

Unit 1

See you on Saturday

You're early

I think it's Japanese, but I'm not sure

Abbreviation

Assistant Editor

Business trip

See you then

It's time for bed

A Personal Computer => PC

The United Kingdom => UK

A Sport Utility Vehicle => SUV

A Disc Jockey => DJ

A Very Important Person => VIP

The United States => US

A Portable Document Format => PDF

The National Basketball Association => NBA

Work in pairs\groups

JetBlue flight to Los Angeles is now boarding at gate number 9

+ Where to, madam? - Manchester Road, please. Number 16.

The train waiting at platform 13 is the Metroliner to Washington, D.C.

+ How far is it to Miami? - It's about 40 miles.

Will all passengers on flight BA234 to New York please go to gate 60 immediately.

writing:

My name is Fateme. I'm from Tehran Iran and speak Persian, English, and a little Turkish.

My teacher is American. Her name is Saye. My English classes are on Saturdays and Wednesdays.

Reception

The first floor

A single/double room

I have a reservation.

Can you sign here, please?

Can I have ...? = please give me

Would you like...? To offer somebody something.

No problem

Grammar:

I am

You are

He / She / It is

We are

They are

My

Your

His/ Her/ its

Our

Their

Unit 2

A change purse

Scissors

An iPod

A wallet

A tissue

A file/binder

Dictionaries

Messy != neat

Modifiers: really, very

Beautiful, attractive, pretty, good-looking => women appearance

Good-looking and attractive => for men

Thin = slim

Politician

Slow down

Don't worry

Be careful

Terrible

Turn the air conditioning on

Open your window

Let's stop at that service station

Give me

Be quiet

Don't park here

Come on

Cheer up

Take a vacation

Have a drink

What's the problem?

This is no parking, sir. Look at the sign.

Can I see your driver's license, please?

Imperatives

Don't read it.

instruction

Grammar:

Regular: Singular +s => use es after ch, sh, s, x => after y(consonant+y) use ies

Irregular: man=>men, woman=>women, child=> children, person=> people

this/these => for things near you => singular

that/those => things which are not near you => plural

Adjective + noun => White House

Adjectives don't change before a plural noun

Be + adj

Very + adj + noun

Imperatives = verb(base form) - => don't + verb

Be + adj => be careful

Let's + verb to make suggestions

Let's not + verb to make negative suggestions

Connected speech

Don't usually separate all the words => if a word ends with a consonant and the next word begins with a vowel, they join them together.

Unit 3

Vocabulary:

Economics

An administrative assistant

An architect

A construction worker

A factory worker

A flight attendant

A front desk clerk

A journalist

A musician

A veterinarian

How interesting

Get dressed

Pants

Nylon top

Freeways

Theme park

Water slides

Rides

We need rest

Sticks

Redwood

Explore

Double

Regular

Latte

Barista = a person who works in a coffee shop

Your change

Take away

Talk to you later

Grammar:

Simple present(use for things that are generally true or that habitually happen)

+: sub + verb(for she, it,he add s)

-: sub + don't/doesn't + verb(base form)

?: do/does + sub + v(base form)

?: wh + auxiliary + sub + base form of verb

Where is your brother from?

How much do you drink coffee?

Is it an interesting job?

How many phones do you have?

Do you work with computers?

What kind of magazines do you read?

What does he do on the weekend?

Do you drink another?

Where does your sister live?

How do you say that in English?

Writing:

Netfriends Worldwide

Fateme Jadidi

My profile:

Hometown: I'm from Tabriz, but I live in Tehran.

Occupation: I'm a student. I study Artificial intelligence and soft computing at Semnan University.

Languages: I speak Persian and a little English and Turkish.

Interests

Music: I like rap and rock but sometimes listen to metal music. I don't like jazz or classical music.

Films: I like American movies.

TV: I don't like TV shows in Iran but sometimes I watch old Iranian series with my family.

Sports: I walk every day and on the weekend I go to the pool to swim.

Unit 4

Vocabulary:

royalty

possessive

possessions

wristband

bow tie

stepsister

brother-in-law

She goes shopping

She gets home late

He exercises

He relaxes

He takes the dog for a walk

Check the reservations

Radio is on

Prepare

Suddenly

Shout instructions

For a couple of hours

Go back

Collapse on the sofa

Cafeteria

At lunchtime

We have fun just looking

Sometimes later

Every day/week/year/month

Once a week

Twice a week

Three times a week

Four times a year

Always > often > usually = normally > sometimes > hardly ever > never

Never have

Grammar:

Whose => Ask about possessions

Who is=>who's

'S => used for a person to talk about family and possessions and irregular plural nouns

S' => used with plural nouns

In + parts of the day and seasons, months and years

On + days and the weekends, dates

At + times of the day and night

To + movement or direction

At + work, home, school

In + an apartment, a room, an office

ex:

In the morning	on Monday	at three o'clock
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In the afternoon	on Tuesday	at noon
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In the evening	on the weekend	at lunchtime
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In the summer		at night
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Adverbs of frequency to say how often you do something => before all main verbs => after be

- => goes between don't/doesn't and the verb

Expressions of frequency = go at the end of a sentence or verb phrases

Does it often rain in the winter?

When do you usually finish time work?

We don't always do our homework.

My brother is always hungry at lunchtime.

Do you drive to work every day?

Our teacher is hardly ever angry.

I do housework once a week.

I hardly ever watch the news on TV.

I often check my emails in the morning.

I go to the movies once a year.

I always chat online with my friends.

Writing:

My favorite day of the week is Thursday. In my country, Thursday is the beginning of the weekend so Friday is the second day of the weekend.

I like Thursday because you can go to bed when you want and still be in bed until the afternoon. Sometimes on Thursday, I go shopping with my mom, and then I do housework and help my mom and do some work like **Pouring the bill** for my dad. After all that, I play soccer with my nephew and video games.

On the weekend, I have lunch with family, my mom and my bigger sister are really good cooks and I love the food when they are cooking. Mostly I try to wash dishes and make the table but I don't cook because I'm not like those. After lunch, my two bigger sisters, my parents, my cute nephew, and I watch a movie and sometimes **we have time to talk about our week.**

In the evening, we go to grandparents house to see them and we have dinner with each other. At the grandparent's house sometimes my mom cooks other times my aunt cooks. On Thursday, all the family should have dinner with each other at the grandparent's house. After dinner, we talk each other ate some fruit, drank tea, and everyone back to their house. I usually study my lessons from 10:00 to midnight. I never go to bed before 2:00 or sometimes later.

Improve:

My favorite day of the week is Thursday. In my country, Thursday is the beginning of the weekend **consequently** Friday is the second day of the weekend.

I like Thursday because you can go to bed when you want and **still be in bed** until the afternoon.

Sometimes on Thursday, I go shopping with my mother, and then I do housework and help my mother and do several works like Pouring the bill for my dad. After all that, I play soccer with my nephew and video games.

On the weekend, I have lunch with family, my mother and my bigger sister are **really good cooks** and I love the food when they are cooking. Mostly I try to wash dishes and make the table, **on the contrary**, I don't cook **due to the fact** I'm not like those. After lunch, my two bigger sisters, my parents, my cute nephew, and I watch a movie and sometimes we have time to talk about our week.

In the evening, we go to our grandparent's house to see them, and we have dinner with each other.

At the grandparent's house sometimes my mother cooks other times my aunt cooks. On Thursday, all the family should have dinner with each other at grandparents house.

After dinner, we talk each other and ate some fruit and drank tea and everyone went back to their house. I usually study for my lessons from 10: 00 to 12: 00 at night. I never go to bed before 2: 00 or sometimes later.

Result of writing:

7 paragraphs 248 words

**This writing has been penalized,
text can't be
less than 250 words in Task 2
and less than 150 words in Task 1**

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Overall Band Score

Coherence and Cohesion: 5.5

Structure your answers in logical paragraphs

One main idea per paragraph

Include an introduction and conclusion

Support main points with an explanation and then an example

Use cohesive linking words accurately and appropriately

Vary your linking phrases using synonyms

Lexical Resource: 6.0

Try to vary your vocabulary using accurate synonyms

Use less common question specific words that accurately convey meaning

Check your work for spelling and word formation mistakes

Grammatical Range: 6.0

Use a variety of complex and simple sentences

Check your writing for errors

Task Achievement: 5.0

Answer all parts of the question

Present relevant ideas

Fully explain these ideas

Support ideas with relevant, specific examples

AI improvement:

My favorite day of the week is Thursday, as it marks the beginning of the weekend in my country, with Friday following as the second day of **leisure**.

One of the reasons I **cherish** Thursdays is the freedom to **retire** to bed at **my own pace**, often **relishing** the luxury of sleeping in until the afternoon.

During the day, I often **accompany** my mother on a shopping **spree**, followed by **assisting** her with household **chores** and various tasks, such as organizing bills for my dad. **Afterward**, I **engage in a spirited** game of soccer with my nephew and **indulge** in some video gaming.

As the weekend unfolds, I **eagerly anticipate** the family lunch where my mother and elder sister showcase their **culinary prowess**. While **I take charge of setting the table and cleaning up**, I leave the cooking to the skilled hands of my family members. **Post-lunch**, we **gather** for a movie session, **exchanging** stories from the week over shared moments of laughter and **bonding**.

In the evening, **we pay a visit to our grandparents**, **alternating** between meals prepared by my mother and aunt. The tradition dictates that Thursday dinners are a family **affair**, **bringing everyone together under one roof**.

After dinner, we **engage in heartfelt** conversations over fruits and tea before **bidding** each other goodnight and returning to our respective homes. I **dedicate** my late evenings to studying, typically from 10:00 to midnight, ensuring I **absorb** the day's lessons **thoroughly**. My night owl **tendencies** often see me retiring well past 2:00, **embracing the tranquility of the night as I prepare for the day ahead**.

Unit 5

Vocabulary:

Look for your keys

Wait for a bus

Find a parking space

Main entrance

You can have coffee downstairs

Speak up

In the parking lot over there

Musical instrument

Survey

recording contract

Entertainment

Version

Their dog's bark

Are you a noisy neighbor?

Are your neighbors noisy?

Our upstairs neighbors have two children who are constantly shouting

They have the TV on very loudly

My sister plays loud music.

Are you awake?

They are having a party downstairs.

Who's the shouting?

People on the street.

It's good to hear from you

My mom is learning to drive

Anti-noise rules

Do you have special qualifications?

You're times up.

It depends

Does she earn a lot of money?

That's not really my thing.

Let's get a coffee

He's fifty-five this year.

How nice!

Everyone is really sleepy

Where do you have lunch?

On a good day,

We don't concentrate on what the teacher is telling us.

Prepare for the college entrance exam

I lie in bed

In a word 'terrible'

The house rules here are really strict

I watch TV but with the volume low

My bathroom is next to my neighbor's bedroom.

The neighbors complain

Sunday is a day of rest in Switzerland

It happened to me

Monument

Foggy

It's always changing

In the spring the weather is very changeable

You can have all four sessions in one day

Go out

Midtown

Holiday shops

Avenue

Ice-skating rink

Cloisters

I like to see the George Washington Bridge

Palisades

across

Train tracks

Crowded up

Stand over there

Sightseeing

Psychology

Cricket

Throw in

Where can I try it on? the changing rooms are over there.

Grammar:

+==> sub + can + verb(base form)

--=> sub + can't + v(bf)

?=>can + sub + v(bf)

Present continuous

Talk about now/every day

Longer periods => ex: I'm working at home this week.

Be+verb+ing

Simple present vs present continues

sp=>

what we usually do

Things that are normally true

Use with adv and expressions of frequency

pc=>

What is happening now

Use with the right, now, today, this week

I'm going to the gym every evening

Writing:

Title: imagine you are on vacation in your country or abroad. write four different posts of about 20-25 words saying what you are doing.

1. I'm sitting on the beach, I'm watching the sunrise and everywhere is very quiet. There is no place like that...
2. In this place Just chill out, drink a cup of coffee, and watch the historic building. At the end of the day, you can go to the ZayandeRoad river and watch the moon on it.
3. In Chabahar you see the amazing movement of the ocean from the above rock.
4. The train always be late, at every station the train stands for lots of minutes so you are always late when you use the train.
5. For this look, I can watch all the buildings in Tehran. From this here all people look like a tiny ants. I love Milad Tower.

AI improvement:

1. I find solace sitting on the beach, witnessing the breathtaking sunrise in complete silence. There is truly no other place like it.
2. Here, I can simply relax, savor a cup of coffee, and admire the historic buildings surrounding me. As the day comes to an end, I can stroll along the ZayandeRoad River and gaze at the moon reflecting on its tranquil waters.
3. In Chabahar, the sight of the ocean's mesmerizing movements from atop a rock is truly awe-inspiring.
4. However, the trains in Tehran are notoriously late, with frequent lengthy stops at each station causing delays for passengers.
5. From this vantage point, I can marvel at the vast expanse of buildings in Tehran, making the bustling city seem like a miniature world below. The towering Milad Tower holds a special place in my heart for its grandeur and beauty.

Unit 6

Grammar:

object=> Me, You, Him, Her, It, Us, Them

Objects go after the verb and prepositions(with, to, from)

They often help me with my children.

Verb + ing after like, love, don't mind, hate

Sleeping, Stopping, Studying, Swimming

He doesn't mind being home late

What kind of music are you listen to?

Do you play in a band?

She doesn't listen to you

Why are you crying? Because I'm feeling sad

Are you a big fan of Barcelona?

Are you a member of a fan club?

How often do you download music?

What kind of music do you like listening to when you are sad?

Vocabulary:

1st => first

2nd=> second

3rd => third

4th => fourth

In + years/months

On + dates

March 12th => the twelfth of March

Pale green

Asparagus

Leaves

yacht

forum

karaoke

Awful

Terrible

Concert hall

Orchestra

Brilliantly

Conductor

Addiction

Through

viola

On my day off

Informal email:

Beginning: Hi+name

Middle: use contractions

End: best wishes or love

Writing:

Title: My Favorite Times

Q1: what's your favorite time of day? why?

Q2: what's your favorite day of the week?

Q3: what's your favorite month?

Q4: what's your favorite season?

Q5: what's your favorite holiday?

Q1:

First, I should mention that the best part of the day is when you have planned your day, and end of the day you have done all of that. That moment is terrific. But all I can say is my favorite time of day is the night when everyone is asleep and everywhere is quiet I consider that's the perfect time of day for everything like studying, thinking, lying in bed even cooking.

Q2:

My favorite day of the week is Wednesday cause you have nearly to the weekend

Q3:

My favorite month of the year is March since it's near to the Iranian New Year the weather is cool and everyone is happy for New Year and the people see each other.

Q4:

I like fall. I do, I mean weather not cold, not warm. In the Fall we have lots of delicious fruit like Apples, Cranberries, Dates, Figs, Grapes, and Persimmons. Also in the fall, you can bike your bicycle inasmuch as the weather is good for the bike.

Q5:

I love Noroz holiday. It is an Iranian holiday in which everyone celebrates the new year and every member of the family sees each other and has fruit and nuts and talks together about the past year. Every individual in Noroz buys a new dress and wears a new dress for holidays and elder people give money to young people. I love these traditional customs.

AI improvement:

Q1:

Planning and accomplishing tasks throughout the day is fulfilling, but my favorite time is at night when the world is quiet and serene. I find it to be the perfect moment for activities like studying, reflecting, relaxing in bed, and even cooking.

Q2:

Wednesday is my favorite day of the week as it marks the approach of the weekend.

Q3:

March is my preferred month of the year, as it heralds the Iranian New Year. The cool weather brings a sense of joy as people come together to celebrate and reconnect.

Q4:

I enjoy fall for its mild weather, providing a perfect balance between cold and warm temperatures. This season offers a variety of delicious fruits like apples, cranberries, dates, figs, grapes, and persimmons. Additionally, the pleasant weather in the fall makes it ideal for cycling.

Q5:

The Noroz holiday holds a special place in my heart. This Iranian celebration brings families together to welcome the new year, sharing fruits and nuts while reminiscing about the past year. Each person dons a new outfit for the occasion, and elders traditionally give money to the younger generation. I cherish these time-honored traditions.

Writing:

Hello miss. Peyvandi

My name is Fateme Jadidi. I'm 23 years old and I live in Tehran Iran.

I'm a student at the University of Semnan practically I am studying Artificial intelligence and soft computing.

I'm studying English to get my IELTS degree to apply for a PhD at an American university and I want to get a higher score as well as possible.

I live with my parents but currently live in a dorm. I'm seeing my family once a month.

I have two elder sisters and no brothers who work in Tehran. One of them is a teacher and the other works in the office

My mom is a houseworker and my dad is a bus driver. I love them.

I don't have much free time but before sleep, I like to chat with my friends and hang out on YOUTUBE and watch funny videos. After that i listen to hip hop music and then fall asleep

Best wishes

Fateme

AI improvement:

Dear Miss Peyvandi,

I am Fateme Jadidi, a 23-year-old student residing in Tehran, Iran. Currently, I am pursuing my studies in Artificial Intelligence and Soft Computing at the University of Semnan. My goal is to achieve proficiency in English to obtain my IELTS certification, enabling me to pursue a Ph.D. at an American university. I am determined to attain the highest possible score in this endeavor.

While I originally resided with my parents, I now reside in a dormitory, visiting my family once a month. I have two elder sisters who both work in Tehran; one is a teacher, and the other is employed in an office. My mother is a homemaker, and my father works as a bus driver. Their unwavering support means the world to me.

Despite my busy schedule, I make time to unwind by chatting with friends and watching amusing videos on YouTube before listening to hip-hop music to relax before sleep.

Warm regards,

Fateme

Unit 7

Admission

Negro League baseball

career

Filder

Primarily

Shortstop

Second base

Outstanding

Era

Increase

Precarious

Oversaw

Rise

Enrollment

Endowment

Inventor

Incandescent

Light bulb

Phonograph

Wife => wives

We often add -er or -or to a verb like a writer, actor

We often add -ian, -ist or -man/woman to a noun like a musician, artist, novelist, sport man

Movie director

Politician

Composer

At work/home/school

In bed/the library/my car/college

On the bus/the train/the street

That's really nice of you

Sounds interesting

I need to answer

See you in there?

Don't be silly

No way

That's when I get home from work

I know the weekend is near

I love riding my bike

Grammar:

+=>Sub + was/were

-->sub +wasn't /weren't

?=?was/were + sub

Yesterday was Sunday.

Was it hot today?

Were the tickets expensive?