

UNIT	READING	GRAMMAR	VOCABULARY	LISTENING	SPEAKING	USE OF ENGLISH	WRITING
1 Can't live without it (TECHNOLOGY) p 4–13	<i>1986: A year without technology</i> Understanding purpose Multiple choice	Tense review: present simple and continuous, stative verbs <i>-ing</i> and infinitives	Adjectives with <i>-able / -ible</i> Collocations with <i>come, do, make</i> or <i>take</i> Words connected with <i>technology</i>	Listening for agreement (1) Multiple choice (extracts)	Talking about habits Interview ▶ Talk 2 Me	Word patterns (verb phrases) Sentence transformation	Agreeing and disagreeing An essay
2 Live and learn (EDUCATION) p 14–23	<i>What did you learn out of school?</i> Understanding pronoun references Gapped text	Tense review: past simple and past continuous <i>Would, used to, be used to</i>	Words connected with <i>education/learning</i> Adjectives with <i>-ful / -ive</i> Phrasal verbs	Predicting missing information Sentence completion	Comparing Photo task ▶ Talk 2 Me	Verbs (1) (auxiliaries, modals, particles) Open cloze	Giving advice A letter / An email
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3 Viral video (TELEVISION) p 26–35	<i>YouTube stars</i> Scanning Multiple matching	Modals (1): review Modals (2): deductions about the present	Nouns with <i>-ity / -ness</i> Collocations with verbs <i>TV programmes</i>	Identifying attitude (1) Multiple matching	Making suggestions Collaborative task ▶ Talk 2 Me	Nouns (1) (suffixes, spelling changes) Word formation	Using good descriptions A review
4 Big city life (PLACES) p 36–45	<i>... things to do in England's capital city!</i> Skimming Open questions	Tense review: present perfect simple and continuous Question review: question tags and question forms	<i>Places in the city</i> Words + prepositions Adjectives/nouns/verbs	Understanding responses to questions Multiple choice (single extract)	Agreeing and disagreeing Discussion ▶ Talk 2 Me	Collocations Multiple-choice cloze	Giving examples An essay
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5 The weekend starts here! (FREE TIME) p 48–57	<i>History of the weekend</i> Understanding references Multiple choice	The future (1): <i>will, be going to</i> , present simple and continuous Comparatives and superlatives	Verbs/adjectives with <i>-ate</i> Phrasal verbs <i>Hobbies</i>	Listening for agreement (2) Multiple choice (extracts)	Talking about hopes and ambitions Interview ▶ Talk 2 Me	Prepositions and short adverbs Open cloze	Giving reasons An article
6 Good food, good mood (HEALTH) p 58–67	<i>Science fact or science fiction?</i> Deducing meaning from context Multiple choice	Conditionals (1): zero, first and second conditionals Relative clauses	Words + prepositions Adverbs formed from adjectives Words connected with <i>health</i>	Identifying attitude (2) Multiple choice (extracts)	Expressing preference and giving reasons Photo task ▶ Talk 2 Me	Adjectives and adverbs Word formation	Engaging the reader Article
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7 Best friends forever (RELATIONSHIPS) p 70–79	<i>Long lost friends</i> Understanding linking words/phrases Gapped text	Tense review: past perfect simple and continuous Connectors of contrast	Words connected with <i>friendship</i> Nouns with <i>-ance / -ence / -ment / -ship</i> Phrasal verbs	Predicting synonyms Multiple matching	Asking for clarification Collaborative task ▶ Talk 2 Me	Verbs (2) (tenses) Sentence transformation	Using narrative tenses A story
8 The only way is up (NATURE) p 80–89	<i>Reaching the top</i> Understanding implication Multiple matching	The passive Review: countable/uncountable nouns, articles, quantifiers	Idioms connected with <i>geographical features</i> Nouns formed from verbs Words + prepositions	Listening for opinion Sentence completion	Expressing and justifying opinions Discussion ▶ Talk 2 Me	Nouns (2) (suffixes, negatives) Word formation	Explaining A letter / An email
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9 Music to my ears (MUSIC) p 92–101	<i>Teenage violinist given £1m violin ...</i> Understanding text logic Gapped text	Reported speech Indirect questions	Words connected with <i>music</i> Phrasal verbs Nouns with <i>-ant / -ist</i>	Taking notes Sentence completion	Expressing uncertainty and speculating Photo task ▶ Talk 2 Me	Idioms Multiple-choice cloze	Making recommendations A review
10 Run till you drop (SPORTS) p 102–111	<i>The Antarctic Ice Marathon</i> Identifying synonyms (1) Open questions	Result clauses: <i>so, such, too, enough</i> Conditionals (2): third conditional	<i>People in sport</i> Adjectives/nouns/verbs Phrases connected with running	Distractors (1) Multiple choice (single extract)	Talking about experiences Interview ▶ Talk 2 Me	Conditionals Sentence transformation	Creating a good plot A story
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11 All in a day's work (WORK) p 114–123	<i>Bad job!</i> Identifying synonyms (2) Multiple matching	Modals (3): modal perfect The causative	Nouns with <i>-er / -or</i> Phrasal verbs Words connected with <i>work</i>	Identifying attitude (3) Multiple matching	Organising your ideas Photo task ▶ Talk 2 Me	Phrasal verbs Multiple-choice cloze	Using formal and informal language A letter / An email
12 My hero! (PEOPLE) p 124–133	<i>Honouring everyday heroes</i> Identifying examples True/false with explanation	The future (2): continuous, perfect simple and continuous Past tenses for the present/future	Nouns with <i>-ism</i> Collocations with <i>do</i> and <i>make</i> Words connected with <i>describing people</i>	Distractors (2) Multiple choice (single extract)	Reaching a decision Collaborative task ▶ Talk 2 Me	Verbs (3) (phrasal verbs) Open cloze	Drawing conclusions An essay

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