

Unit 5

Lesson A

Exercise 1

1. canal
2. bridge
3. tunnel
4. plaza
5. subway system
6. tower
7. skyscraper
8. stadium

Exercise 2

1. The Tower Bridge in England is older than the Akashi-Kaikyo Bridge in Japan.
2. The Murray Canal in Canada is shorter than the Erie Canal in the United States.
3. The Sydney Harbor Bridge in Australia is more modern than the Tower Bridge in England.
4. The Lincoln Tunnel between New Jersey and New York City is not as long as the Channel Tunnel between England and France.
5. The Jin Mao Tower in China is not as tall as the Sears Tower in the United States.
6. The New York City subway system has more people on it than the London Underground.
7. The Plaza Mayor in Madrid is not as large as the Zócalo square in Mexico City.

Exercise 3

1. taller than
2. more floors than
3. older than
4. more modern than
5. more famous buildings than

Exercise 4

1. The Golden Gate Bridge is longer than the Brooklyn Bridge.
2. The Golden Gate Bridge is wider than the Brooklyn Bridge.
3. The Brooklyn Bridge is older than the Golden Gate Bridge.
4. The Golden Gate Bridge was more expensive than the Brooklyn Bridge.
5. The Brooklyn Bridge took more time to build than the Golden Gate Bridge.
6. The Brooklyn Bridge has more people on it each day than the Golden Gate Bridge.

Exercise 5

1. The Brooklyn Bridge is not (isn't) as long as the Golden Gate Bridge.
2. The Brooklyn Bridge is not (isn't) as wide as the Golden Gate Bridge.
3. The Golden Gate Bridge is not (isn't) as old as the Brooklyn Bridge.
4. The Brooklyn Bridge was not (wasn't) as expensive as the Golden Gate Bridge.

Lesson B

Exercise 1

1. I don't believe it!
2. I have no idea.
3. I really don't know.
4. Seriously?
5. No way!
6. I don't have a clue.

Exercise 2

1. I have no idea. / I really don't know. / I don't have a clue.
2. I don't believe it! / Seriously? / No way!

Lesson C

Exercise 1

1. river
2. rainforest (rain forest)
3. valley
4. lake
5. ocean
6. desert

Mystery word: island

Exercise 2

1. River
2. desert
3. lake / river
4. Ocean
5. island
6. rain forest
7. valley
8. waterfall

Exercise 3

1. the most beautiful
2. the largest
3. the most popular
4. the longest
5. the highest
6. the most difficult
7. the wettest
8. the best

9. the hottest
10. the busiest

Exercise 4

1. Cuba has the most land.
2. Cuba has the most people.
3. The Dominican Republic has (gets) the most rain (each year).
4. Aruba has the most official languages.
5. Cuba has the most TV stations.

Exercise 5

1. the largest
2. the most traffic
3. the coldest
4. the most sunshine
5. the highest
6. the best
7. the wettest
8. the most people

Exercise 6

Answers will vary.

1. The longest bridge I've ever been on is [name of bridge]. / [Name of bridge] is the longest bridge I've ever been on.
2. The highest place I've ever been is [name of place]. / [Name of place] is the highest place I've ever been.
3. The most beautiful place I've ever seen is [name of place]. / [Name of place] is the most beautiful place I've ever seen.
4. The hottest place I've ever been is [name of place]. / [Name of place] is the hottest place I've ever been.
5. The tallest building in my town is [name of building]. / [Name of building] is the tallest building in my town.
6. The longest river in my country is [name of river]. / [Name of river] is the longest river in my country.
7. [Name of city] has the most people (in my country).
8. [Month] gets the most rain (in my town).

Lesson D

Exercise 1

1. Niagara Falls
2. Northern Lights
3. The Rockies

Exercise 2

1. 2007
2. Sleeping Giant

3. Atlantic Ocean
4. March, April, September, October
5. 950 kilometers

Unit 6

Lesson A

Exercise 1

A.

1. birthday
2. doctor's
3. blind

B.

1. job
2. business
3. conference

C.

1. violin
2. soccer

Exercise 2

1. are you doing
2. It starts
3. I have
4. it ends
5. I'm moving
6. are helping
7. go
8. I'm buying

Exercise 3

1. Lorena has a violin lesson every Thursday.
2. ✓
3. Marvin is picking up his sister in Miami at 3:30 p.m. on Saturday.
4. ✓
5. Naoki is planning a conference call in meeting room B for Tuesday next week.
6. The movie starts at 9:00 and ends at 11:30.

Exercise 4

1. Now
2. Future
3. Future
4. Now
5. Now
6. Future
7. Future
8. Now

Exercise 5

Answers will vary.

Lesson B

Exercise 1

1. Do you want to leave a message?
2. Please tell him that Amber called.
3. Can you tell her that the conference call is at 12:15?
4. Could you let her know that we're leaving in the morning?
5. Would you like to leave a message?
6. Can I take a message?

Exercise 2

A.

1. you want to leave a message?
2. Please tell him that Amber called.

B.

1. I take a message?
2. Can you tell her that the conference call is at 12:15?

C.

1. you like to leave a message?
2. Could you let her know that we're leaving in the morning?

Lesson C

Exercise 1

1. check my homework
2. lend me some money
3. give me a ride to work
4. watering the plants
5. feeding my cat
6. picking up my parents at the airport
7. help me with my résumé
8. gets my mail

Exercise 2

1. can you do
2. Would you make
3. I'll cook
4. could you take
5. I won't forget
6. would you mind cleaning
7. I'll clean

Exercise 3

1. Would you mind checking my homework?
- I'll check

2. Would you mind picking me up at 10:30 a.m.?
I'll pick you up
3. Would you mind giving me a ride to my doctor's appointment?
I'll give
4. Would you mind telling Josh that the meeting is tomorrow?
I'll tell
5. Would you mind watering the plant in my office while I'm out next week?
I'll water

Exercise 4

1. I'll give you a ride to the airport
2. you feed my fish
I'll feed
feeding my cat
I'll feed
3. you get my mail
I'll get
4. you pick me up from the airport
I'll pick you up (from the airport), I won't

Exercise 5

Answers will vary.

A speeches should be requests with **Can, Could, Would, and Would** you mind.

B speeches should be offers or refusals with **will or won't**. Phrases such as **No problem, Sure, All right, No, I don't mind, OK, Not at all, and I guess so** may also be included.

Lesson D

Exercise 1

1. the Internet (playing games and chatting online)
2. TV (watching too much of it)
3. talking (too much to people)
4. thinking (too much about what they have to do)

Exercise 2

1. No
2. Yes
3. No
4. No
5. Yes
6. Yes

Unit 7

Lesson A

Exercise 1

1. ambitious
2. stubborn
3. careful
4. optimistic
5. curious
6. outgoing
7. adventurous
8. easygoing

Exercise 2

1. ambitious
2. curious
3. adventurous
4. careful
5. optimistic
6. easygoing
7. stubborn
8. outgoing

Exercise 3

1. extremely
2. really
3. very
4. well
5. pretty
6. well
7. well

Exercise 4

1. Steven and Susan are extremely curious about the new student in class.
2. Mario doesn't play the guitar well when he's nervous.
3. Tae-ho's parents are very important to him.
4. Kendra is fairly outgoing, and she makes new friends easily.
5. Pam drives quickly, but she's pretty careful.
6. Jacob is moving slowly, so he'll be late for his doctor's appointment this morning.

Exercise 5

1. Shan makes friends easily.
2. She is fairly ambitious.
3. She studies hard during the week.
4. She isn't very stubborn. / She's not very stubborn.
5. She doesn't work hard on the weekends. She does not work hard on the weekends.

6. She is very outgoing.
7. She is fairly optimistic.
8. She doesn't share her feelings easily.

Exercise 6

Answers will vary. Possible adverbs are:

1. completely / (not) extremely / fairly / pretty / (not) really / (not) very
2. completely / (not) extremely / fairly / pretty / (not) really / (not) very
3. completely / (not) extremely / fairly / pretty / (not) really / (not) very
4. carefully / easily / quickly / slowly / well
5. completely / (not) extremely / fairly / pretty / (not) really / (not) very
6. carefully / easily / hard / quickly / slowly / well

Lesson B

Exercise 1

1. Don't you agree? / Don't you think so? / Don't you think that's true?
2. If you ask me, / In my opinion, / Maybe it's just me, but I think
3. Don't you agree? / Don't you think so? / Don't you think that's true?
4. If you ask me, / In my opinion, / Maybe it's just me, but I think
5. Don't you agree? / Don't you think so? / Don't you think that's true?
6. If you ask me, / In my opinion, / Maybe it's just me, but I think

Exercise 2

Answers will vary, but should include one of the following expressions:

If you ask me, / In my opinion, / Maybe it's just me, but I think

Lesson C

Exercise 1

1. agreeable
2. considerate
3. decisive
4. fair
5. honest
6. mature
7. patient
8. reliable

Exercise 2

1. dishonest
2. disagreeable
3. unreliable
4. immature

5. impatient
6. indecisive
7. inconsiderate / unfair, unfair / inconsiderate

Exercise 3

I've lived here for . . . :
a few days
five hours
a long time
quite a while
two months
a year
I've known him since . . . :
2010
4:30
December
I was 18
last night
Wednesday

Exercise 4

1. since Monday
Vanessa has had a new job for five days.
2. since Tuesday
She has known Greg for four days.
3. since Wednesday
She has known Carlos for three days.
4. since Thursday
She hasn't talked to Greg for two days.
5. since Friday / since yesterday
She's been sick for a day / one day.

Exercise 5

1. Yolanda has been friends with Jenna for a long time.
2. I haven't seen Jun for three days.
3. I haven't had an argument with my parents since I was a kid.
4. Tom and Melissa have been married for three years.
5. Matt hasn't eaten sushi since he was in Japan.
6. Sandra has known Katia since 2005.

Exercise 6

1. He's been married for a week.
2. He's known Julie since 2001.
3. They've been in Hawaii for four days.
4. Julie has been sick since Wednesday.
5. They've been in the doctor's office since 1:00 p.m.
6. She's been on the phone for five minutes.

Lesson D

Exercise 1

Answers will vary.

Exercise 2

1. honest
2. like
3. good
4. don't like
5. creative
6. have

Unit 8

Lesson A

Exercise 1

1. nuclear energy, wind farm
2. hybrid car
3. plastic bags
4. organic food
5. global warming
6. recycling bin
7. e-waste
8. solar energy

Exercise 2

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|------|------|------|
| 1. N | 4. C | 7. C |
| 2. N | 5. N | 8. C |
| 3. C | 6. C | 9. N |

Exercise 3

1. less
2. fewer
3. less
4. fewer
5. less
6. less

Exercise 4

1. too many
2. too much
3. too many
4. too many
5. too much

Exercise 5

1. Mi Yon doesn't have enough plastic bottles.
2. She has too many glass bottles.
3. She doesn't have enough plastic bags.
4. She doesn't have enough old lightbulbs.
5. She has too many old toothbrushes.
6. She doesn't have enough old CDs.

Exercise 6

Answers will vary.

Lesson B

A.

1. I'd say about
2. I'd rather not answer that

B.

1. I'd rather not say
2. I'd say maybe

C.

1. probably
2. I'd prefer not to say

Lesson C

Exercise 1

1. Use
2. Fix
3. Buy
4. Take
5. Use
6. Use
7. Grow
8. Pay

Exercise 2

1. uses a clothesline
2. uses rechargeable batteries
3. take public transportation
4. pays bills online
5. uses cloth shopping bags
6. fixes leaky faucets

Exercise 3

1. If I buy a hybrid car
2. If I save money on gas
3. If I have more money to spend
4. If I buy a new cell phone
5. If I recycle my old cell phone
6. If there is less e-waste / If there's less e-waste

Exercise 4

1. If Robert uses rechargeable batteries, he'll buy fewer batteries.
Robert will buy fewer batteries if he uses rechargeable batteries.
2. If Emma takes public transportation, she'll use less gas.
Emma will use less gas if she takes public transportation.
3. If Tom and Jackie have enough money, they'll buy a hybrid car.
Tom and Jackie will buy a hybrid car if they have enough money.

4. If you buy local food, you'll get good fruit and vegetables.

You'll get good fruit and vegetables if you buy local food.

5. If we recycle more bottles, we'll help the environment.

We'll help the environment if we recycle more bottles.

Exercise 5

1. If more people recycle, we might have less garbage. / We might have less garbage if more people recycle.
2. If more people recycle, it could help the environment. / It could help the environment if more people recycle.
3. If our town starts a wind farm, we may use less energy. We may use less energy if our town starts a wind farm.
4. If our town starts a wind farm, there might be more jobs. There might be more jobs if our town starts a wind farm.
5. If the big supermarket closes, we may buy more local food. / We may buy more local food if the big supermarket closes.
6. If the big supermarket closes, some people might get upset. / Some people might get upset if the big supermarket closes.

Exercise 6

Answers will vary. Answers should include an **if** clause and **will**, **may**, **might**, or **could** in the main clause.

Lesson D

Exercise 1

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|------|------|
| 1. ✓ | 5. |
| 2. | 6. ✓ |
| 3. ✓ | 7. ✓ |
| 4. | 8. ✓ |

Exercise 2

1. Chelsea went green for a month.
2. She wrote on paper (with a pencil).
3. She washed her clothes with water from the river (behind her house).
4. She thinks it's impossible to live completely green for a long time.
5. Now she walks or rides her bike for short distances.
6. She turns her computer off if she's not at home.