

- 1 Use the Present Simple and the verbs below to write sentences about fixed events.

start close come back leave
finish take off last open

- 0 The Post Office closes at 12.30 p.m. on Saturdays.
1 Our first class _____ at 8 a.m. in the morning.
2 The plane _____ in half an hour.
3 The rehearsals _____ at 7 p.m.
4 My sister _____ from Canada on Tuesday.
5 The programme _____ for an hour.
6 The last ferry to Calais _____ at 10 p.m.
7 The supermarket _____ at 8.30 a.m.

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- 2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the Present Continuous.

- 0 Henri is moving (move) to London in June.
1 She _____ (play) volleyball on Saturday.
2 We _____ (go) to watch a film on Thursday night.
3 They _____ (spend) the week with friends.
4 I _____ (help) my mum cook dinner tonight.
5 You _____ (go) to the dentist at 3 p.m. tomorrow.
6 Jenny _____ (have) lunch with us on Friday.
7 They _____ (meet) their friends at the cinema.

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- 3 Match the beginnings (1-8) with the endings (a-i) to make sentences.

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| 0 The train leaves <u>g</u> | a when I'm eighteen. |
| 1 Boston Celtics play ____ | b Rome next month. |
| 2 He is going to call ____ | c at 10 p.m. on Channel 2. |
| 3 My sister's playing ____ | d lasagne for dinner. |
| 4 Our next class is ____ | e at 6 p.m. tomorrow. |
| 5 Our class is going to ____ | f me after the exam. |
| 6 The film starts ____ | g platform 2 in 5 minutes. |
| 7 I'm going to buy a car ____ | h in classroom 5 at 10.30. |
| 8 My father's cooking ____ | i in a concert on Thursday. |

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- 4 Use the cues and (not) *be going to* to write sentences expressing a future intention.

- 0 Seb/sell/his old motorbike
Seb is going to sell his old motorbike.
1 My parents/buy/a new car on Monday

2 Tim's sister/not/start/university this academic year

3 Ryan/study/computer engineering at university

4 Suzi/become/a famous artist

5 Next year, Tina/learn/Italian at school

6 His friends/take/him to see a football match

7 We/cook/a meal for our parents on Saturday.

8 We/visit/friends next weekend.

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- 5 Complete the sentences with the correct words. The first letter of each word has been given.

- 0 Claire is a good friend. We've known each other for over ten years.
1 I had to g_____ a new uniform for school.
2 We are not allowed to have d_____ hair at school.
3 My cousin is very p_____ and has a wonderful smile.
4 Cyber bullies send a_____ emails.
5 I always get b_____ at the end of the summer holidays.
6 When I was born I had w_____ fair hair.
7 Employers can v_____ what you put on social networking sites.
8 The doctor said he was o_____ and needed to exercise.
9 Josh is very h_____. He did really well in his exams.
10 I g_____ rid of the broken chair yesterday.

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Reading

1 Read the text. Answer the questions.

Celebrations of friends and friendship

Every year on the first Sunday of August, people around the world celebrate *Friendship Day*. Popular presents for friends include flowers, chocolates and photos but the most popular one is a friendship bracelet or band. On *Friendship Day*, friends call each other, chat on the internet, send texts or e-cards to each other and if they can, they spend the day together.

This day was first celebrated in the USA in 1935, but it has become popular in many other countries. People in Argentina, Brazil and Uruguay have a similar special occasion and on July 20 they celebrate *Día del Amigo* (Friends' Day). This celebration was started by an Argentine called Enrique Febbrara. He believed that the moon landing by the American space rocket Apollo 11 in 1969 united people all over the world and that when they were watching the first astronauts walk on the Moon, everyone was a friend of the astronauts. Then, in 1979, *Friends' Day* (July 20) was made an official celebration by the government of Argentina.

Friends' Day in Argentina is a time for everyone to enjoy time with their best friends. The day usually begins with calling friends. The phone lines are usually busy and sometimes the mobile phone networks stop working for a while. In Argentina, the real celebrations for Friends' Day take place in the evening. Friends get together in restaurants and cafés. Normally these places have special meals or events to celebrate this day.

There are now many blogs or sites about *Friends' or Friendship Day* on the internet so if you want to find out more about these two special celebrations, look for yourself.

- How often is *Friendship Day* celebrated?

- What is the most popular present to buy a friend on *Friendship Day*?

- Which country did *Friendship Day* start in?

- When do people celebrate friendship in Argentina, Brazil and Uruguay?

- What world event took place in 1969?

- What time of day do *Friends' Day* celebrations take place in Argentina?

- Where can you find out more about *Friends' or Friendship Day*?

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Listening

2 12 Listen to the conversation between two friends. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- Elisa had hockey practice on Tuesday. ____
- Gloria can't go for a meal at Luigi's because she has volleyball at 5 o'clock ____
- Gloria has a guitar exam next month. ____
- Gloria did well in her last guitar exam. ____
- Gloria always visits her grandparents on Saturday mornings. ____
- Elisa is playing tennis on Saturday morning. ____
- Gloria and Elisa decide to meet on Saturday afternoon. ____

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Communication

3 Complete the dialogue with the words below.

message help moment ~~morning~~
speak available through

- A:** Good ⁰ morning reception. Can I ¹ _____ you?
- B:** Yes, please. Could I ² _____ to Mr Crawford? This is his wife, Michele.
- A:** Of course. Hold on a moment. I'll put you ³ _____.
- B:** Thanks.
- A:** I'm afraid he's not ⁴ _____ at the moment.
- B:** Ah, I see. Could I leave him a ⁵ _____, please?
- A:** Yes, of course. Hold on a ⁶ _____.
- B:** I have to stay late at work tonight. Can he pick me up from the office at 7 p.m.?

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