

# Grammar

present simple and present continuous  
be going to and present continuous  
will for prediction  
past simple and past continuous  
used to  
so/such ... that; too ... to; not ... enough to  
present perfect and past simple  
present perfect continuous and present perfect simple  
articles  
comparatives  
superlatives  
defining relative clauses  
modal verbs: possibility and deduction  
zero and first conditional  
quantifiers  
second conditional  
structures for giving advice  
question tags  
modal verbs: ability  
past perfect  
expressing purpose  
modal verbs: obligation and necessity  
passives: present and past  
non-defining relative clauses  
the passive: all tenses  
third conditional  
short responses with so, neither/nor, too/either  
reported statements  
verb patterns  
reported questions

# Vocabulary

personal details  
personal characteristics  
describing feelings and events  
memories  
feelings and reactions  
experiences  
keeping in touch/catching up  
features of a town  
lifestyle  
products and services  
types of film  
describing clothes and appearance  
places to live  
describing food  
everyday activities  
describing bad behaviour and crime  
environmental issues  
skills and abilities milestones  
outdoor equipment  
multi-word verbs  
comment adverbs  
geographical features  
shopping  
strong and weak adjectives  
describing art  
education  
suggestions and improvements  
work activities

## Function

describe future plans and arrangements  
make predictions about the future  
make and respond to suggestions  
describe past experiences  
talk about memories  
describe a new experience  
show interest in a conversation  
talk about what you've been doing recently  
talk about a favourite town, city or neighbourhood  
ask for, follow and give directions  
discuss and compare lifestyles  
express preferences about brands  
describe the plot of a film  
ask for and give opinions  
make guesses about people  
discuss advantages and disadvantages  
plan a special occasion  
give instructions and ask for information  
discuss hypothetical situations  
ask for and give advice  
plan a campaign  
make and respond to requests  
discuss study options  
ask for information  
talk about life events  
decide what to take on a trip  
talk about rules  
talk about someone's life  
describe and recommend places  
make excuses and apologise  
discuss and suggest improvements  
tell a story  
express agreement and disagreement  
make complaints  
report opinions  
talk about improving your town or city  
report the results of a survey  
ask and answer interview questions

## **Pronunciation**

do you  
-ing  
will/won't  
weak forms  
used to  
so/such  
contractions  
articles  
stressed syllables; most  
stressed syllables; which/that  
connected speech  
intonation in question tags  
wh-  
word stress  
intonation in direct and reported questions

## **Listening**

recognising positive and negative attitudes  
understanding linkers  
understanding discourse markers  
predicting information  
listening for specific information  
identifying the stages of a talk  
listening for specific information  
guessing the meaning of unknown words  
recognising a speaker's opinions  
understanding meaning from context

## **Reading**

- reading for general understanding
- reading for specific information
- recognising similar ideas
- understanding paragraph structure
- guessing unknown words
- understanding linkers
- understanding the sequence of events
- understanding reference
- recognising degrees of certainty
- making inferences

## **Writing**

- using paragraphs in a job application
- writing paragraphs
- planning a piece of writing
- using linkers
- using informal words and expressions
- organising ideas
- engaging a reader
- adding and contrasting ideas
- making comparisons
- requesting information