

# ENGLISH

## Chapter 23 Session B

**1st**  
SECONDARY

**SUMMER FUN**

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# HELICOMOTIVATION



**1** Read the blog. What activities can you see in the photos?

## Awesome things to do over summer break!



In this week's blog, we look at some great ways to spend a 'staycation'.

### 1 Be a tourist at home

Perhaps you can't go on vacation but you can be a tourist in your town. **Go sightseeing** and visit places of interest. **Go on a bus tour** or just walk around.

### 2 Get wet!

Spend a day at the swimming pool or go to a water park. Better still, **go on a day trip** to the beach and swim in the ocean.



### 3 Spend time outside

Go for a bike ride every day or **go for a walk** in the park. When it's sunny, take a book or music and sunbathe. Don't forget your sunglasses!



### 4 Make mealtimes special

**Go for a pizza** with friends at a local pizzeria or invite them to your house and have a barbecue at home.

### 5 Enjoy the arts

Find out what's going on in your town during summer break. Visit a museum or an art gallery. If you prefer live music, go to a concert.



### 6 Help out

Don't just **hang out with friends** all summer, do something useful. Volunteer for a local charity or offer to take care of neighbors' pets.

### 7 Organize visits

Take time to visit family – aunts, uncles and cousins. Arrange to **stay with a friend** or invite them to stay with you.




## 2 Match the definitions to some of the phrases in bold in the blog.

- 1 eat pizza in a restaurant
- 2 visit a place for a day
- 3 spend time with friends
- 4 visit interesting places in a town or city
- 5 sleep at a friend's house
- 6 walk for fun
- 7 lie in the sun


1. **Go for pizza.**
2. **Go on a day trip.**
3. **Hang out with friends.**
4. **Go sightseeing.**
5. **Stay with a friend.**
6. **Go for a walk.**
7. **Sunbathe.**

### 3 Complete the phrases with the correct words from the blog.

- 1 Go on a bus tour/a day trip
- 2 Go to a water park/a concert
- 3 Go for a bike ride/a walk/a pizza

4  Work in pairs. What do you think are the three best ideas in the blog? Why?


# Phone conversations and messages

- 5**  **50** Listen to six people expressing how they're feeling. Match the words in the box to the speakers.

bored   confused   excited  
nervous   sad   surprised



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|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. <b>Speaker 1 – confused</b>  | 4. <b>Speaker 4 – sad</b>     |
| 2. <b>Speaker 2 – excited</b>   | 5. <b>Speaker 5 – nervous</b> |
| 3. <b>Speaker 3 – surprised</b> | 6. <b>Speaker 6 – bored</b>   |

**6**  **51** Listen to three speakers on the phone.

How is each speaker feeling?

a Sam

b Nina

c Ed

**a. Sam -excited**

**b. Nina – sad**

**c. Ed – bored**





**7** Listen again. In which extract does a speaker talk about a plan to ... ?

1 go for a walk

Extract 3

2 go to a water park

Extract 1

3 take care of a younger sister

Extract 2

4 hang out with a friend

Extract 3

5 meet on the weekend

Extract 2



## 8 Listen again and answer the questions.



- 1 When and where do Sam and Alisha plan to meet? At the bus station at eight o'clock.
- 2 When is the music festival? On Saturday.
- 3 When does Lily plan to buy tickets? Tomorrow.
- 4 When does Ed want to meet his friend?  
This afternoon.
- 5 What two activities does he say that they can do? Go for a walk or play video games.

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**Work in pairs. Answer the questions.**

- 1 How long are the school breaks in your country?  
(How many weeks?)
- 2 Do you ever feel bored during summer vacation? Why/Why not?
- 3 What do you think is the ideal number of weeks for summer vacation?

**1** Read the examples and complete the rule.**Affirmative**

I'm **going to** buy tickets tomorrow.

She's **going to** take care of her sister.

They're **going to** try the new water slide.

**Negative**

I'm **not going to** take a vacation this year.

He **isn't going to** see his friends.

They **aren't going to** be home until late.

To talk about future plans and intentions, use:  
subject + be (not) + *going to* + Verb (base form)

## 2 Complete the sentences with *going to* and the verb in parentheses.

- 1 I 'm going to study (**study**) for exams next weekend.
- 2 My mom isn't going to work (**not work**) on Saturday.
- 3 My parents are going to go (**go**) shopping.
- 4 A friend 's going to come (**come**) to my place to play games.
- 5 I 'm not going to watch (**not watch**) TV.

- 3** Change the sentences in exercise 2 to make them true for you about next weekend.
- I'm not going to study for exams next weekend.*  
*I'm going to hang out with friends.*

## 4 Complete the table with *is*, *are*, *isn't* or *aren't*.

Questions	Short answers
Are you <b>going to</b> be at home this afternoon?	Yes, I <b>am</b> . No, I'm <b>not</b> .
1 <b>Is</b> she <b>going to</b> go to the concert?	Yes, she <b>is</b> . No, she 2 <b>isn't</b> .
3 <b>Are</b> they <b>going to</b> play games?	Yes, they <b>are</b> . No, they 4 <b>aren't</b> .

## 5 Order the words to make questions.

1 vacation / go / going / on / Are / you / to ?

**Are you going to go on vacation?**

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2 going / Where / to / you / go / are ?

**Where are you going to go?**

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3 stay / to / are / you / Where / going ?

**Where are you going to stay?**


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4 to / you / going / on / go / Are / any day trips ?

**Are you going to go on any day trips?**

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**6**  Work in pairs. Ask and answer the questions in exercise 5.

## 7 Read the examples and circle the correct option in the rule.

We're **meeting** at the bus station at 8:00.  
A band **is playing** in the park on Saturday.  
What **are** you **doing** this afternoon?

We use the present progressive to talk about  
**possible/definite** arrangements in the future.

## 8 Read Marco's calendar and write sentences about his plans for the week.

Monday	meet Liam 1:00
Tuesday	have a guitar lesson 5:30
Wednesday	take a bus to the water park 8:00
Thursday	go to the movies with Izan 7:00
Friday	stay with Adrian
Saturday	travel to the mountains

*On Monday, he's meeting Liam at one o'clock.*

1. **On Tuesday, he's having a guitar lesson at five thirty.**
2. **On Wednesday, he's taking a bus to the water park at eight o'clock.**
3. **On Thursday, he's going to the movies with Izan at seven o'clock.**
4. **On Friday, he's staying with Adrian.**
5. **On Saturday, he's traveling to the mountains.**

9 Circle the correct option.

## GRAMMAR ROUND-UP

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

## HOMEWORK



## Why not try geocaching this summer?

I **1 discover/'m discovering/discovered** geocaching two years **2 before/ago/past**. The idea is simple. You go to the geocaching website, and it **3 give/is giving/gives** you the location of a box. You use the GPS on your phone to find it.

There **4 is/are/was** objects in the box. You take one, but you **5 can/can't/must** put another object back into the box – those are the rules of the game!



The last time I went geocaching, for example, there **6 is/was/were** a key ring. I **7 take/'m taking/took** it and put in some pens.

This summer, I **8 will/going to/'m going to** do it again. I love being in the countryside, and this is **9 good/better/best** than going for a walk. Try it, you **10 love/are loving/will love** it!