.

You ~~should be~~ **should/ought to** leave as early as possible tomorrow morning, to avoid the traffic.

We **can't be** on **the right path** – none of these signs are on my map.

Elena's probably fine – she **may** just be tired from the journey and that's why she's so quiet.

UNIT 03, GRAMMAR, MODALS: OBLIGATION AND ADVICE

Advice: **You should study more./You ought to listen more.**

Obligation: **You must wear a helmet./You mustn't run.**

Lack of obligation: **I don't have to get up early./We don't need to rush.**

I must remember to call my mum tomorrow – it's her birthday.

I'm sure your cooking was fine – maybe John doesn't like lasagne. I'm sure your cooking was fine – John **might not like/may not like/mightn't like** lasagne.

Yvan **needs to go to the doctor's** in the morning, so he'll be a little late in to work.

I really **ought to** buy a new suit for Helen's wedding next month – the one I've got is quite old.

If you've already bought your tickets, you **don't have to** queue at the entrance – you can go straight in.

You shouldn't study at night – you need to disconnect and relax.

It's extremely important that I don't forget to take the dog for a walk. I **mustn't forget to take/must remember to take/must not forget to take** the dog for a walk.

I **have to take this medication three** times a day.

Jaime said that we **don't need to** dress up for his party as it's going to be quite informal.

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UNIT 03, GRAMMAR, MODALS: SPECULATION AND DEDUCTION; PERMISSION, OBLIGATION AND ADVICE

Advice: **You shouldn't care so much./You ought to do more exercise.**

Obligation: **You have to finish your work./You mustn't shout.**

Permission: **Can I open the window?/You can't go out.**

You can't have any chocolate until after dinner.

You **ought to take/should take/ought to have/should have** a nap – you look a bit tired.

I **must stop putting the recycling** in the wrong **bin**! I do it every time.

We **can't** be lost already – we've only just set off!

I told Luis that he **shouldn't** get so angry at his parents – they're only trying to help.

You can't go to your friends' unless you've finished your homework. **permission**

You **cannot use/mustn't use/can't use/must not use** your phone inside the museum – please turn it off.

I'm not sure **if I should ask my parents** for help. What would you do?

You must be tired after working so hard. **deduction**

UNIT 03, VOCABULARY, HEALTH: PHRASAL VERBS AND EXPRESSIONS 1

A polite way of saying someone has died is to say they've **passed away**.

I'm absolutely exhausted – I didn't sleep **a wink** last night.

My sister was in a car accident the other day, but thankfully she's all in ~~the mend~~ **one piece**.

under the weather: **feeling ill**

Anna's completely **burnt out** from working 15 hours a day.

I'm not going to come to your party at the weekend – I'm still **fighting off** an illness.

If you become unconscious suddenly for a short period, you **black out**.

Patrick was sick last week but he's right **as rain** now.

I've got a small lump on my arm – I hope it isn't **a cause for concern**.

nod off: **[picture of a man who has fallen asleep on the sofa while reading]**

UNIT 03, VOCABULARY, HEALTH: PHRASAL VERBS AND EXPRESSIONS 2

If you become conscious again after an accident or operation, you **come round**.

If you're feeling poorly, why don't you go to bed and **sleep it off**?

If you're not feeling right, you should stay home. You don't want to **pass on** an illness to your colleagues, do you?

on the mend: **becoming healthy after an illness**

I woke up in the middle of the night and didn't know where I was. I was completely **freaking out**.

The doctor checked the small lump on my back and said it was nothing to worry about. The doctor said that the small lump on my back was **no cause for concern/not a cause for concern/n't a cause for concern**.

You're breaking out in a fever – I'll call the doctor.

Sadly, Carla's grandma **passed away** the other day. The funeral is tomorrow.

I **nodded off** on the sofa while watching TV last night and didn't wake up until the morning.

Lucy **didn't sleep a wink/did not sleep a wink** last night.

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UNIT 04

UNIT 04, VOCABULARY, MAKING DECISIONS 1

I'm still undecided **about** whether to accept that new job.

I haven't made up my mind if I'm going to study abroad yet.

I haven't ~~made up~~ **come to** a decision yet – I'll tell you when I have.

Mario spends so much time **weighing up the pros and cons** of every decision.

Have you **considered** other options? You may not have to sell all your things.

If you're unsure **about** leaving home, why don't you take some more time to think about it?

I'm in two minds about whether to take that internship.

Take some time to **think through** your options before rushing into anything.

When you make suggestions for a future activity very quickly before considering some of them more carefully, you **brainstorm ideas**.

seek advice: **[picture of two people having a serious conversation]**

UNIT 04, VOCABULARY, MAKING DECISIONS 2

I'm **in doubt** about whether we should invite Guillermo to the party – he can be quite annoying.

When you consider the advantages and disadvantages of doing something, you **weigh up the pros and cons**.

If you don't get good exam results, you may have to **reconsider** your options and think about applying to a different university.

Penny's **still undecided about where to go** on her gap year.

If I were you, I'd think **through** all my options carefully. It's a big decision.

Have you come to a **decision** about where you're going on holiday?

It's completely normal to feel **unsure about** change – it's never easy.

Claire's **in two minds about where she** wants to go for her birthday.

I'm still not sure which shirt to wear. I haven't **made up my mind** yet about which shirt to wear.

[Picture of three people considering a board full of notes together:] **brainstorm ideas**

UNIT 04, GRAMMAR, MODALS IN THE PAST 1

I saw Amy in the street, but she didn't turn when I called her name. She **mustn't have** heard me.

When I was little, I was only allowed to eat sweets at the weekend.

Speculation/deduction: **must have/can't have**

Permission: **could/was allowed to**

Despite his tiredness, Andrew knew that he only **had to run one** more kilometre to finish the race.

You **ought to** have told me if you were going to be late.

I'm sorry I **couldn't** come to your party – I had too much work on.

Julie wasn't in the office last week – she might have been on holiday, although I'm not sure.

Obligation: **needed to/didn't have to**

Ability: **was able to/managed to**

A: **Were you able to** get all the ingredients from the shop? B: No, they had run out of flour.

You **shouldn't have** said those things to Sarah – she got really upset.

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UNIT 04, GRAMMAR, MODALS IN THE PAST 2

I don't know where my keys are. I **can't have** left them at home because I used them to get into the office this morning.

I couldn't understand what he was saying./I wasn't able to understand what he was saying.

Thank you so much for the present – you **didn't have to get** me anything!

It's no surprise that you failed your exam. **You ought to have listened more** in class.

Mandy is really smart – she **was able to** read when she was only three.

The film doesn't start for another hour – we **needn't have rushed** to get here.

Let's go to the police station to ask about your passport. You never know – someone **might have found/may have found/could have found** it and handed it in.

I couldn't find a space at first, but eventually I managed to park near the bank.

I went to a special kind of school where we **didn't need to do** any exams.

We **had to wear/needed to wear** our seatbelts for the whole flight, which was annoying because I wanted to walk around and stretch my legs.

UNIT 04, GRAMMAR, MODALS IN THE PAST 3

Without a membership card, you aren't **allowed to take** books out of the library.

I must have applied for over 20 jobs before I was offered an interview.

I knew we had to turn right at the garage – I **shouldn't have** let you change my mind.

After years of trying, I **was able to finish a novel** in another language.

I wonder where Paul is – he **may have had to stay** late at work.

Did you know that I **couldn't/wasn't able to/was not able to/could not** swim until I was 12? We moved around a lot when I was young and I never got the chance.

When I was young I could swim for miles./When I was young I was able to swim for miles.

There were towels at the hotel, so we **needn't have brought** our own.

You **ought to have told** me that you were coming – I would have picked you up from the station.

Lorena wasn't here when the necklace went missing, so there's no way she stole it. Lorena wasn't here when the necklace went missing, so it **can't have been her that/cannot have been her that/can't have been her who/cannot have been her who/couldn't have been her that/could not have been her that/couldn't have been her who/could not have been her who** stole it.

UNIT 04, VOCABULARY, LIFE EVENTS: VERB AND NOUN COLLOCATIONS 1

Did you hear that Lucia's been offered a new **job** in Switzerland?

I'm going to **apply for** a place on that creative writing course, although I'm not sure I have the right experience.

Don't be afraid to choose a different path than others./Don't be afraid to follow a different path than others.

Miguel is ~~having~~ **taking/sitting/doing** his exams next week. He's been studying really hard.

Harriet is so smart – she's just **accepted** a place at the University of Cambridge.

I can't believe I **failed** my driving test for the fifth time!

When Pedro ~~went from~~ **left** the company, he set up his own business.

Sara is doing research into the effects of advertising on children.

If I don't **get** a job soon, I'll have to move back in with my parents.

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[Picture of students in gowns throwing caps into the air:] **graduate from** university

UNIT 04, VOCABULARY, LIFE EVENTS: VERB AND NOUN COLLOCATIONS 2

Dominic really needs to start studying harder, or he won't **get into** college.

You really ought to **set** a good example for your younger brother and not use bad language.

If you don't get good results, you can always **resit your exams next year/redo your exams next year**.

Francisco is burnt out and has decided to **take** a sabbatical.

I chose a different **path** than my parents and became a nurse.

Are you going to accept a **place** at university? You've got lots of offers.

Aksana is ~~making~~ **doing** an apprenticeship at a top law firm.

I need to impress my boss, or I'll never get a promotion.

We're going to the bank later to **apply for** a loan.

[Picture of students taking an exam:] **take an exam**

UNIT 04, VOCABULARY, ADJECTIVE AND NOUN COLLOCATIONS 1

Being able to swim in the sea was the **deciding** factor in our decision to go on holiday to the coast.

We're not planning on moving house in the **near** future.

My uncle played a vital role in my decision to become a doctor./My uncle played a major role in my decision to become a doctor.

Petra has got ~~clear~~ **mixed** feelings about leaving her job – she wants a new challenge but she's also going to miss everyone.

In her essay, Esme **displayed a clear understanding** of the Romantic poets.

Are you sure you want to move abroad? It's a **big** decision.

My history teacher at school was a **strong** influence on me. She was the one who encouraged me to go to university.

I think all the protests are a sign that there are major changes coming./I think all the protests are a sign that there are big changes coming.

A conscientious attitude and an enquiring mind play ~~deciding~~ **big/vital/major** roles in academic success.

You might not see any **results in the immediate future**, but regular exercise will help you in the long term.

UNIT 04, VOCABULARY, ADJECTIVE AND NOUN COLLOCATIONS 2

My love of French cinema played a **big** role in my decision to move to Paris.

Nick has **strong** feelings about protecting the environment – he believes we should all be doing more.

Growing up on a farm had a **strong influence on my decision to become an ecologist/major influence on my decision to become an ecologist**.

I'm not planning on going travelling in the **immediate/near** future – I can't afford it.

The peace and quiet **is the deciding factor for** most people moving into the suburbs.

In your interview, you need to demonstrate a strong **understanding** of the market.

Over the past few decades, we have seen major **changes** in the world of computer technology.

It wasn't an easy decision, but we've decided to sell the company./It was a tough decision, but we've decided to sell the company.

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Martin Scorsese's films had a **big/strong/major** influence on me and ultimately put me on the path to becoming a filmmaker.

Lucy **has mixed feelings about** moving back to her hometown.

UNIT 05

UNIT 05, VOCABULARY, TECHNOLOGY AND PROGRESS 1

CDs have become **obsolete** – no one uses them anymore.

If something is very modern, with all the newest developments, it is **cutting edge**.

One of the ~~triggers~~ **drawbacks** of working from home is that I don't get to socialise with anyone during the day.

breakthrough: **an important event or discovery that helps improve a situation**

The first iPod **was launched in 2003**.

The drop in house prices **triggered** a global economic crisis.

If something is or causes an example of great change, it is **radical**.

Scientific **advances** in the field of medicine in the 20th century have saved countless lives.

They decided to **market** their product by placing adverts in local newspapers.

Prototype: **[picture of people looking at a prototype vehicle]**

UNIT 05, VOCABULARY, TECHNOLOGY AND PROGRESS 2

Solar energy was an important **development** in the fight against climate change.

drawback: **a disadvantage or the negative part of a situation**

The new iPhone is really **cutting edge**. It can do everything!

If you **trigger** a situation, you cause it to start.

The scientists announced that they had **made a breakthrough in their attempts** to produce a vaccine.

Who are you going to **market** your new product to? Or will it appeal to everyone?

obsolete: **not in use anymore, having been replaced by something newer**

That new political party is proposing some **radical** changes. It's all people are talking about.

The world has seen numerous technological **advances** over the past 20 years, such as the invention of the smart phone.

[Picture of a bakery with a 'grand opening' banner:] **launch**

UNIT 05, GRAMMAR, THE FUTURE 1

This time next week, I'll **be sitting** on a beach.

Dan's only just left – **he's going to be late**.

I'm getting my exam results tomorrow. Hopefully, I'll **get** into my first-choice university.

I **was just about to go** to the gym. Can I call you later?

I can't meet for lunch tomorrow – **I'm playing football**.

By this time next year, I'll **have completed** my Masters.

I didn't think that the exam would be so difficult.

We **were going to go kayaking** but had to cancel when I broke my hand.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

In April this year, I'll **have been training** for six months for the marathon.

The lecture **starts** in five minutes – let's go in and find a seat.

UNIT 05, GRAMMAR, THE FUTURE 2

We need to hurry if we want something to eat – the restaurant **is about to close**.

You look tired. I'll **make you a coffee if you like**.

I'm **meeting** Sarah tomorrow for dinner – do you want to come?

Next year, **we'll have been living here for** a decade.

In the future, everyone ~~will have been~~ **will be** driving electric cars.

That computer game is amazing. I had no idea that it **would** be so much fun.

I was going to do the dishes, but then my friend called./I was about to do the dishes, but then my friend called.

I've decided that I'm **going to** get fit and stop eating so much junk food.

By this time tomorrow, I'll **have passed my driving test** – hopefully!

As soon as ~~I see~~ **I see** Naomi, I'll tell her you need to speak with her.

UNIT 05, GRAMMAR, THE FUTURE 3

Dad's **walking** to work tomorrow, so he can't drive us to school.

Please could you buy the tickets **when you get to the cinema**?

I **was just about to make** a cup of tea. Would you like one?

Dave's just signed a major record deal. He **is going to be a star**!

If everything goes smoothly, by this time next month they'll **have finished/will have finished** building the house.

Take care and I'll **see** you next week at the same time.

I thought that the food **would be much nicer/was going to be much nicer**.

They **were going to drive** to the mountains this weekend, but Mike got food poisoning.

This time tomorrow, we **will be camping in the forest** and looking at the stars.

At nine o'clock, we'll **have been studying/will have been studying** for five hours straight. Let's stop then.

UNIT 05, VOCABULARY, ADJECTIVES AND DEPENDENT PREPOSITIONS 1

Many environmentalists feel **hostile** towards the proposal to build a new runway at the airport.

You should check with the florist before buying any flowers, as certain types are **toxic** to cats.

That car is cheap, but it's greatly ~~vulnerable~~ **inferior** to the more expensive models.

I don't think it's appropriate **for** you to wear jeans on your first day of work.

I wouldn't buy anything from that shop – **they're notorious for exploiting their** workers.

It's apparent **to** most people nowadays that we need to change the way we live in order to fight the climate crisis.

Tourists are particularly **vulnerable** to pickpockets in this area.

When I was younger, I wasn't conscious ~~for~~ **of** how badly humans treat the planet.

You shouldn't feel **inferior** to your classmates – your grades are just as good as theirs.

That film **isn't appropriate for children** – let's watch something else.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

UNIT 05, VOCABULARY, ADJECTIVES AND DEPENDENT PREPOSITIONS 2

My laptop is **inferior** to the latest models. I need to upgrade.

It isn't **appropriate** for students to call teachers by their first names.

When a town gets overrun with tourism, the people that live there feel more and more **hostile towards** visitors.

I think we should leave now – **I'm conscious of the time**.

It **became apparent to Marcos that** he was going to lose a lot of money.

That taxi company is notorious **for** overcharging. I wouldn't use them.

Sally says her boss makes her feel inferior **to** her colleagues. She's thinking about quitting.

People of my parents' generation are **vulnerable to** telephone scams. They regularly end up losing a lot of money to thieves.

I don't think those shoes are suitable **for** a wedding.

Lead used to be used in paint, before it **was discovered** that it was **toxic to** humans.

UNIT 05, VOCABULARY, PHRASAL VERBS 1

Trains used to **run on** coal, but now most are electric.

I'm not convinced that virtual reality headsets will ever really **catch on**.

Let's go and ~~rush into~~ **check out** the fair tomorrow. It's supposed to be good.

We should **do away with** fossil fuels as soon as possible.

Don't rush into choosing what you want to study at university – it's a big decision.

You should **look upon** your new job as a challenge that you are ready for.

Lots of holiday packages only really **cater for** families these days.

The next few years are important for the planet – some big decisions ~~look upon~~ **lie ahead** for everyone.

run on: **use a particular type of energy to work**

[Picture of a sign indicating no more car exhaust fumes:] **do away with**

UNIT 05, VOCABULARY, PHRASAL VERBS 2

Check out my new shoes. Do you like them?

I'm not sure what lies **ahead** now that I've graduated, but I'm excited about the future.

Some houses have solar panels and **run on/use** the energy from the sun.

rush into: **do something without thinking carefully about it**

Exercising at home has really **caught on** recently.

I'm excited about my new job, although I know a lot of hard work **lies ahead**.

I now **look upon** my university years as the best time of my life.

They **rushed into** buying a house without carefully examining their finances.

If you provide what is wanted or needed by someone, you **cater for** them.

Since working from home has caught on, perhaps some companies will stop having face-to-face meetings.

Since working from home has caught on, perhaps some companies **will do away with/will do away with having** face-to-face meetings.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

UNIT 06

UNIT 06, VOCABULARY, FILMS AND BOOKS 1

The 2019 film *Cats* was a **box-office flop** – it didn't generate much money at all.

A film or book made with a huge amount of skill can be called a **masterpiece**.

Most ~~remakes~~ **sequels** aren't as good as the first instalment of a series. There are obvious exceptions, however, such as *The Godfather Part II*.

blockbuster: a film that is very successful

Once Upon A Time in Hollywood **is set in Los Angeles**, in the 1960s.

There have been many **instalments** in the *Star Wars* series, but the first three were the best.

The money that is generated from a film is called **revenue**.

There have been lots of **remakes** of classic films, which have rarely turned out well. I think Hollywood should just leave them alone.

What's that film that you want to see about? Can you read me the **blurb**, please?

[Picture of a person sat in a cinema with popcorn and a drink:] **cinemagoer**

UNIT 06, VOCABULARY, FILMS AND BOOKS 2

Vanilla Sky was a successful **remake** of the Spanish original.

box-office flop: a film that is unsuccessful

Did you see the **trailer** for the new *Justice League* movie? It's coming out later this year.

The Dark Knight, the successful **sequel** to *Batman Begins*, is one of my favourite films.

Katniss Everdeen **is the main character in** *The Hunger Games* series.

As a regular ~~storygoer~~ **cinemagoer**, I really appreciate watching movies on the big screen.

The Favourite is set in 18th century England.

A film that doesn't generate much **revenue** can be considered a box-office flop.

I thought that *The Avengers* was quite boring. It was still a **blockbuster**, however, making over a billion dollars.

The **blurb** on the back of the book says that it's an 'inspirational tale'.

UNIT 06, GRAMMAR, GERUNDS AND INFINITIVES 1

Martina promised **to be** here on time. Where is she?

Sandra denied stealing the money from the cash register.

I couldn't leave without **saying** goodbye.

Swimming is great exercise for the body and mind.

It was impossible **to tell** which twin was which! They looked identical.

I'm really enthusiastic about **fighting** climate change.

verb + gerund: **miss/deny**

verb + to + infinitive: **decide/hope**

Michaela forgot to close the windows before she left. Michaela forgot closing the windows before she left.
different

For many young people, **going** to university has become too expensive.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

As long as you keep studying, your English will continue to improve. As long as you keep studying, your English will continue improving. **similar**

UNIT 06, GRAMMAR, GERUNDS AND INFINITIVES 2

Katie's **considering studying** medicine at university.

I hope to finish my dissertation by the end of next week.

Greta Thunberg is known for **challenging** world leaders to act against climate change.

Jonatan was watching TV all night, **instead of doing his homework.**

When I got home, I was shocked ~~discovering~~ **to discover** that I'd been burgled.

I can't bear to see my sister so sad. I can't bear seeing my sister so sad. **similar**

adjectives + preposition + gerund: **different/bored/excited**

adjectives + to + infinitive: **happy/ready/shocked**

Hugo **seems to be** happier now that he's got a new job.

Laura's **nervous about starting her new job** tomorrow.

Before **leaving** for work each morning, Gerard does an hour of exercise.

UNIT 06, GRAMMAR, GERUNDS AND INFINITIVES 3

We **chose to go/'d chosen to go/had chosen to go** camping, but **couldn't help thinking/could not help thinking** that a hotel might have been a better option.

Baking has become really popular in the past year.

I'm not good **at lying**, so I hope my parents don't ask if I've finished my assignment.

I stopped to talk to my neighbour. I stopped talking to my neighbour. **different**

Most people **carried on walking/had carried on walking**, but I **stopped to see** if the woman was OK.

Finding a decent job isn't easy – not when there are so many people looking.

I'm pleased **to announce** that we've been nominated for an award.

A film producer is responsible **for hiring** writers and a director.

Are you ready to see your new house? Open your eyes in three, two ...

They **decided to meet up/'d decided to meet up/had decided to meet up** more regularly because they **missed spending/had missed spending/'d missed spending** time together.

UNIT 06, VOCABULARY, ENTERTAINMENT: ADVERB AND ADJECTIVE COLLOCATIONS 1

Parasite was one of the most **critically acclaimed** films of the last few years – the reviews said it was a masterpiece.

This film is painfully slow.

The new Batman film is one of the most highly ~~successful~~ **anticipated** movies of the year. People are really looking forward to it.

Steven Spielberg has made lots of **internationally successful** movies, which have been enjoyed by audiences all over the world.

That movie was hysterically funny. I almost had to leave the cinema because I was laughing so hard.

Antonio Banderas was **largely unknown** until he appeared in one of Pedro Almodóvar's movies, which brought him to the attention of Hollywood.

My Brilliant Friend is the ~~painfully slow~~ **critically acclaimed** novel about two girls growing up in 1950s Naples. It was adored by the critics.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

If lots of people are excited about a book or film's release, it is **highly anticipated**.

I found it hard to finish that book. There was so much unnecessary detail and the plot was **painfully slow**.

[Picture of a cinema audience laughing:] **hysterically funny**

UNIT 06, VOCABULARY, ENTERTAINMENT: ADVERB AND ADJECTIVE COLLOCATIONS 2

Avengers: Endgame is one of the most **internationally successful** films of the last few years, bringing in over two million dollars at the box office.

If a book or film receives very good reviews, it is **critically acclaimed**.

Jennifer Lawrence was **largely unknown** before she got her big break playing the main character in The Hunger Games.

The new Borat movie is **hysterically funny** – I couldn't stop laughing.

That movie was painfully slow. I almost fell asleep in the cinema.

Cinemagoers are eagerly awaiting the release of the **highly anticipated** sequel to Ghostbusters, which is coming out later this year.

If not many people have heard of an actor, film, writer or book, they are **largely unknown**.

This book is **hysterically funny**. There's a laugh on almost every page.

Guillermo del Toro is one of the most **critically acclaimed** directors. All his films have received amazing reviews.

[Picture of cinemagoers looking bored:] **painfully slow**

UNIT 06, VOCABULARY, ENTERTAINMENT: COMPOUND ADJECTIVES 1

With car chases, robberies and amazing special effects, Axl really is **an action-packed** film.

Daniel Day Lewis is **an award-winning** actor who has picked up three Oscars.

Robert Downey Junior has appeared in many films, but is perhaps ~~better-recognised~~ **best-known** for his portrayal of Iron Man.

Scarlett Johansson was the **highest-paid** female actor of 2019, making over 50 million dollars.

Paranormal Activity **was a low-budget movie**, which was made for about \$15,000.

Lady Gaga is an **Oscar-nominated** actor; she received her nomination for her performance in A Star is Born.

Don Quijote has been printed ~~an award-winning~~ **a record-breaking** 500 million times.

If a book or film makes you reflect a lot about a subject, it is **thought-provoking**.

Many **world-famous** actors, recognised all over the globe, find living in the spotlight, and the lack of privacy it brings, difficult.

[Picture of an actor (Colin Firth) holding an award:] **award-winning**

UNIT 06, VOCABULARY, ENTERTAINMENT: COMPOUND ADJECTIVES 2

Daniel Radcliffe has had numerous film roles since, but he'll always be **best-known** for playing Harry Potter.

Dwayne Johnson was the **highest-paid** actor of 2019, earning more than \$87 million.

I don't enjoy big blockbusters. I prefer **low-budget** movies which don't spend lots of money and are often more thought-provoking.

Pirates of the Caribbean: On Stranger Tides is **a record-breaking** movie – it is the most expensive film ever made!

1984 is **a thought-provoking book**. It really makes you think about the world we live in.

Hugh Grant, despite being **an award-winning** actor, has never been nominated for an Oscar.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

If someone or something is known across the globe, they are **world-famous**.

Meryl Streep is the most **Oscar-nominated** actor in history, having been shortlisted 21 times.

That was such a beautiful, **thought-provoking** film. It really makes you reflect on the pointlessness of war.

[Picture of two men in suits running away from a helicopter:] **action-packed**

UNIT 07

UNIT 07, VOCABULARY, CHALLENGES AND ACHIEVEMENTS 1

Stephen King had to overcome **adversity** early on in his career. His first book was rejected 30 times.

To grow, develop or be successful is to **thrive**.

Doing a triathlon is a test of **adversity endurance** – you have to keep going when your body is constantly telling you to stop.

We were losing 3-0 at half-time and our best player had got injured, but somehow, against **all odds**, we came back to win.

Gwendolyn Brooks **broke down barriers when she became** the first black author to win the Pulitzer Prize.

I wanted to become a professional artist, but I lacked the **self-belief** – I never thought I was good enough.

setback: **something that happens which prevents you from achieving something**

To become a doctor, you need to have huge amounts of **self-discipline**. The amount of studying you need to do is enormous.

Simone couldn't **overcome** her fear of heights, so we didn't go on the balloon ride in the end.

[Picture of a footballer sat with his head hanging in defeat:] **suffer defeat**

UNIT 07, VOCABULARY, CHALLENGES AND ACHIEVEMENTS 2

Most people would find Cassie's job overwhelming, but she seems to **thrive** under pressure.

If you overcome something, you **succeed in dealing with a problem**.

The aim of the talks was to **break down barriers** between the conflicting states and find a way towards peace.

When I was younger, I wanted to be an Olympic rower, but I never had the **self-discipline**. I didn't want to get up at 5 am every morning to train.

Sophie **needs to have more self-belief**. She constantly doubts her own ability.

Unbelievably, we managed to find the hotel despite not having a map. **Against all odds**, we managed to find the hotel despite not having a map.

We experienced a serious **setback** when our car broke down in the middle of nowhere.

Mario lost for the first time in his career yesterday. Mario **suffered defeat/suffered a defeat** for the first time in his career yesterday.

There will be numerous times in life when you have to overcome **adversity**.

[Picture of men taking part in a long-distance running event:] **endurance**

UNIT 07, GRAMMAR, CONDITIONALS 1

I'll go to the park at the weekend if **it's** sunny.

If I see Carla, I'll tell her you said hi.

I'd hurry if I **were** you. Or you'll miss your train.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

If I'd **spent** more time studying, I **might have got** better exam results.

I'd **be able** to speak English much better if I'd started learning when I was younger.

If I **hadn't had to do this assignment**, I **would have gone to the party**.

Unless we do away with fossil fuels, the planet won't recover.

If I **saw** a celebrity on the street, I **would ask** them for an autograph.

If her team **doesn't win**, she's in a bad mood for the entire day.

I would have made more food if I'd **known you were coming**.

UNIT 07, GRAMMAR, CONDITIONALS 2

I might go to the gym if I **finish** work early.

If I **didn't have to work**, I'd **spend all my time writing my book**.

You **wouldn't have caught** the bus if you weren't such a fast runner!

Unless it stops raining, **we won't be able to have** a picnic.

If I ~~win~~ **won** the lottery, I'd quit my job and spend my time travelling.

He'd be considered one of the greats if he hadn't had to retire so early.

If my phone hadn't been on silent, I **would have heard** your call.

You'd **have** more energy if you did more exercise.

If I **can't sleep**, I **read a book**.

If Emma ~~didn't move~~ **hadn't moved/had not moved** to the country, she wouldn't feel so relaxed now.

UNIT 07, GRAMMAR, CONDITIONALS 3

If you're/are lucky, they **might upgrade/may upgrade/'ll upgrade/will upgrade/could upgrade** your seat to first class.

I doubt she'll forgive you unless you make a big apology.

If his parents hadn't encouraged him so much, he **wouldn't be** where he is today.

I would **have invited** you to **stay if I had** a bigger house.

If I **could go** back in time, I'd **go/would go** to Ancient Greece.

You **wouldn't have got** wet this morning if you'd taken an umbrella with you!

Plants **die/will die** if they **don't get/do not get** enough water.

I would get a dog if I lived in the country.

You **might need** to reconsider your options **if you don't get** good exam results.

If he didn't love sport so much, he **wouldn't have spent** all that money on a ticket to the final last year.

UNIT 07, VOCABULARY, NOUN SUFFIXES 1

Did you hear the loud **explosion** this afternoon?

Necessity is the mother of invention.

I hope Pedro can overcome his **shyness** and start making friends at school.

There's a kitchen **appliance** for everything these days. I've just bought a machine to make hot chocolate.

Dani and Sam are going to start their own advertising **agency**.

-y: **sleep/jealous** / -cy: **efficient/accurate** / -ness: **aware/close**

Monica has been promoted at work. She's now in charge of ~~recruitment~~ **recruitment**.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Those shoes aren't the most practical for going hiking.

The roadworks on their street were a great **inconvenience**.

The audience stood up and applauded to show their **appreciation** of the performance.

UNIT 07, VOCABULARY, NOUN SUFFIXES 2

The neighbour**hood** is quiet and there are lots of green spaces.

Wisdom comes with age and experience.

Charlie's starting an **apprenticeship** tomorrow as an electrician.

Before you can get on the plane, you need to go through **security**.

I can understand your **annoyance** – if I'd lost all my work because my computer had crashed, I'd be furious.

We got a flat tyre, but luckily, there was a replacement in the boot.

Do you ever suffer from **loneliness**?

Her **refusal** to give up is what makes her a great champion.

They slowly came to the **realisation** that they'd forgotten to pack the tent.

The **existence** of life on this planet goes back billions of years.

UNIT 08

UNIT 08, VOCABULARY, MONEY AND WEALTH 1

I can't go for dinner on Saturday – I'm completely **broke**.

well-off: **rich**

I need to ~~fund~~ **withdraw** some money to pay the gardener with. Where's the nearest cash machine?

If I hadn't received an **allowance** from my parents when I was at university, I wouldn't have been able to eat!

Tom wants to **take out a loan** to start his own business with.

I can't believe how much that meal cost! What a **rip-off**!

If you do not have enough money to buy something with, it is **unaffordable**.

Tom's university is going to ~~support~~ **fund** his research trip to Prague. He doesn't need to pay for anything.

Kevin's parents have been giving him **support** for years. That's how he's been able to afford that beautiful flat he lives in.

[Picture of an empty wallet/purse:] **broke**

UNIT 08, VOCABULARY, MONEY AND WEALTH 2

Luke's going to work all summer in order to **fund** his round-the-world trip.

If you take out a loan, you **borrow money, often from a bank**.

I want to buy a new car, but I think it's **unaffordable** at the moment. Maybe next year!

Icár's parents are really **well-off**. They have houses all over the world.

My parents are going to **give me an allowance** while **I'm studying**, so I don't need to worry about money.

I want to **take out** a loan so I can put down the deposit on a house.

Don't eat in the main square where all the tourists go. The restaurants are a complete **rip-off**.

If you don't have any money, you are **broke**.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

If you are struggling to pay for basic necessities, such as food, the government will give you some **support**.

[Picture of a person using a cash machine:] **withdraw**

UNIT 08, GRAMMAR, WISH AND IF ONLY 1

I wish I **could speak** a lot of languages.

The kitchen is completely flooded. **If only I'd remembered to turn off the tap.**

I wish I **hadn't invested** in Michael's company.

If only I were richer – I wouldn't have to work so much.

You always bring in lots of mud into the house. I wish you'd **take** your shoes off at the door.

If only the neighbours **would stop playing their music so loudly.**

I'd love to have nothing to worry about for just a day. I wish I **were** a kid again.

There's a chemist's in the next town. **If only we could drive.**

Don't you wish we'd **brought** some towels with us? We'd be able to go swimming in the lake.

We're lost. **If only we'd listened** more carefully to the directions.

UNIT 08, GRAMMAR, WISH AND IF ONLY 2

I wish you **would tell** me what's wrong. Maybe I can help.

If only you ~~stopped~~ **'d stop/would stop** shouting. I can't hear myself think.

I can't open this jar. If only I **were** stronger.

We **wish we were able** to **understand you**, but we don't speak your language.

We wish we **had got up earlier this morning to see the sunrise.**

I'm completely broke. If only I **hadn't spent** all my money on clothes last weekend.

I wish you ~~had taken~~ **'d take/would take** your studies more seriously. You've got important exams this year.

If only the sun **would come** out. We could have a picnic.

Julio **wished he hadn't worn jeans** for his first day at work.

I can't reach the top shelf. **I wish I were taller!**

UNIT 08, GRAMMAR, WISH AND IF ONLY 3

It's like a sauna in here. If only there **was** air conditioning.

If only we'd **met/had met** when we were younger.

I'm freezing! I wish it **wasn't** so cold in here.

I wish my teacher would speak louder in class. I can hardly hear what he's saying.

I can't hear the movie. If only **those people behind us would stop talking.**

Don't you wish we **had invited** more people to the party? I'm worried no one will come.

Oh no, the exam is about to finish. If only we **had** more time.

I feel sick. If only I **hadn't eaten** all that popcorn.

If only you would tidy your **room** once in a while!

You've been in bed all morning. **I wish you would get up.**

UNIT 08, VOCABULARY, MONEY: IDIOMS AND PHRASAL VERBS 1

Charlie came **into** some money when his grandfather passed away.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

If you put money aside, you **save it for a special purpose**.

That's a nice jacket, but why don't you ~~splash out~~ **shop around** for a bit? You might find one you like more.

It's been a tough week at work, so I'm going to **splash out** on a day at the spa.

I can't believe that mechanic **tried to rip me off**! I'll never go back there.

If you're finding it hard to **make ends meet**, why don't you ask your parents for support?

I want to quit my job, but I wouldn't have enough to ~~come down~~ **get by** on if I did.

There are sales this week. Maybe that shirt you were looking at has **come down** in price.

When Izzy won the lottery, she shared **out** her winnings between her family.

[Picture of money in a drain:] **pour money down the drain**

UNIT 08, VOCABULARY, MONEY: IDIOMS AND PHRASAL VERBS 2

Buying a cheap vacuum cleaner is **a false economy** – it's twice as likely to break down.

£15 for two coffees? **That's daylight robbery!**

Why don't you buy some new shoes? They're not going to **break the bank**.

Paco's dad has lost his job so they're going to have to **get by** on his mum's salary alone.

If you are making ends meet, you **have just enough money for the things you need**.

My dad always **shops around for** the best deals in the shops.

If you spend a lot of money on something nice, but which isn't essential, you **splash out on it**.

I can't believe I lost my new phone a day after buying it. That's £200 that I've poured **down the drain!**

When Liz's new car broke down immediately, she rang the salesman and accused him of **ripping her off**.

[Picture of a person putting money into a jar labelled 'travel':] **put money aside**

UNIT 09

UNIT 09, VOCABULARY, EDUCATION 1

Alison is doing a master's in political science. She has **aspirations** of becoming a diplomat.

I followed a different career path to my parents' and became a teacher.

Your uncle would be a good person to speak to for careers ~~aspirations~~ **advice**.

Claire's starting **an internship** with a big law firm tomorrow. She's hoping it will help her become a lawyer in the long term.

Not everyone has got leadership skills. You need to be able to inspire people.

Unless I get **a scholarship**, I won't be able to study abroad as I can't afford it.

critical thinking: **the ability to think independently and not accept everything you are told**

In most careers, ~~trainee~~ **social** skills are essential – you need to be able to get on with colleagues and clients.

Sergi is working as a **trainee** mechanic at the moment. He's enjoying learning about how to fix cars.

[Picture of several small groups of people talking at an event:] **networking**

UNIT 09, VOCABULARY, EDUCATION 2

I don't remember getting any **careers advice** at school. My parents were the only people who gave me guidance.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Your hopes, dreams, goals and ambitions are your **aspirations**.

In a lot of sectors, you need to do an **internship** for a year before getting a paid job.

Jaime is so smart – he's been given a **scholarship** to study at university.

It might be a good idea **to consider a career path before** deciding what you want to study at university.

Nowadays, with the increase of fake news, **critical thinking** skills are more important than ever.

A person who is in the process of being trained how to do a specific job is a **trainee**.

The skills you need to be able to interact with people in an acceptable way are **social skills**.

I'm looking forward to **networking** at the business conference tomorrow and making some useful connections.

[Picture of a football coach talking to members of his team:] **leadership**

UNIT 09, GRAMMAR, CLEFT SENTENCES 1

What is important in a university application is attention to detail.

What you should do is buy your tickets online.

What I intended to do was **to leave** work early today.

It wasn't until May that I decided I wanted to take a gap year.

It is your lack of self-belief that is holding you back.

What I'd really like for my birthday is a new phone.

What you could do is **go** for a run in the morning, before work.

What I'd love is to have more free time.

It's David's determination that makes him stand out.

It was Camilla who ordered the lasagne, not Bea.

UNIT 09, GRAMMAR, CLEFT SENTENCES 2

What he hadn't realised was that his jumper was on back to front.

What I **did** was splash out on some new clothes.

What Tom decided was **to go** and study abroad for a year.

What I meant was that I'd love to come to your party.

What we should do is buy some snacks for the journey.

It's her outgoing personality that makes her the life and soul of a party.

It was **wasn't/was not** until I was round the corner that I realised I was still wearing my slippers.

It's engineering that Paco is going to study at university.

It was at school I met my best friend.

What I wanted ~~was go~~ **was to go** home and have a nice, hot bath.

UNIT 09, GRAMMAR, CLEFT SENTENCES 3

It wasn't until ten o'clock that they had dinner.

I would love to be able to speak Arabic. What **I would love is to/I'd love is to** be able to speak Arabic.

What works well for remembering words is **organising** them into categories.

What you need is to go for a run and clear your head.

A good movie and some popcorn makes me happy. **What makes me happy is** a good movie and some popcorn.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

What we needed was to have some fun. It was some fun that we needed.

I would ask my teachers for careers advice. **It is my teachers who/It is my teachers that/It's my teachers who/It's my teachers that** I would ask for careers advice.

What we understood **was that** the play started at eight o'clock.

What he decided was to take a gap year.

It was late when we got home.

UNIT 09, VOCABULARY, EDUCATION: PHRASAL VERBS 1

I can't wait to **break up** for Christmas. I need a holiday!

I was sick last week and **need to catch up on what I missed.**

Martin's not enjoying his university course. He's thinking of ~~breaking up~~ **dropping out** and looking for a job.

Fran's struggling in English. He needs to put in extra effort to make sure he doesn't **fall behind** the rest of the class.

You just need to **get through the next few weeks.** Then you'll have all summer to relax.

Can we meet after school to **go over** the topics from today's biology class? I'm not sure I understood a lot of it.

If you don't **get hand/give** in your assignment before the end of the week, you'll fail automatically.

I've just bought this guidebook. Shall we **read up on** what we can do on our trip?

I missed the last two episodes. I need to **catch up** before tonight's season finale.

[Picture of children running excitedly out of school:] **break up**

UNIT 09, VOCABULARY, EDUCATION: PHRASAL VERBS 2

If you **drop out of** school now, you'll regret it for the rest of your life.

You should ask your teachers for extra support if you're **falling behind in class.**

I need to **get through** a lot of work today, so I'm going to work from home.

When are you **breaking up** for summer? I thought it was last week.

When you finish your essay, **go over it again to see** if there are any spelling mistakes.

If you fail to do something fast enough or on time, you **fall behind.**

Clara started a new school half-way through the year and has found it difficult to **catch up** on everything she missed.

Please **read up** on the effects of climate change for the next lesson.

It's hard when you haven't slept much, but you just need to **get through** the day.

[Picture of a student passing a paper to his teacher:] **hand in**

UNIT 09, VOCABULARY, EDUCATION: VERB AND NOUN COLLOCATIONS 1

You should read this book about globalisation. You really gain **an insight into how big corporations operate/an understanding of how big corporations operate.**

You should apply for that job. You **fulfil** all the requirements.

I'm going to ~~set~~ **pay** a visit to my nan. I haven't seen her in a while.

Our teacher has **set** us so much homework. I feel quite overwhelmed!

Don't **forget to submit your assignments** by the end of the week.

The advantage of doing an internship is that, despite not getting paid, you **gain valuable experience.**

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Iñaki is close to fulfilling his ~~achievement~~ **dream/ambition/goal** of becoming a vet. He just needs to pass his exams next month.

Emma has been given a scholarship to study Classics at Cambridge University, so she doesn't have to pay any **fees**.

Juan always sets such high **standards** for his employees. They find it difficult to meet them sometimes.

[Picture of a person handing an application over a desk:] **submit an application**

UNIT 09, VOCABULARY, EDUCATION: VERB AND NOUN COLLOCATIONS 2

This analysis will help us **gain** an insight into how climate change is changing the planet.

Maybe one day I'll be able to **fulfil** my ambition of running my own business.

Have you **set** yourself any goals for this year?

When you apply for a business loan, you need to **submit** a proposal to the bank.

Sean is a bright student, but **he needs to pay attention** in class.

The housing developers submitted their building **plans** to the local council.

By studying this course, you'll gain an **understanding** of how Europe changed during the 20th century.

[Picture of a person paying for parking:] **pay a fee**

You should check that you fulfil the entry **requirements** before submitting your application.

Do you set **high standards for yourself/goals for yourself**?

UNIT 10

UNIT 10, VOCABULARY, PUNISHMENT FOR CRIME 1

Given all the evidence, the jury will most likely **find** him guilty of theft.

In some countries, the authorities can **issue you with a fine for dropping litter**.

I had a nightmare that the police ~~sentenced~~ **charged** me with a crime I didn't commit.

My uncle had to pay **damages** to the person whose car he drove into.

The **police arrested a man on suspicion of** burglary.

The judge had no option but to **sentence** her to three years in prison.

He told his lawyer he had decided to **plead not guilty to the crime**.

After a long investigation, they finally had enough evidence to ~~plead~~ **prosecute** him for his crimes.

I've just **reported** our neighbours to the police for having loud house parties every night.

[Picture of a man who has found a parking ticket on his car:] **issued with a fine**

UNIT 10, VOCABULARY, PUNISHMENT FOR CRIME 2

As he had parked in a restricted zone, the traffic warden issued him with a **fine**.

In court, the defendant was **found guilty of the offence**.

The criminal was allowed to pay **damages** to his victim instead of serving a term in prison.

Having lied to the police, he was **charged with** obstructing the investigation.

If found guilty, he could be **sentenced to ten years in prison**.

When they found the stolen goods in her house, the police arrested her **on suspicion of** theft.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

In some cases, if a person **pleads** guilty in court, they usually receive a shorter prison sentence.

If you try to prove that a person accused of committing a crime is guilty, you **prosecute them**.

The shop assistant saw the thief on the security camera and **reported** him to the police.

[Picture of a person in handcuffs being escorted away by police:] **arrested**

UNIT 10, GRAMMAR, INVERSION 1

Little did I know that my phone had been taken from my bag.

No way would I ever steal from a shop.

Not until I got to the airport **did I remember** I'd left my passport on the table.

Not once did she ask me how I was during our conversation.

Only by practising will you get better.

Not for one moment did I think that Julio had taken the money.

Under no circumstances should you lie to your parents.

Rarely have I ever been so embarrassed.

Not only did he receive a fine, but he was also banned from driving for a year.

Never in my life have I heard such bad language!

UNIT 10, GRAMMAR, INVERSION 2

No way would I ever lie to you!

~~Never I have seen~~ **have I seen** so much food!

Not once **did she complain**, despite the awful service.

Under no circumstances should you run by the swimming pool.

Not only were you late to class, but you also hadn't done your homework.

Not for one moment did I imagine that I'd be able to sing in front of so many people.

~~Never~~ **Little** did I know how things would turn out.

Not until he saw his mum's face **did he understand how much he'd upset her**.

Only when you're older will you understand how short life is.

~~Little~~ **Rarely/Seldom** do I eat meat.

UNIT 10, GRAMMAR, INVERSION 3

Never have I been so bored!/Rarely have I been so bored!

There's no way I'm going to sing in front of the entire school. **No way am I going to** sing in front of the entire school!

Rarely do people arrive on time for a party.

Under no circumstances should you check your phone while you're driving.

Not until I have enough money to go travelling **will I stop** working extra hours.

Not once did I think I'd failed the exam./Not for one moment did I think I'd failed the exam.

Pete got home late. Also, he didn't call to tell us where he was. Not only **did Pete get home late**, he **also didn't call/didn't call/also hadn't called/hadn't called/also did not call/did not call/also had not called/had not called** to tell us where he was.

Not for one moment **did I doubt** her story.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Little did I realise that I was about to see one of the greatest films of all time.

Only when you've finished your homework can you go out and play.

UNIT 10, VOCABULARY, CRIME AND PUNISHMENT: COLLOCATIONS 1

Some people argue that first-time offenders should do **community** service, instead of going to jail.

Do you think that all criminals should be issued with a jail **sentence**?

There is ~~ordered~~ **organised** crime, such as people trafficking and illegal drugs, in most big cities.

Some people think that criminals who commit violent crimes shouldn't be given a **light** sentence but should stay in prison for years.

People who commit a minor offence, such as vandalism, are often teenagers who are rebelling.

A crime that is not considered serious when compared with some other crimes is **petty crime**.

It could be argued that receiving a light ~~service~~ **punishment**, such as a fine, isn't going to discourage someone from offending again.

If jail sentences worked, there wouldn't be so many **repeat** offenders who commit the same crime again as soon as they are released from prison.

Petty theft is **the crime of stealing something that does not have a high value**.

[Picture of people in high-visibility vests picking up litter in a park:] **community service**

UNIT 10, VOCABULARY, CRIME AND PUNISHMENT: COLLOCATIONS 2

Organised crime is a serious problem in today's society.

Criminals whose crime was not serious enough for them to be put in prison are sometimes ordered to do **community service**.

Criminals who commit a more serious crime are given longer jail **sentences**.

Vandalism, petty theft and trespassing are all examples of **minor offences**.

My cousin received a **light sentence of three months in prison** for stealing a car.

A person who commits the same type of crime more than once is known as a **repeat offender**.

Shoplifting is often considered a **petty crime**, and offenders don't usually receive a jail sentence.

[Picture of a person in prison uniform sat in a cell:] **jail sentence**

My brother was caught graffitiing a train. He was lucky that he only received a light **punishment** – he had to pay a fine.

Some people who commit petty **theft**, such as stealing food from supermarkets, do it because they have no other choice.

UNIT 10, VOCABULARY, CRIME: SUFFIXES 1

Someone who illegally enters buildings and steals things is a **burglar**.

Nelson Mandela was **imprisoned** for 27 years before he was released.

Do you think ~~vandaling~~ **vandalism** is a crime or a type of artistic expression?

This programme contains language that some people might find **offensive**.

The shoplifter was ordered to do **community service** by the judge.

Do you think that drugs should be **decriminalised**?

Somebody who studies crimes and criminals is a ~~criminalologist~~ **criminologist**.

The man **stole** a valuable necklace from the shop.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

People who commit animal **cruelty** should be given jail sentences, in my opinion.

Burglars are criminals who commit **burglary**.

UNIT 10, VOCABULARY, CRIME: SUFFIXES 2

The **prisoner** asked to speak to his lawyer.

Someone has **vandalised** the library. They broke some windows and threw paint on the door.

Young **offenders** often have a difficult time at home.

People often **shoplift** in groups.

Do you think more **money should be spent on** rehabilitating **criminals**?

Children can be very **cruel** to each other.

He was sentenced to three years' **imprisonment**.

A person who steals is a **thief**.

Shoplifting is a type of **theft**.

If you make something illegal, you **criminalise it**.

UNIT 11

UNIT 11, VOCABULARY, DESCRIBING FOOD 1

This chocolate cake is far too **rich** for me. They must have used a lot of butter.

Watermelons aren't **in** season, I'm afraid, so we don't have any at the moment.

Supermarkets are so dominant these days that it's hard to find fresh, local ~~ready-meals~~ **produce**.

A meal that is quick and easy, although usually unhealthy, is known as **junk food**.

The food at that **restaurant was so bland**. It didn't taste of anything.

I know that fish and chips is really **fatty**, but I still love it.

You should eat foods that are **high** in protein after a long run, like chicken or beef.

It's surprising how many everyday foods contain ~~preservation~~ **preservatives**, which stop food from decaying.

If food is organic, it **hasn't been grown or produced using artificial chemicals**.

[Picture of a person putting a prepared and portioned meal into a microwave:] **ready meal**

UNIT 11, VOCABULARY, DESCRIBING FOOD 2

I don't have time to cook tonight so I'm just going to put **a ready meal** in the microwave.

If fruit and vegetables are being produced in the area and are available and ready to eat, they are **in season**.

If a food contains a lot of butter, cream, eggs or oil, it is **rich**.

Most junk food is very **fatty** as it's been cooked in a lot of oil.

Many 'healthy' foods that claim to be **low in** fat, such as salad dressing, are **often high in** sugar.

Foods that **contain preservatives** can cause allergic reactions in some people.

This soup tastes a little **bland**. Perhaps add some salt to give it some flavour.

Food that is grown or obtained through conventional farming is called **produce**.

Organic food is healthier and better for the environment, although it's often more expensive than conventionally grown food.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

[Picture of chicken nuggets and chips:] **junk food**

UNIT 11, GRAMMAR, THE PASSIVE 1

Your parcel will **be delivered** between 3 and 5 pm.

Miguel and Olga **got married last year**.

We're not **going to be allowed** into the theatre if we don't arrive on time.

The suspect **is being interviewed by** the police.

We were **being served** our meals when the lights went out.

The man who went missing still hasn't been found.

They were too late – all of the tickets **had already been** sold.

All of our food is bought from local suppliers.

Our flight was delayed, so we had to wait in the airport for hours.

The chef **must be informed** of any allergies that customers have.

UNIT 11, GRAMMAR, THE PASSIVE 2

Esme finally **got promoted**. She's been working there for years.

You will be told which class you are in tomorrow./You're going to be told which class you are in tomorrow.

The files **are being uploaded**. They should be in the folder shortly.

Elsie's **going to be made captain** of the team, I just know it.

Little did they know that, at that very moment, all of their information was stealing **being stolen** by cybercriminals.

The library **has been vandalised**. Who would do such a thing?

My car had only just ~~was fixed~~ **been fixed** when I crashed it into a tree.

The house was painted last year.

Her videos **are watched by millions of people** all over the world.

Here's your receipt. Your order **should be ready** by next week.

UNIT 11, GRAMMAR, THE PASSIVE 3

Why is the Amazon rainforest **being destroyed**?

The storm destroyed the boat. **The boat was destroyed** by the storm.

The best cars **are manufactured** in Japan.

Unfortunately, **the train had already left** by the time we arrived.

The surgeon has just operated on my aunt. My aunt **has just been operated on/'s just been operated on**.

Let's shout for help. **Someone might hear us.**

The waiters will serve dinner shortly. **Dinner will be served shortly/Dinner will shortly be served.**

Tom's got a new job. Apparently, he's going **to get paid more/to be paid more**.

My bike got stolen the other day. I only left it outside for ten minutes.

He was being shown around the building when the alarm went off.

UNIT 11, VOCABULARY, DESCRIBING FOOD: COLLOCATIONS 1

The Michelin-starred restaurant is well-known for only serving locally **sourced** produce.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Our locally sourced fish is **pan-fried** in a little butter and served with vegetables.

The ~~slow-fried~~ **roasted** lamb is supposed to be delicious.

If eggs are free-range, they have come from chickens that **are not kept in cages**.

The hotel **serves freshly baked bread** every morning at breakfast.

We have a range of **homemade** cakes for dessert.

Do you have any ~~glutenless~~ **gluten-free/gluten free** options? I have an intolerance to wheat.

Free-**range** chickens produce better, more nutritious eggs.

Vegetables that have been left in the sun so that their flavour becomes stronger are **sun-dried**.

[Picture of chicken thighs being fried in a pan:] **pan-fried**

UNIT 11, VOCABULARY, DESCRIBING FOOD: COLLOCATIONS 2

My favourite restaurant serves a **slow-roasted** leg of lamb on Sundays.

If food doesn't contain gluten, it is **gluten-free**.

Excuse me, have you got any **sun-dried** tomatoes?

Come in and try our freshly **baked** cookies.

Shops and restaurants that buy **locally sourced produce** help **the local economy**.

Meat from **free-range** chickens is lower in fat and higher in protein than meat from factory-farmed birds.

This homemade bread recipe is great for beginners.

Do you prefer baked or **pan-fried** salmon?

These organic **sun-dried** tomatoes are expensive – look at the price.

[Picture of a sheet of vegetables being taken out of an oven:] **slow-roasted**

UNIT 11, VOCABULARY, FOOD AND DRINK: EXPRESSIONS 1

I have a sweet tooth.

My dentist told me that I need to **go easy** on fizzy drinks for a while as they're bad for my teeth.

I'll pour you some coffee ... say ~~stop~~ **when**!

There's no need to wait for me – your food will get cold. Please, **tuck in**!

I'm so hungry, **I could eat a horse**!

When you want to split the bill equally with someone, you say **let's go halves**.

I knew you wouldn't be able to finish that cake. Your eyes are ~~fatter~~ **bigger** than your stomach!

It was my birthday so our waiter gave us our desserts for free – **on the house**!

I haven't eaten all day. I could eat **a horse**.

[Picture of people splitting a bill at a restaurant:] **Let's go halves.**

UNIT 11, VOCABULARY, FOOD AND DRINK: EXPRESSIONS 2

I'll pour some cream on your dessert. Please, say **when**!

If you want someone to start eating their food, you can say **tuck in**.

If you like sugary foods, you have a **sweet tooth**.

Are you sure you want to order all that food? I think your **eyes are** bigger than your stomach.

I don't like food too spicy, so please **go easy on the chillies**.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

I'm not going to let you pay for the whole meal. Let's **go halves!**

We're sorry for the delay with your meals. Please accept these drinks – on **the house**.

If you are absolutely starving, you **could eat a horse**.

Gabriel has a real sweet **tooth**. He loves anything with chocolate in it.

[Picture of a man with an empty plate angrily holding a knife and fork:] **He could eat a horse**.

UNIT 12

UNIT 12, VOCABULARY, TRAVEL 1

I think we're just going to have a **staycation** this year. We can't really afford to go abroad.

Please can you remember to print out the **itinerary** for the trip?

It's awful when tourists don't **wash clean/clear** up after themselves and leave their rubbish everywhere.

Money paid to the government when you stay in holiday accommodation is called **tourism tax**.

Can all **passengers bound for** Sicily please **go** to their **gate**?

How close is your country to being completely carbon **neutral**?

Tourism in this small area isn't **sustainable** – the wildlife is disappearing and the sea is becoming heavily polluted.

When you fly somewhere, do you usually pay extra to **clean offset** your carbon footprint?

We don't want to go to any of the major cities; we're looking for somewhere **off the beaten track**.

[Picture of a family serving themselves food:] **self-catering**

UNIT 12, VOCABULARY, TRAVEL 2

We've found a beautiful hotel which is in the middle of nowhere – it's completely **off the beaten track**.

A holiday that you take at home or near your home is a **staycation**.

On holiday, if we don't follow my dad's list of things to see, he gets annoyed. On holiday, if we don't follow my dad's **itinerary**, he gets annoyed.

Do you think that all tourists should be made to pay a **tourism tax**, to give back to the local area?

By offsetting your carbon footprint, you compensate for your CO2 emissions by funding CO2 savings elsewhere.

I accidentally got on a train bound **for** France! I had to apologise and asked to be let off.

Do you think Europe will be completely carbon **neutral** by 2050?

If something is sustainable, it is able to continue for a long time because **it doesn't cause environmental damage**.

I can't be bothered to prepare my own meals on holiday, so I never choose **self-catering** accommodation.

{picture of a woman picking up litter on a beach:} **clean up**

UNIT 12, GRAMMAR, PASSIVE GERUND AND INFINITIVE; PASSIVE STRUCTURES WITH TWO OBJECTS 1

We were disappointed **to be told** that the restaurant was closed.

Are you looking forward **to being spoilt on your birthday**?

They somehow managed **to get** upgraded to first class.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Do you think all tourists **should be made to pay** a tourism tax?

Being shown around the palace by an official guide was a real highlight.

My little brother hates **being told** what to do.

The travel agency is offering a free holiday to the competition winner. **A free holiday is being offered to the competition winner.**

We were **lucky enough to be shown** all the famous sites by our hosts.

Mark gave the keys to Sam. **Sam was given the keys by Mark.**

We were quite angry about **not being given** complimentary food, despite the five-hour delay.

UNIT 12, GRAMMAR, PASSIVE GERUND AND INFINITIVE; PASSIVE STRUCTURES WITH TWO OBJECTS 2

My package might **be delivered** tomorrow. Are you going to be home?

After falling off his bike, **Sam asked to be taken to hospital.**

Being taken seriously was the one thing he wanted more than anything else.

The lawyer **insisted on being shown the police** evidence.

We were astonished **to be told that we had the winning ticket.**

If you don't do your homework, you risk **being given** detention by your teacher.

The referee gave the player a warning. **A warning** was given **to the player** by the referee.

All letters of application must **be** submitted by the end of the month.

The tourists **complained** as they had **expected to be treated better.**

The criminal paid damages to the victim. **The victim was paid damages** by the criminal.

UNIT 12, GRAMMAR, PASSIVE GERUND AND INFINITIVE; PASSIVE STRUCTURES WITH TWO OBJECTS 3

Although he was sick, he enjoyed **being taken care of for a few days.**

Petra's dad gave her a bike for her birthday. For her birthday, **Petra** was given **a bike by her dad.**

We'd expected **to be picked up** from the airport, but no one came.

Being recognized wherever he went, the singer started to feel overwhelmed.

Jordi's manager gave him a pay rise for all his hard work. **A pay rise was given to Jordi** for all his hard work.

One of the things I'm proudest of is **being awarded a scholarship to study at university.**

I know you don't think the interview went well, but you never know. You might still **be offered/get offered** the job.

I insist on **being** told who vandalised the gym.

As he was off sick that day, Marcos **avoided being asked to work** extra hours.

Do you think it's possible for a boss **to be liked, as well as respected?**

UNIT 12, VOCABULARY, FORMAL AND INFORMAL LANGUAGE; FORMAL AND INFORMAL WAYS OF EXPRESSING QUANTITY 1

Not much is known of the origins of the ancient site. It is thought to have been **constructed** around the 5th century AD.

That car salesman seems a bit **dodgy**. I wouldn't buy anything from him.

Can you cover your nose when you sneeze? I don't want to pick up all your ~~viruses~~ **bugs**.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

informal: **buy/pick/mate**

formal: **purchase/select/friend**

My mum's not going to **let** me go to the cinema if I don't finish my homework.

Come on, let's hurry! The lesson **starts** in 15 minutes.

All books must be ~~given back~~ **returned** to the library by the agreed upon date. Fines will be issued for each book that is late.

Any member of staff who wishes to **resign** must write a formal letter and send it to Human Resources.

In the Animal Kingdom, there are **numerous examples of relationships in which both organisms benefit**.

The CEO **expressed** her appreciation for all her employees' hard work.

UNIT 12, VOCABULARY, FORMAL AND INFORMAL LANGUAGE; FORMAL AND INFORMAL WAYS OF EXPRESSING QUANTITY 2

According to scientists, these remote islands are ~~lived on~~ **inhabited** only by birds.

Oh no – I'm probably going to get a fine! I didn't realise cars **couldn't come into the city centre/weren't allowed in the city centre**.

The Police Commissioner released a statement in which she confirmed that the accusations against the politician were being **investigated**.

The law does not **permit** the use of cameras inside the court.

formal: **virus/child/incorrect/illustrate**

informal: **bug/kid/wrong/show**

You can't be bored! There are **loads of** things you could be doing.

All **children** must be accompanied by an adult.

The passengers were informed that a first-class ticket would be ~~loads more~~ **considerably** more expensive.

Passengers are advised that tickets must be **purchased** prior to a journey. Failure to do so will result in a fine.

Oh no – I can't believe I got that question **wrong**!

UNIT 13

UNIT 13, VOCABULARY, COMMUNICATION: PHRASAL VERBS 1

I need to **brush up on** my Italian before we go to Rome next month.

I'm glad my flatmate **talked me into** going for a run this morning. I feel much better now.

A man ~~went~~ **came** up to me in the supermarket and said we went to college together, but I honestly don't remember him.

What were you getting at when you said I'm too relaxed?

We need to **catch up on** all the **latest news**. Shall we meet for a coffee later?

When I was told that I was going to lose my job, I couldn't **take it in** at first – I think I was in shock.

I was going to confront my neighbour, but then my sister **talked me out of** it. She said it wasn't worth it.

Max ~~brushed~~ **burst** out laughing when he heard Harry's joke.

If you have enough of something to live or deal with a situation, you have enough to **get by**.

Daisy wouldn't stop **going on about** her new **fitness programme**. It was so boring to listen to.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

UNIT 13, VOCABULARY, COMMUNICATION: PHRASAL VERBS 2

Has anyone ever **come up to you** in the street and asked you for money?

If you get at something, you attempt to say something **in a way that's not clear**.

Stop trying to **talk me into** doing your homework for you! You need to do it yourself.

I think I'm ready for the exam, but I need to **brush up on** the Napoleonic Wars this weekend.

There was a lot of information in that lecture. I found it **hard to take it all in**.

Let's **catch up** this weekend. I want to hear all your latest news.

Susie has been trying to **talk me out of** climbing Everest. I know it's dangerous, but it's something I've always wanted to do.

I can't believe Kevin has dyed his hair red. **I burst out laughing when I saw him**.

Please stop **going on about** the news. It's stressing me out and I don't want to hear about it.

I think I know enough French to **get by when we go to** Paris next month.

UNIT 13, GRAMMAR, CAUSATIVES 1

We had to get the hotel manager **to slow down** when he was speaking.

I'm having my house painted next week.

Susie's going **to get** her hair cut tomorrow.

Their teacher must have **let them leave class early** today.

Why don't you have someone **come** and do the garden?

You can't make him **go** to the party if he doesn't want to.

I can't be bothered cooking. **Let's get some food delivered**.

Why don't you **get** Marcel **to pick up** some ice on the way home?

That service was awful. **I hope you made them give you your money back**.

Why don't you **let me** get these drinks? You paid last time.

UNIT 13, GRAMMAR, CAUSATIVES 2

My laptop is broken. I'm **having it repaired** at the shop on the high street.

My friend's dad is a university professor. I wonder if I can **get him to check my application**.

I can't find my phone. Will you have your friends **look for it** please?

My teacher said my homework wasn't good enough and **made me do it again**.

Please will you ~~make~~ **let** me paint the shed for you? I don't know why you insist on paying someone to do it.

Our new maths teacher **makes us** turn off our phones at the start of every class. It's so annoying.

This meal is cold! I'm going to **have the waiter heat it up**.

I had my fortune read the other day. Apparently, I'm going to be massively successful.

I'm getting my eyes tested later. I hope I don't need new glasses.

I can't believe you finally managed to get David ~~his room tidy~~ **to tidy his room**.

UNIT 13, GRAMMAR, CAUSATIVES 3

The best thing about the app is that it **lets you see how many calories you've burned**.

I'm **having/getting** a package delivered to the house tomorrow. Are you going to be home?

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Can't you get a plumber **to come** and fix the sink?

I'm **having** my brother **bring me some turrón** back from Spain. Do you want anything?

Instead of being sent to jail, they were **made to do** community service by the judge.

We're having a family photo taken this weekend.

I'm going to **get the car washed/have the car washed** at the garage in town.

Your room number is 304. I'll have someone **bring your bags** up to you immediately.

Let me drive you to the airport. The train is a nightmare.

I don't think Peter enjoyed his first day at his new school. His teacher **made him stand** in front of the entire class and introduce himself.

UNIT 13, VOCABULARY, ADVERBS 1

The prime minister gave a press conference to **publicly** apologise for the unemployment crisis.

There are two areas which I need to improve, **namely** my range of vocabulary and essay writing.

I was ~~poorly~~ **massively** disappointed to learn that I hadn't been offered a place at my first-choice university.

Michael is a bright student, but always seems to **perform poorly in tests**.

You should do the experiment in your groups, **but the report needs to be done individually**.

After being **repeatedly** warned to stop talking in the library, Danilo was finally thrown out by the librarian.

My uncle told me a ~~incredibly~~ **supposedly** true story about working as a translator for Pedro Almodóvar, but I don't believe a word of it.

The car crashed at a speed of over 200 kilometres per hour. **Incredibly**, the driver only received minor injuries.

Technically, you can learn a language in a year./You can technically learn a language in a year. But you'd need to focus on it entirely and probably move to a country where it's spoken.

Lily is the youngest child. She and James **are ten and twelve respectively**.

UNIT 13, VOCABULARY, ADVERBS 2

The politicians **comprehensively** rejected the government's proposal to increase university fees.

My sister only eats meat when she absolutely has to. **She's effectively a vegetarian**.

The college was **publicly** criticised on the students Facebook page for not having facilities for disabled people.

George and Emma are both going to university next month. They're studying French and engineering **respectively**.

I can't believe that your friend Paul has **become a massively successful musician**. I remember him when he was just a small boy.

Patricio has **supposedly** been studying all morning, but I heard him on the phone for about two hours.

You're **technically** not allowed in here, but I'll let you stay if you just want to study.

My team played **poorly** today and lost easily.

Maria never gave up, despite being **repeatedly told that she wasn't good enough**.

I learned an important lesson this year, **namely that you need to work** hard for everything in life.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

UNIT 14

UNIT 14, VOCABULARY, SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING 1

Some influencers on social media have millions of **followers**.

Despite being relegated to the third division, the football club's loyal **fanbase** continues to go to their games every week.

Lots of companies use TV shows and movies to market their ~~productions~~ **products** through product placement.

If a company targets a group of people, it **directs advertising at them**.

Carolina's new job has **really boosted her confidence**. I've never seen her so self-assured.

Lots of movies and TV shows nowadays contain **product placement**. Companies effectively pay them to advertise their products.

The management made no effort to **engage with** their employees. As a result, motivation in the company was low.

Lots of young people look up to sportspeople nowadays and try to ~~sponsor~~ **emulate** their determination and self-discipline.

Don't you think it's ironic that MacDonald's **used to sponsor the Olympic Games**?

[Picture of expensive-looking handbags and purses:] **designer goods**

UNIT 14, VOCABULARY, SOCIAL MEDIA MARKETING 2

The advert for the car is specifically **targeted** at families.

I've now got 100 followers on Twitter!

The singer lost a big chunk of her **fanbase** when she said she didn't believe in climate change.

We need to think of an innovative way to **market** this product. What sets it apart from other similar products?

Lara spends **so much money on designer goods**. She's always wearing Gucci and Prada – I don't know how she affords it.

A victory today would really **boost** their chances of winning the league.

Did you see that Pepsi bottle in the middle of the movie?! It was such obvious **product placement**.

If you engage with someone, you **become involved with them**.

Young people today shouldn't try to **emulate** celebrities. I don't think they're good role models.

Many football teams have their **sponsors** on the front of their jerseys.

UNIT 14, GRAMMAR, REPORTED SPEECH 1

David: I'll meet you after class. David said that he **would** meet me after class, but I think he's gone home.

Susana: I would have left earlier if I'd noticed the time. Susana said that she **would have left earlier if she had noticed the time**.

Jaime **promised to** be here on time. I wonder where he is.

Katie **admitted stealing the jacket** from the shop.

Jennifer: You sing beautifully. **Jennifer said that I sing beautifully**. I might look for a choir to join.

It has been claimed that humans increasingly believe what they read without question.

My teacher: You can have an extension on your homework. Last week, my teacher said that **I could have an extension on my homework**.

My parents **warned** me not to ride my bike at night.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

My brother: I've accepted a place at the University of Cambridge. My brother's just told me that **he's accepted a place at the University of Cambridge**.

Juan **announced that** he and his wife **were going to** become parents next year.

UNIT 14, GRAMMAR, REPORTED SPEECH 2

My friend last week: Diego has arrived late for college three times this week. I've been told that you **arrived** late for college three times last week.

Felipe: I'll let you know if I can make it to the cinema tomorrow. Yesterday, Felipe said that he **would let me know if he could make it to the cinema**.

My sister: I can't solve this puzzle. Can you help me? My sister said that she **couldn't** solve that puzzle and asked if I **could** help her. We managed to do it in the end.

It has been suggested that most people would like to reduce the amount of time they spend at their laptop.

Roberto: I've lost my phone. I have no idea where it is. Roberto said that he **had lost/'d lost** his phone and that he **had** no idea where it was.

The audience **persuaded** the band to come back on stage and play another song.

My parents suggested visiting different universities before applying.

It is assumed that most people will drive electric cars by 2050.

June: I'm going to go travelling next year. June **told me that she is going** to go travelling next year.

Lucy: Why don't you come round for dinner? **Lucy invited me to come round for dinner.**

UNIT 14, GRAMMAR, REPORTED SPEECH 3

Marta denied using her sister's computer. Marta suggested using her sister's computer.

Scientists say that Indonesia will be one of the countries worst affected by climate change. **It has been said that/It is said that/It's been said that/It's said that** Indonesia will be one of the countries worst affected by climate change.

My dad: You shouldn't trust everything you see on TV. My dad advised me **not to trust** everything I see on TV.

Stefan: Which universities are you applying to? Stefan **asked me which universities I was applying to**.

Mum: I'm sick and tired of all the traffic on this road. Mum **complained** that she was sick and tired of all the traffic on that road.

Luis: I didn't realise how steep this hill was! **Luis told me that he hadn't realised how steep that hill was.**

Most people think that there is too much pollution in cities. **It is assumed/It's assumed** that there is too much pollution in cities.

My boss **reminded** me that I have to attend the sales conference next month.

It is widely believed that junk food is bad for your health.

Elena: I plan to read your email as soon I get home. Elena said that she **planned** to read my email as soon as she **got** home, but she still hasn't replied.

UNIT 14, VOCABULARY, NEGATIVE PREFIXES 1

If you're so tired of Twitter, why don't you **deactivate** your account?

Please don't throw your rubbish on the floor. It's **disrespectful**.

If someone is ~~unliterate~~ **illiterate**, it means they can't read or write.

My new boss seems quite cold and **impersonal**. Although maybe he's just shy.

I'm sorry, sir, but you have **insufficient funds in your account**.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

He ~~unresponsibly~~ **irresponsibly** decided to leave his car in the disabled parking space.

I can't **undo** this knot. Could you help me please?

Please stop **misbehaving**! Or I'll send you to the principal's office.

It's nonsensical to think that the world is made up of good guys and bad guys.

Young people who engage in **antisocial** behaviour often end up in trouble with the police.

UNIT 14, VOCABULARY, NEGATIVE PREFIXES 2

He **dishonestly** claimed that he had been at home all day.

I'm reading a really interesting book which **deconstructs global economics**.

It's **illegal** to drive and use your phone at the same time.

I don't think it's a good idea to have role models as we, human beings, are all **imperfect**.

If you cannot return a product after it's been bought, it means that it's **non-refundable**.

Your **inability** to hand your homework in on time means you'll probably fail the course.

When they are under pressure, people often behave **irrationally**.

The politician admitted that he deliberately ~~unled~~ **misled** parliament and has since resigned.

Sandra's doing an apprenticeship at an advertising company. **It's unpaid, but the experience is invaluable.**

You're turning the screw the wrong way. You need to go **anticlockwise**.

UNIT 14, VOCABULARY, SUFFIXES -FUL AND -LESS 1

The residents could only watch **helplessly** as the water entered their homes.

Thanks for calling to see if I was ok. That's really **thoughtful** of you.

She ~~successfully~~ **unsuccessfully** tried to save her business. Despite her best efforts, it went bankrupt by the end of the year.

The negotiations were fruitless in the end, as the two parties failed to reach an agreement.

Swans move so **gracefully across the water**.

Millions of children would love to get a bike for their birthday – **don't be so ungrateful!**

You're being really ~~helpless~~ **unhelpful**. Please can you get off the sofa and set the table?

Don't ask me to help you – I'm **useless** at physics.

Ricardo **is such a skilful artist**. Look at this amazing painting of his.

There was nothing they could do to stop the vandals destroying their village. They felt completely ~~unpowerful~~ **powerless**.

UNIT 14, VOCABULARY, SUFFIXES -FUL AND -LESS 2

There's nothing they can do to stop the construction of the new shopping centre in their town. They feel completely **hopeless**.

Thanks for bringing in the plates. **That's really helpful**.

That match was pretty **uneventful**. I can't remember anything of interest happening.

Guadalupe **thoughtlessly** made a comment about Jim's weight during lunch.

In Japan, **it's disrespectful to point at people**.

I thought the way the police spoke to those children was **shameful**. They should really take a long, hard look at themselves.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Companies are often **untruthful** when telling the public what is in their products.

The politician **respectfully** declined to answer the journalist's questions.

The old **man gratefully accepted the chair** that the girl had offered him.

Bea **shamelessly** asked for a pay rise, despite only having worked there for a week!

UNIT 15

UNIT 15, VOCABULARY, WILDLIFE CONSERVATION 1

Habitat **loss** is a great threat to many species; humans continue to destroy areas of nature in order to build roads and houses.

The conservation group were focusing on protecting an area of **woodland** which was home to many plants and animal species.

There's not much in the northern part of the region – it's a vast, empty **woodland wilderness**.

If a species is in clear and immediate danger of not existing anymore, it is **on the verge of extinction**.

The whale shark is an **endangered species** that has a **rapidly declining population**.

Elephants in the wild are under constant threat from **poaching**. People hunt them illegally and sell their ivory tusks.

Much of Alaska is **wilderness**. There's nothing for hundreds of kilometres except mountains and snow.

The disappearance of natural environments that are home to particular plants and animals is called natural **environment habitat loss**.

When the members of a species are becoming fewer in number, it is experiencing a **declining population**.

[Picture of a father and two children walking in the woods toward a log cabin:] **woodland**

UNIT 15, VOCABULARY, WILDLIFE CONSERVATION 2

There are fewer than 500 Iberian lynxes in existence. They are on the **verge** of extinction.

Poaching is the act of **catching and killing animals without permission on somebody else's land**.

An area of land on which many trees grow is called **woodland**.

One of the main causes of **habitat loss** is deforestation. Forests are cut down in order to make room for farms or to use the wood in manufacturing.

The Javan rhinoceros is **on the verge of extinction**. There are fewer than 60 left.

I was lucky that I grew up next to lots of **woodland**. I was always climbing trees!

In my opinion, the people who carry out **poaching** should be punished with long jail sentences. There's no excuse for illegally hunting animals.

An area of land that is neglected or difficult to live and farm on as a result of its extreme weather or bad earth is called **wilderness**.

Someone who carries out poaching is called a **poacher**.

{Picture of a vast, empty landscape with mountains in the background:] **wilderness**

UNIT 15, GRAMMAR, RELATIVE CLAUSES 1

Greta Thunberg is an activist **who** encourages governments to reduce their reliance on non-renewable energy sources.

I grew up in a house that had a big garden.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

I went for a swim in the lake, **which** was bitterly cold.

That **restaurant where we went** for my birthday has closed down.

My friend Max, who lives down the road, is going to Japan tomorrow.

Deforestation is an issue **about which** we should all be concerned.

That's the man whose dog jumped on me. **defining relative clause**

I've got an app **which** shows you what you'll look like when you're old.

The people with whom I work every day are highly committed.

And that's the reason **why** I wanted to become a doctor.

UNIT 15, GRAMMAR, RELATIVE CLAUSES 2

Christmas is a time of year **when** everyone comes together.

My grandpa, who is almost 90, still walks everywhere. **non-defining relative clause**

The contract was awarded to the Swedish company, **whose** proposal most impressed the directors.

Daniele's mother, **from whom he gets** his good looks, was a model in the 80s.

The TV **that/which** I bought the other day has all the latest features.

That's the man **who** returned my wallet.

Those friends of mine you met last week volunteer for Greenpeace./Those friends of mine that you met last week volunteer for Greenpeace.

The Iberian lynx, **of** which there are dangerously low numbers, need greater protection.

The airline lost my suitcase, **which** I found incredibly annoying.

To whom should I address this letter?/Who should I address this letter to?

UNIT 15, GRAMMAR, RELATIVE CLAUSES 3

Is that the woman that won the lottery?/Is that the woman who won the lottery?

Michelle Obama is a person who I have a lot of respect for. Michelle Obama is a person **for whom I have a lot of respect.**

That's the building **where** Danil supposedly saw a ghost.

My new neighbour, **who is from Scotland**, has moved down here for work.

I've just received an email from my old housemate, **who** I haven't heard from for years.

There are a few house rules **which guests need to be aware of.**

The Indian elephant **whose habitat** is being destroyed by humans is officially recognised as endangered.

The Indian elephant, **whose habitat** is being destroyed **by humans**, is officially recognised as endangered.

The town in which Hannah grew up is by the sea./The town where Hannah grew up is by the sea.

2013 **was the year I moved back** to my home town.

Nick is the person who I worked with in South Korea. Nick is the person **with whom I worked** in South Korea.

UNIT 15, VOCABULARY, ADVERB AND ADJECTIVE COLLOCATIONS 1

It's virtually **impossible** to fully learn a language without moving to a country where it's spoken.

The amount of people coming to live in the city centre is rapidly **increasing**.

These woodlands have been ~~universally~~ **officially** recognised as an area of outstanding natural beauty.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

Although both regions belong to the same country, **they are noticeably different when** it comes to language, culture and geography.

The Northern Lights are a **naturally occurring phenomena that you can see in parts of Scandinavia**.

Unfortunately, the effects of climate change still haven't been **universally** accepted.

The lottery numbers are ~~casually~~ **randomly** selected by an independent panel.

His coach played a vital role in his success. The support and encouragement he got from his family were equally **important**.

According to the latest study, **online crime is rapidly increasing**.

It's **virtually impossible to complete** a marathon without training.

UNIT 15, VOCABULARY, ADVERB AND ADJECTIVE COLLOCATIONS 2

There are 22 **officially recognised** languages in India.

Now that they've built a lot of hotels on it, **the coastline looks noticeably different**.

Cortisol is a naturally **occurring** chemical that is produced by the body when under stress.

It has been **universally accepted** for centuries that the Earth is round.

Her promise to lower taxes was one of the main reasons why she won the election. Her pledge to build **more hospitals was equally important**.

From the fifty volunteers, eight were **randomly** selected to participate in the experiment.

It's virtually impossible to find a new job at the moment. There's nothing out there.

Have you seen that the unemployment rate is **rapidly increasing**? We're lucky to have jobs.

The Amur leopard is **officially recognised as critically endangered by the WWF**.

Max looks **noticeably different** from the last time I saw him. I barely recognised him.

UNIT 15, VOCABULARY, INTENSIFYING ADVERBS 1

It's **highly** unlikely that you'll pass the exam unless you change your attitude immediately.

I was **bitterly** disappointed not to get into my first-choice university.

I found that movie ~~highly~~ **deeply** moving. I was almost crying at the end.

The levels of radiation around Chernobyl are still **dangerously** high.

I need to see a doctor. I **feel seriously unwell**.

Make sure you come fully **prepared** for the hike.

I thought what he was saying was utterly ~~offended~~ **ridiculous**. Never have I heard so much nonsense!

It's **perfectly** normal to feel nervous about your first day at your new job.

The way that websites and social media use your data and personal information **is highly controversial**.

It was ~~utterly~~ **bitterly** cold this morning when I got up. I could barely feel my fingers!

UNIT 15, VOCABULARY, INTENSIFYING ADVERBS 2

The increase in the Earth's temperature is **deeply** concerning.

During the war, the country's water supplies fell to dangerously **low** levels.

Let me make this **perfectly** clear – you're not going anywhere until you've tidied your room.

Paolo fell when he was hiking last week. He was **seriously** injured and taken to hospital in a helicopter.

I'm **fully aware of what I need to do**.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

After working for 16 straight hours in the hospital, she got home **utterly** exhausted.

It's **highly** unusual for a stingray to attack a human. They are peaceful animals.

We found an abandoned dog at the train station. He was dangerously **underweight**.

The government's refusal to commit to using more **renewable energy** was **bitterly disappointing**.

Jumping off that cliff was **utterly** stupid. You could have seriously injured yourself.

UNIT 16

UNIT 16, VOCABULARY, ROLE MODELS 1

Hopefully, this year I'll be able to **fulfil** my ambition of climbing Mont Blanc.

Who do you consider to be one of your **role models**?

I really ~~think~~ **look up to** my grandad. He's faced many challenges in life and has overcome all of them.

I've really enjoyed my job, but now I'm ready to **take** on a new challenge.

In order to get over his breakup, Laurie **threw himself into his work**.

Camila is a really popular teacher. All of her students think **highly** of her.

Nelson Mandela ~~looked~~ **came up** against many challenges during his lifetime.

If you devote yourself to something, you **spend all your time and effort doing it**.

I joined the demonstration because I wanted to help raise awareness **of** how deforestation is killing the planet.

[Picture of a placard/sign saying 'save our planet, stop the warming':] **campaign against**

UNIT 16, VOCABULARY, ROLE MODELS 2

Giovanni has completely devoted **himself to** becoming a professional musician.

Young people nowadays are less likely to choose celebrities as role **models**.

Sarah finally managed to **fulfil** her **ambition** of finishing her first novel.

My older brother throws himself into every aspect of his life. **I really look up to him**.

Mateo has decided he wants to swim the English Channel before the end of the year. He certainly likes **to take on a challenge!**

Carolyn has **thrown herself into** her training. She's getting up at 6 am every morning to do exercise.

The protests were part of the campaign **against** the construction of a new motorway.

Everyone seems to think **highly** of her. But I'm not so sure.

If you want to help people understand more about something, you **raise awareness of it**.

The government's plan **came up against a wave of** opposition from local residents.

UNIT 16, GRAMMAR, PARTICIPLE CLAUSES 1

She ran after the bus, **shouting** at the driver to stop.

They walked out of the restaurant without paying their bill.

Having witnessed the crime, Rachel was keen to talk to the police.

Released in 1972, The Godfather was an immediate success.

The man wearing the red hat is my neighbour.

Entering the building, we realised we'd made a huge mistake.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

I walked home, **wondering where life was going to take me next.**

On discovering that they'd won the lottery, they had a big party to celebrate.

Cycling to work, I realised I'd left my laptop at home.

Wanting a fresh start, he decided to quit his job and move to Berlin.

UNIT 16, GRAMMAR, PARTICIPLE CLAUSES 2

Ramón felt incredibly nervous, **having never been** on a plane before.

Confused by the road signs, they took the wrong turn.

Look at that car **coming** up the road.

Wanting to impress her boyfriend's family, she paid for dinner.

~~Having read~~ **Reading** the paper, he saw a job that was perfect for him.

Sitting in the garden, we heard a loud explosion.

He was full of pride, **having won the race.**

Before leaving the house, please make sure all the windows are closed.

~~Designing~~ **Designed** by Antoni Gaudí, the Sagrada Familia is still unfinished.

Students **failing to complete the assignment** on time will lose 20% of their final mark.

UNIT 16, GRAMMAR, PARTICIPLE CLAUSES 3

Needing another goal, the coach encouraged them to attack.

He found an old photo of his grandad while **cleaning** out the attic.

We couldn't understand what the man was saying, **not being able to speak German.**

Having been found innocent by the jury, the defendant walked out of the court a free man.

Built at the end of the 20th century, this house has been in my family for generations.

The cat jumped onto the table, **knocking all the plates onto the floor.**

The song, originally **written** in the 1930s, has been recorded by many different artists.

Used correctly, participle clauses can make your English more concise.

The fire alarm went off, **causing everyone to panic.**

Realising/On realising/After realising/Upon realising he was late, he started running.

UNIT 16, VOCABULARY, DEPENDENT PREPOSITIONS 1

It is apparent **to** everyone just how incredibly talented Leona is.

You're **capable of** doing whatever you want to in life – you just need to believe in yourself.

For many high-profile actors, having a successful career isn't compatible **to** ~~to~~ **with** having a private life.

Mani's hard work and determination **were integral to his success.**

I was mistaken in thinking that learning a language would be easy.

This area is **notable for** its spectacular landscape.

I'll always be thankful ~~of~~ **for** your support and encouragement.

I was utterly unaware **of** what was happening behind me.

It quickly became apparent to Becky that she was going to miss her flight.

I'm not sure **I'm capable of walking** any further. Let's stop and have a rest.

PREPARE SECOND EDITION LEVEL 8

UNIT 16, VOCABULARY, DEPENDENT PREPOSITIONS 2

Having a demanding job isn't always compatible **with** having a social life.

Tourism is integral to the city's economy.

We're **capable of** playing better in the second half. We just need to focus.

The government was mistaken **in thinking** that the people would accept their plans to cut public spending.

The war **was notable for the amount** of casualties on both sides.

I couldn't be more **thankful for** this opportunity.

They were completely unaware of the fact that they had just been robbed.

It soon became **apparent to** Dave that he'd lost his keys.

The British Museum is notable **for** its collection of artifacts from around the world.

Sadly, we were **mistaken in** believing that Jorge would change his attitude.

UNIT 16, VOCABULARY, PHRASAL PREPOSITIONS 1

Aside **from** a few stressful meetings every now and then, my job is pretty relaxed.

Contrary to what I'd expected, the exam was actually quite easy.

In ~~contrast~~ **common** with a lot of people my age, I'm constantly doing homework.

For this financial year, we're looking at profits **in the region of half a million euros**.

With regard to your request for a loan, I'm pleased to say that you've been successful.

I can't afford to buy new shoes, let **alone** a new car!

Is there anything else you want from the supermarket, ~~except~~ **aside** from junk food?

Milk is bad for cats, **contrary to** popular belief, and should not be given to them.

I wanted, **in common with many teenagers** at that time, to be a rock star.

We're going to have in the ~~regard~~ **region** of two hundred guests at the wedding.

UNIT 16, VOCABULARY, PHRASAL PREPOSITIONS 2

I wouldn't trust him to look after my plant, **let alone my house!**

With regard to the upcoming elections, who do you think will do better than expected?

Contrary to what some people think, most sharks don't actually attack humans.

This week, we're looking at temperatures in the **region** of 35 degrees.

Aside from the obvious benefits to the economy, tourism can also encourage governments to invest more in infrastructure.

The town, in **common with** others in the province, depends heavily on tourism.

I don't have time to eat breakfast this morning, **let alone** help you with your homework.

With regard to the latest transfer rumours, the footballer refused to comment.

Contrary to what I'd been told beforehand, the restaurant wasn't that expensive.

I've spent in **the region of** 40-50 hours on this assignment.