Worksheet 1: Writing an email (1)

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Writing Practice

Exercise 1

Read the instructions and the email below. Complete each gap in the email (1.1.–1.10.) with one word from the box. There are some words you do not need to use.

Spędzasz wakacje na wsi u swoich dziadków. W e-mailu do kolegi z Anglii:

- wyjaśnij, od kiedy jesteś u dziadków i jak długo tam zostaniesz;
- · opisz dom, w którym mieszkają dziadkowie;
- napisz, jak spędzają wolny czas.

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From: Jasiek To: Tom Subject: Hello!	
Hello Tom,	$/ \gamma_{\sim}$
How have you been? I'm at my grandparents' house in Mazu	ry.
I've been here 1.1. Monday and I love it.	It's 1.2. small village but full of
tourists in summer. I'm going to stay here 1.3	another week or two.
My grandparents live in a house 1.4. a la	ike. It's not very big but it has a 1.5.
large garden where I play 1.6. their dog	and two cats. My bedroom is 1.7.
but cosy.	/0 /
My grandparents are retired so they have 1.8.	of free time. Every day they go for
a 1.9. in the forest. They also like 1.10. _	in the garden – but it's not their job,
it's a hobby.	\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \
Bye for now,	
Jasiek	v .

Exercise 2

Work in pairs. Compare your answers.

Exercise 3

Read the instructions and the email below. Choose the correct options (3.1.–3.8.).

Przebywasz na wakacyjnym kursie języka angielskiego za granicą. W e-mailu do koleżanki z Anglii:

- · wyjaśnij, jak długi jest kurs i od kiedy tam jesteś;
- · opisz dom, w którym przebywasz;
- napisz, jak rodzina, u której gościsz, spędza wolny czas.

From: Marta
To: Chloe
Subject: English in Malta

Hello Chloe,
You won't believe it - I'm at a language school in Malta!

My English course 3.1. is lasting / lasts four weeks. I 3.2. am / have been in Malta 3.3. for / since two weeks,
and I love it - the weather here is fantastic!

3.4. I stay / I'm staying with an English family. They 3.5. live / are living in a lovely house with four bedrooms.

My bedroom is rather small, but I have my own terrace with a beautiful view over the sea.
The family is really nice. In the afternoons they often 3.6. go / are going to the beach to swim or play ball games.
In the evenings they 3.7. watch / are watching TV series together. 3.8. I enjoy / I'm enjoying myself a lot!

Bye for now,
Marta

Exercise 4

Work in pairs. Compare your answers and discuss why the other answer is not correct.

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Exercise 5

Read the instructions and the email below. Put the verbs in brackets (5.1.-5.9.) into the correct form.

Przebywasz na szkolnej wymianie za granicą. W e-mailu do kolegi z Anglii:

- wyjaśnij, kiedy przyjechałeś(-aś) i jak długo trwa wymiana;
- opisz dom, w którym przebywasz;
- napisz, jak rodzina, u której gościsz, spędza weekendy.

From: Joasia To: Chris Subject: Hello!	
Hi Chris,	
Guess what? I'm on a school exchange in Scotland!	
l 5.1. (come) to Aberdeen almost	a week ago. The exchange 5.2. (last)
a month – I really love it here!	
I 5.3. (stay) with a nice Scottish fa	amily. They 5.4. (<i>live</i>)
in an old cottage near the city. It's got a beautiful garden. I h	ave a really nice bedroom in the attic.
My host family is really friendly. Every evening they 5.5. (sit) _	together in the kitchen over
dinner and 5.6. (talk) about what	5.7. (happen) at school
or at work. I 5.8. (not / understand)	everything but I 5.9. (have)
a lot of fun!	
All the best,	10 7
Joasia	

Exercise 6

Work in small groups. Compare your answers and decide together which answer is correct.

Exercise 7

Read the instructions and the email below. Translate the fragments in brackets (7.1. – 7.8.) into English.

Spędzasz wakacje na polu kempingowym nad morzem. W e-mailu do koleżanki z Irlandii:

- wyjaśnij, od kiedy jesteś na wakacjach i jak długo zazwyczaj je tam spędzasz;
- · opisz miejsce, w którym mieszkacie;
- napisz, jak ludzie zazwyczaj spędzają tu czas.

From: Paweł To: Ann Subject: Hello!	
Hi Ann,	
Guess what? I'm at a campsite on the Baltion	Sea.
My family and I 7.1. (jesteśmy)	here for over a week. We 7.2. (<i>przyjechaliśmy</i>)
just after school ended. We	usually 7.3. (spędzamy) a month at this
campsite.	
My parents have got a camper van but my	rother and I 7.4. (<i>mieszkamy</i>) in a small tent.
It's a really big campsite, with lots of campe	s and tents. We are really close to the sea!
People at the campsite 7.5. (<i>spedzają</i>)	their time in an active way. Most people
7.6. (uprawiają)	vater sports, like windsurfing, kitesurfing or swimming. In the evening,
people 7.7. (<i>grają</i>)	_ board or card games, or just 7.8. (<i>rozmawiają</i>)
to each other.	
How's your holiday going?	
All the best,	
Paweł	

Exercise 8

Work in pairs. Compare your answers and decide what the correct answer is.

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Exercise 9

Read the instructions and the email below. Complete the blanks (9.1.–9.10.) in the email.

Spędzasz wakacje u swojej cioci mieszkającej za granicą. W e-mailu do kolegi z Anglii:

- wyjaśnij, od kiedy jesteś u swojej cioci i jak długo jeszcze tam zostaniesz;
- opisz dom, w którym mieszka twoja ciocia i jej rodzina;
- napisz, jak ciocia i członkowie jej rodziny spędzają weekendy.

To	om: Kasia : David
_	bject: Hello!
	i David,
	hank you for your last email. I'm writing to you from Utrecht in the Netherlands.
	9.1 at my aunt's house. She's a teacher at the university here.
	9.2 three days. I'm going 9.3 for two
	reeks.
	ly aunt 9.4. a funny house: it's got three floors, but it's quite narrow. four bedrooms here. My bedroom 9.6.
	nice view over the river.
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	nd 9.10. their friends there.
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No	rk in pairs. Compare your answers.
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Nο	rk in small groups. Compare the model emails in the tasks in the present worksheet and discuss the questions
	ow.
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4)	should be used there?
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(נ	What does the second bullet / paragraph in every email refer to? What grammatical structures should be used
	there?
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Exercise 12

Read the instructions and write your email.

Przebywasz na wakacyjnym kursie języka angielskiego w Anglii. W e-mailu do koleżanki ze Szkocji:

- · wyjaśnij, od kiedy jesteś w Anglii i jak długo trwa kurs;
- opisz dom, w którym przebywasz;
- napisz, jak goszcząca cię rodzina spędza wolny czas.

Napisz swoją wypowiedź w języku angielskim. Podpisz się jako XYZ.

Rozwiń swoją wypowiedź w każdym z trzech podpunktów, tak aby osoba nieznająca polecenia w języku polskim uzyskała wszystkie wskazane w nim informacje. Pamiętaj, że długość wypowiedzi powinna wynosić **od 50 do 120 słów** (nie licząc wyrazów podanych na początku wypowiedzi). Oceniane są: umiejętność pełnego przekazania informacji, spójność, bogactwo językowe oraz poprawność językowa.

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Hello Olivia,	
You'll never guess where I am – I'm in England at a language school!	
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