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GOALS AND PLANS | self-study
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                        Past Tenses
         Grammar
                       Expressions with Time; Prepositions in Expressions with Time
         Vocabulary
         Listening
                        Talking about plans
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                Task 1-4 | Vocabulary
        Task 1
        Look at the following expressions and their meaning. Make one example sentence with each one.
        1. Phrase: all the time
           Definition/Synonym: always
        2. Phrase: from time to time
           Definition/Synonym: sometimes
        3. Phrase: be out of time
           Definition/Synonym: not have any more time available
         4. Phrase: have the time of one's life
           Definition/Synonym: have a fantastic experience
        5. Phrase: be pressed for time
           Definition/Synonym: not have a lot of time to do something
        6. Phrase: time is money
           Definition/Synonym: expression meaning that someone's time is important
                   Hide answers
        Task 2
        Rephrase the sentences so that the meaning stays the same. Use the phrases from the box. You can use each expression only once.
           at all times
                              time is money
                          have the time of one's
           out of time
                                    life
          from time to
                              pressed for time
               time
        e.g. I'm sorry, the time limit is over for you. Please hand over the papers. - I'm sorry, you're out of time. Please hand over the papers.
        1. Anne sometimes speaks with Alex on skype.
            ✓ Anne speaks with Alex from time to time.
        2. Believe me. You're going to have an amazing experience there.

✓ Believe me. You're going to have the time of your life.

        3. Please put your pens down, your time is over.
            ✔ Please put your pens down, you are out of time.
         4. He couldn't see me because he didn't have a lot of time yesterday.

	→ He couldn't see me because he was pressed for time yesterday.

        5. Drivers must always pay attention to the road.
            ✔ Drivers must pay attention to the road at all times.
        6. Remember that we should respect each other's time.
            ✓ Remember that time is money.
          Check Hide answers Reset
        Task 3
        Study the following rules and cases of use of prepositions in expressions of time and remember them.
             Preposition
                                                      Use
                                                                                                            Examples
                                                                                     in July; in September
                                    in months
                                                                                     in 1985; in 1999
                                    year
                                                                                     in summer; in the summer of 69
              in
                                    seasons
                                    part of the day
                                                                                     in the morning; in the afternoon; in the evening
                                    duration
                                                                                     in a minute; in two weeks
                                    part of the day
                                                                                     at night
                                    time of day
                                                                                     at 6 o'clock; at midnight
              at
                                    celebrations
                                                                                     at Christmas; at Easter
                                                                                     at the end of the week
                                    fixed phrases
                                                                                     at the same time
                                    days of the week
                                                                                     on Sunday; on Friday
                                                                                     on the 25th of December
                                    date
             on
                                                                                     on New Year's Eve; on Easter Sunday; on my
                                    special holidays
                                                                                     birthday
                                    a special part of a day
                                                                                     on the morning of September the 11th
                                    later than sth.
                                                                                     after school
             after
                                                                                     before Christmas
             before
                                    earlier than sth.
                                    time that separates two points
                                                                                     between Monday and Friday
             between
                                    not later than a special time
                                                                                     by Thursday
             by
                                                                                     during the holidays
              during
                                    through the whole of a period of time
                                    period of time
                                                                                     for three weeks
             for
                                                                                     from Monday to Wednesday
             from ... to
                                                                                     from Monday till Wednesday
                                    two points form a period
              from... till/until
                                                                                     from Monday until Wednesday
                                    time of the day
                                                                                     23 minutes past 6 (6:23)
             past
                                    point of time
                                                                                     since Monday
              since
             till/until
                                    no later than a special time
                                                                                     till tomorrow/until tomorrow
                                    time of the day
                                                                                     23 minutes to 6 (5:37)
             to
        Task 4
        Insert the correct preposition of time where necessary.
        1. Kate is arriving on January 26 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
        2. We met at the restaurant at 6:30 and stayed till | untill
                                                                     10:30.
        3. Rachel is leaving on Friday morning.
        4. I have to send the report by the end of the working day.
        5. I began working on the project ___ yesterday.
        6. On New Year's Eve in the US there's a tradition to kiss the one you love at midnight.
       7. Don't be ridiculous; there were no telephones in the seventeenth century! The telephone was invented in the 1870s.
        8. The train leaves tomorrow morning at 8:10 AM. So, let's meet at the entrance of the station at a quarter to 8.
        9. The hills here are covered with wildflowers in early spring.
        10. It snows here every year in December. We always go outside and play in the snow on Christmas day.
                   Hide answers
      Task 5-7 | Listening
        Task 5
          Listen to the conversation between Ann, Sam and Rhonda and write what plans they have for the holidays.
          PLANS for the holidays
        Task 6
        Listen to the conversation again and answer the questions.
        1. Why is Sam going to Thailand?

✓ He wants to get away from the cold.

        2. Why is Max, Rhonda's husband, not going to be at home at Christmas?

✓ Max is going to be on call at the hospital during the holidays, five days straight.

        3. What kind of seminar is Ann going to attend?

✓ It's a personal development workshop.

        4. Why is Rhonda skeptical about the seminar at first?

✓ She thinks such seminars are just a way of getting money from people.

        5. What topics are they going to cover at the seminar?

✓ Goal setting, prioritizing and build- ing effective strategies.

         6. Why is Rhonda changed her mind and decided to join Ann?

✓ She thinks she will spend more money by staying with her in-laws and going shopping.

                   Hide answers
        Task 7
        Look at the sentences with future forms from the conversation and identify the structure and the usage. Then find more examples in the
        audio script.
        1. What's everyone doing for the holidays?
            ✓ Present Continuous; asking about plans and arrangements
        2. I'll be happy to see a palm tree instead of a Christmas tree!

✓ Future simple; predictions

        3. Max's parents are coming to visit.
            ✔ Present Continuous; arrangements
        4. I'm attending a personal development workshop. This is my Christmas present to myself.
            ✔ Present Continuous; arrangements
        5. I hope the workshop will help.
            ✓ Future simple; predictions, hopes
         6. We are going to talk about goal setting.

✓ be going to; plans

                  Hide answers
                Task 8-10 | Grammar
        Task 8
        Look at the examples and match them with the use and form.
             7. – I ordered a chicken salad. – Sorry,
                                                                                                           h. Spontaneous decision/ decision made at
                                                            H. Will
                                                                                                           the moment of speaking
              sir, I will take this back and get you a
              salad.
              1. – We are going to visit the natural
                                                            B. Be going to
                                                                                                          b. Intention/plan
              history museum.
             6. – Will this package get there in time?
                                                                                                           g. Prediction for the future Arrangement in
                                                            G. Will;
              – Don't worry, I'm sending it by express
                                                             Present Continuous
                                                                                                           c. Arrangement, definite plan (you know the
             2. – The men are delivering the furniture
                                                            C. Present continuous
                                                                                                           time, the place, the people)
              tomorrow.
              5. – Look at the baby! He's going to eat
                                                            F. Be going to(prediction)
                                                                                                           f. Prediction based on evidence
              that worm!
              - Oh, dear, be careful. You are going to
              break your neck!
                                                            E. Will (promise)
              4. – She'll call us as soon as she reaches
                                                                                                           e. Promise
              London.
              3. – The Smiths arrive at 6.30, we must
                                                            D. Present simple
                                                                                                          d. Timetable/ schedule
              be ready!
        Task 9
        Fill in the gaps with the appropriate future form.
        1. Alex is meeting | 's meeting
                                            (meet) a friend tomorrow.
        2. I think it will snow | 'll snow
                                              (snow) soon.
        3. Perhaps I will visit | 'll visit
                                              (visit) Australia one day.
                                      (leave) tomorrow?
        4. What time are you leaving
        5. Who will win (win) the next World Cup?
                                                       (not fail) he exam next week.
        6. I'm sure you won't fail | will not fail
                                            (visit) my parents at the week-end.
        7. I am visiting | 'm visiting
        8. Don't touch that dog. It is going to bite | 's going to bite you
                                                                            (bite) you.
        9. They are coming (come) for a meal tonight.
        10. Look at those clouds, it is going to rain | 's going to rain
                                                                         (rain).
        11. What do you want for lunch?
          - I think I will have | 'll have
                                            (have) chicken and some salad.
        12. John has come back from England.
                                                        (see) him tonight.
          - I know. I'm going to see | I'm seeing
        13. I haven't got any money.
          – I will lend (lend) you some if you want.
        14. Andrew and I are getting (get) married in April.
          - Really? Congratulations!
                                                                (meet) ) on Sunday?
        15. Are we meeting | Are we going to meet
          - Sorry, but I am visiting | 'm visiting
                                                       (visit) my aunt. She is expecting me.
        16. Is Alice coming to the party?
                                                                (probably / be) late.
          - Yes, but he will probably be | 'll probably be
        17. Jack is in hospital.
                                            (send) her some flowers.
          - Really? I will send | 'll send
                   Hide answers
        Task 10
        Describe Lucy's schedule for tomorrow using future forms and the information below.
                                                            Meet Lucy
                                                            She always has a lot to do. She juggles studying and running a business
                                                            from home, all while taking care of her new son and the housework.
                                                            See Lucy's schedule

 6 am - 10 am: feed baby

    1.30 pm: post office, bank

    10 am - 12 pm: baby naps

                                                                                                       · 2.30 pm: baby to daycare

    10 am: computer on, begin work

    3 pm: business management

    10 am - 12pm: work:

                                                                                                          course (1 hour)
                                                               - return e-mails
                                                                                                        · 4 pm: pick up baby, return home
                                                               - make phone calls

    4.30 pm - 6 pm: work

                                                               - fulfill orders
                                                                                                       · 6 pm: make dinner
                                                               - organise payments

    7 pm: eat dinner, start baby's

                                                                                                          bedtime routine

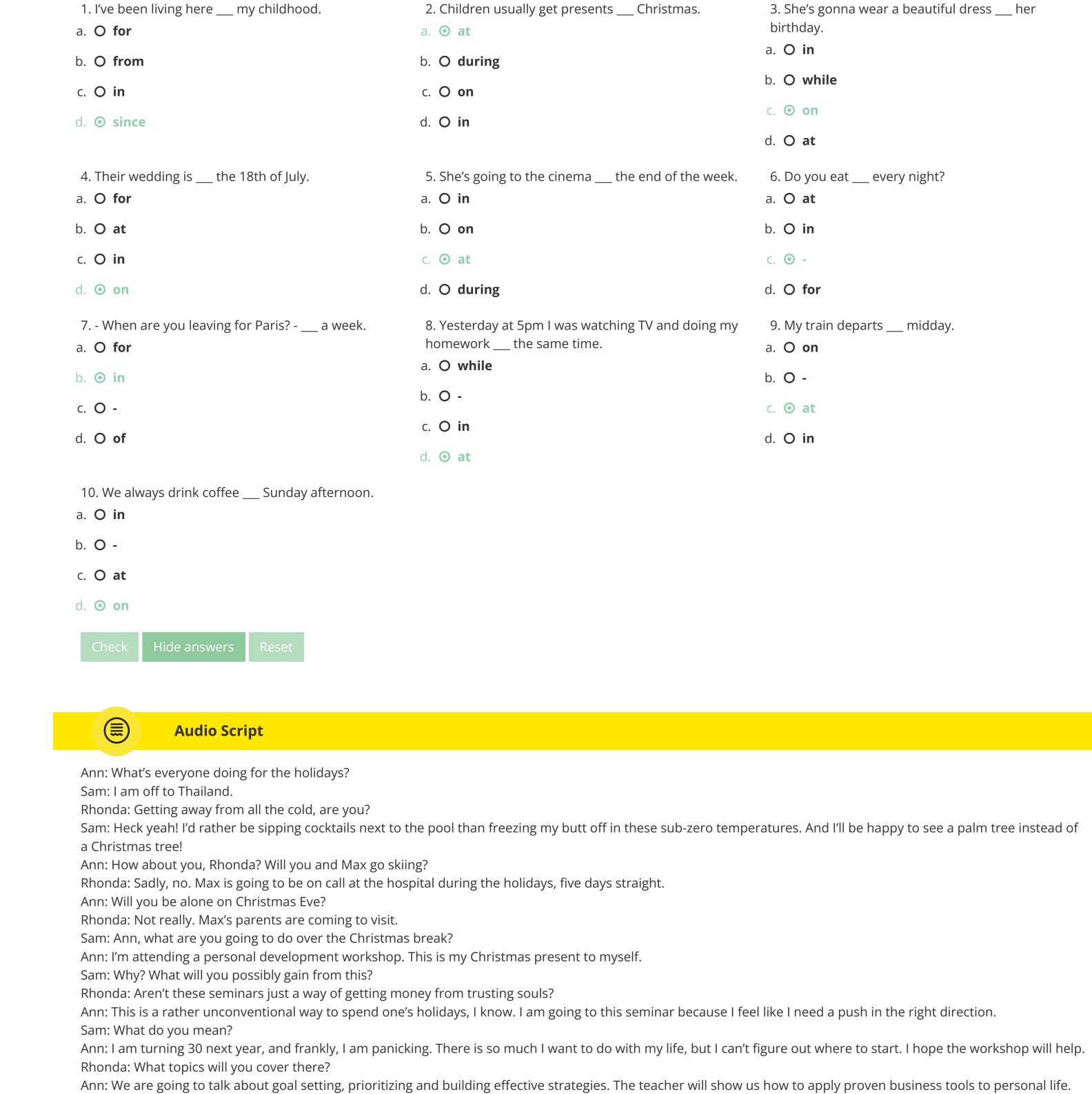
    12 pm: baby lunch, play, change

                                                                                                       · 8 pm: wine and relax

    12.30 pm: dishes, housework

                                                              (clean)
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Sam: That actually sounds interesting. Is this a one-time seminar or will there be other sessions later in the year?

Rhonda: In that case, I am going with you. I will spend more money by staying here with my in-laws.

Ann: That's the best part – just \$99.99 per day, accommodation and catering included. The workshop's Christmas edition is 50% off!

Rhonda: I will be so bored and depressed that I will go on a shopping spree. \$99.99 per day is peanuts to what I'll spend!

Ann: There is one every two months.

Sam: How so?

Rhonda: I am still skeptical. How much did it cost you?

✓ Save

Choose the correct option.

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