

1 Friends

Friends
Lifestyle
Communication
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- S** Friends
 - S** Getting to know you
 - S** How people communicate
- Anecdote:** A friend who is different from you
- WB W** Emails

- R** David Schwimmer: Q&A
 - R** Keeping in touch
 - Three people talking about keeping in touch with friends
 - R** That was then. This is now
- Useful phrases:** Meeting friends unexpectedly

- G** Question forms. Tense review. Questions with prepositions. Subject questions. Adverbs of frequency
- V** Friendship expressions
- V** *Extra* Using a dictionary
- P** Fractions and percentages

2 Adrenalin

Experiences
Sports
Injuries
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- S** Exciting experiences
 - S** Sports
 - S** Injuries
- Anecdote:** A time when you were in a dangerous/exciting situation
- S** Describing a city/town
- WB W** Story

- R** deadmike.com
 - Three people talking about experiences
 - Two people talking about sports they do
- Useful phrases:** Giving advice about complaints or injuries

- G** Present perfect. Simple past and past progressive. Comparatives and superlatives
- V** Gradable and non-gradable adjectives. Time expressions. Sports
- V** *Extra* Adjectives: exploring synonyms
- P** Intonation to show strong feelings

3 Relationships

Family
Dating
Character
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- S** Personal pictures
 - S** Family
 - S** Firsts
 - S** Dating
- WB W** Informal letter

- R** Who do you carry around?
 - R** Twenty-first century dating
 - Two people talking about their relationships
 - Six people talking about their ideal mate
 - R** What's your type?
- Useful phrases:** "Less direct" language

- G** Dynamic and stative meanings. Present perfect: simple and progressive
- V** Family. Relationships. Describing character
- V** *Extra* Sounds and spelling
- P** Word stress

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4 Party

Festivals
New Year's
Parties
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- S** Festivals
 - S** New Year's
 - S** Parties
- Anecdote:** A party you've been to
- WB W** Letters of thanks and apology

- R** Las Fallas
 - An interview with someone about the Chinese New Year
 - R** How to throw the best party ever (and enjoy it!)
- Useful phrases:** Inviting; making excuses

- G** Phrasal verbs. Future forms. Pronouns: *anybody, somebody, etc.*
- V** Festivals. *do* and *make*. Parties
- V** *Extra* Phrasal verbs
- P** Connected speech: *gonna, wanna*

5 Edible

Food
Eating
Childhood
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- S** Chocolate
 - S** Describing food
 - S** Eating habits
- Anecdote:** Your childhood memories
- WB W** Letter of complaint

- R** Chocolate trivia
 - Some facts about chocolate
 - An interview with a person who has eaten some unusual food
 - R** Memories of food
- Useful phrases:** At a restaurant: register

- G** Countable and uncountable nouns. Quantity expressions. *used to / would*
- V** Partitives: *a bar of, a bowl of ...*, etc. Describing food. Taste and texture
- V** *Extra* Nouns and articles
- P** Word stress

6 Time

Time
Punctuality
Work
page 48

- S** Time management
 - S** Work and jobs
 - W** Business letters
- WB W** Letter requesting information

- R** Test your attitude to time management
 - R** Time-saving tips: lists
 - Three people talking about their jobs
- Useful phrases:** Time idioms and expressions

- G** Prepositions of time. Modals of obligation and permission
- V** Time expressions. Phrasal verbs. Work
- V** *Extra* Words that are sometimes confused
- P** Ordinal numbers

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7 News

Paparazzi
News stories
Crime
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- S** Celebrities and the paparazzi
- S** News stories
- S** Crime
- W** Personal news
- WB W** Essay

- R** An interview with a paparazzo
 - R** News in brief
 - R** A news bulletin
 - R** An email with personal news
- Useful phrases:** Personal news

- G** Verb patterns. Passive structures
- V** Adjectives to describe celebrities. Crime. Headline language
- V** *Extra* Verb patterns
- P** *ed* endings: /t/, /d/, /ɪd/

8 Travel

Trips
Places
Vacations
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- S** Traveling
 - S** Describing places
 - S** Vacations
- Anecdote:** A trip you have been on
- WB W** Describing a place

- R** Extract 1 from *The Beach*
 - R** Extract 2 from *The Beach*
 - R** Bondi/Portinatx beaches
 - R** Two people discussing a friend's travel web page
 - R** Coast to coast
- Useful phrases:** Asking for and giving directions

- G** Modals of deduction. Past perfect
- V** Geographical location. Describing places. Fixed expressions: *now or never*, *take it or leave it*, etc.
- V** *Extra* Dictionary labels
- P** English names for famous geographical features

9 Opinions

Stereotypes
Books
Movies
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- S** Men and women
 - S** Books, movies, and music
- Anecdote:** A movie you enjoyed
- W** A book review
 - WB W** Movie review

- R** Men and women: survey
 - R** Men and women: survey results
 - R** Seven conversations about books, movies, and music
 - R** Mr. Nice Guy
 - R** Book choice
 - R** *Pride and Prejudice*: synopsis
- Useful phrases:** Giving your opinion

- G** Reported statements and questions
- V** Books. Movies. Music. *ed/ing* adjectives
- V** *Extra* Collocations
- P** Word stress

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10 Childhood

Children
Childhood
Parenting
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- S** Children and parents
 - S** Bringing children up
- Anecdote:** An activity you did as a child
- WB W** Letter of advice

- R** Children's descriptions of a mother
 - R** Children defining things
 - R** Lies, white lies, ... and psychologists
 - R** TV interview with "pushy parents"
- Useful phrases:** Describing objects

- G** Defining relative clauses. Real conditionals (first conditional). Indirect questions
- V** Phrasal verbs. Childhood. Verb–noun collocations. Proverbs. *make* and *let*
- V** *Extra* Word families
- P** Words with silent letters

11 Age
Regrets
Age
Dilemmas
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- S** Aging rockers
- S** Regrets
- S** Age
- S** Discussing dilemmas
- WB W** Story

- R** A conversation about a Rolling Stones gig
 - R** Poem: *If ...*
 - R** Ageism turned me into a liar
 - R** Conversation between a woman and a man about age
 - R** Three situations and dilemmas
- Useful phrases:** On the telephone

- G** Unreal conditionals (second and third conditionals). Wishes and regrets
- V** Adverbs of attitude and manner. Age
- V** *Extra* Idiomatic expressions
- P** Word stress

12 Style
Fashion
Appearance
Routines
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- S** Physical description
 - S** Describing yourself
 - W** Describing a movie character
- Anecdote:** Somebody you met for the first time recently
- WB W** Describing a person

- R** How I get dressed
 - R** Four people talking about their favorite clothes
 - R** Extract from *Come Together*
 - R** Two friends talking about a TV show, *Ten Years Younger*
 - R** Morning routines
- Useful phrases:** Small talk

- G** Adjective order. *have/get something done*
- V** Clothes. Physical description. Verb phrases
- V** *Extra* Exploring meanings
- P** Sounds and spelling

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