

# 7A



## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework



Unit 7A

Vocabulary: Making an evaluation (1)

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I always stay in the North Hotel because it has a good **reputation**.

Ben liked that restaurant so he's going to **rate** it highly on the website.

We have three **options**: we can walk, cycle or take the bus.

The students did not understand the task so they **consulted** the teacher.

My brother **checked** out the hotel to see if it had a business room.

They were very hungry, so their first **priority** was to find somewhere to eat.

The unusually warm weather was one **factor** they considered when they bought new coats on their skiing holiday.

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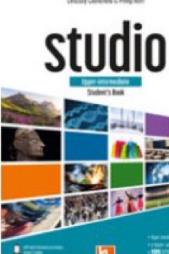
## Vocabulary: Making an evaluation (2)

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Find eight words connected to making an evaluation.

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Vocabulary: Making an evaluation (3)

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I think we should consult an expert.



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### Unit 7A

#### Grammar: Adjective order (1)

Grammar: Adjective order (1)

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5 / 5 points (100%)

It's a pretty little square box.

That's the best ten-year-old's painting I've ever seen.

It's a big brown English sheepdog.

We bought an old French silver clock.

This is an amazing modern Chinese invention.

#### Grammar: Adjective order (2)

5 / 5 points (100%)

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#### Details:

There's a **dirty** old plastic bag on the ground.

The car's got comfortable brown **leather** seats.

They're beautiful **tall** wooden buildings.

They're ugly modern **glass** houses.

It's a **lovely** ancient Egyptian statue.



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### Unit 7A

#### Grammar: Adjective order (3)

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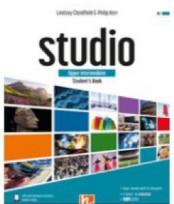
There's a **tasty French** cheese in the fridge.

The stadium has an amazing **grey metal** roof.

Pedro lives in a **pretty old** house by the sea.

The village has got **an ancient stone** castle in the middle.

Pam was a **shy middle-aged** woman.



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### Unit 7A

#### Listening: University challenge (1)

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Jem is interested in Newcastle University because people say it is good. **TRUE**

The problem with Newcastle is that it's not near to where she lives. **TRUE**

Tom wants to visit Bournemouth University. **FALSE**

His priority is to find a university where he can study film. **FALSE**

Nottingham University has lovely beaches. **FALSE**

Jem doesn't think she will study medicine at Cambridge University. **TRUE**

#### Listening: University challenge (2)

5 / 5 points (100%)

##### Details:

Which of the following is not a problem with studying at Newcastle?

**It is not a cheap place to live.**

What is Bournemouth University like?

**It is a large, modern university near the sea.**

What is Tom's top priority for a university?

**It must be near the sea.**

What does Tom say Jem should do?

**Talk to his brother about studying medicine.**

What is the problem with Cambridge University?

**It is very difficult to get a place there.**

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### Unit 7A

#### Listening: University challenge (3)

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7 / 7 points (100%)

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Newcastle University has a good **reputation**.

The weather is a **factor**, too, because it's very cold there in the winter!

I've **checked** out Bournemouth University.

People **rate** Bournemouth highly for film studies.

I love water sports, so that's my **priority**.

Another **option** for me is Nottingham University.

You should **consult** my brother.

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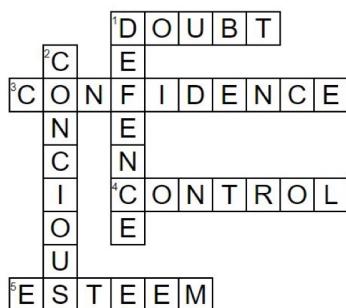
DO THE CROSSWORD.

**Across**

- 1 When you are unsure about yourself, you have self-\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 When you are not nervous about things you do, you have self-\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 When you know what you are doing all the time, you have self-\_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 When you think highly of yourself, you have self-\_\_\_\_\_.

**Down**

- 1 If you are able to protect yourself, you are good at self-\_\_\_\_\_.
- 2 If you are always worried about how you look, you are self-\_\_\_\_\_.



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Vocabulary: Words beginning with *self-* (2)

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I admire my uncle. He didn't go to university but he **self-taught** himself Spanish. He had a lot of **self-control** because he had a job in factory and studied for three hours a night! Now he is **self-employed** and translates Spanish novels into English from his office at home. He lives in a bad part of the city, but never worries about where he goes, even at night. He has a lot of **self-confidence**, but I think that's because he is also very good at **self-defence**. He has a black belt in karate!

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### Unit 8A

Vocabulary: Words beginning with *self-* (3)

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6 / 6 points (100%)

Masoud often reads self-help books to **help him improve how he lives**.

When I was a teenage girl, I never wanted to look at boys **because I felt very self-conscious**.

Jacob has lost both his job **and his self-esteem**.

That footballer has a lot of self-control **and never gets angry**.

I could never be self-employed **because I'd never get up in the morning!**

I think it's impossible to be self-taught **how to drive a car**.



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### Unit 8A

#### Grammar: Linkers of purpose (1)

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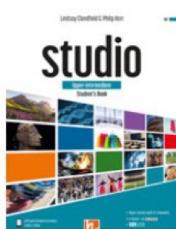
We went to the shops to **buy some bread**.

I put my key on a big key ring in order **not to lose it**.

The advertisement was very large so that **everyone would see it**.

Aaron studied hard so **he could pass the exam**.

You need to wear gloves so that **you're not cold when we go outside**.



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#### Grammar: Linkers of purpose (2)

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5 / 5 points (100%)

**Close the doors to keep the heat inside.**

**Carla is not eating any sweets in order to lose weight.**

**Go to the theatre now so you can buy tickets before they've sold out.**

**They drove on the old road so that they could enjoy the views.**

**We checked in online in order that we had more time at the airport.**



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#### Grammar: Linkers of purpose (3)

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We bought a takeaway meal **so** that we didn't have to cook.

You need the instructions book in **order** to understand how the oven works.

They took the train in order **not to** get stuck in traffic.

I sent my old friend a photo of me **so that** she knew what I look like now!

Annie went to the bakers **to** buy some cakes.

## Reading: Mindfulness (1)

5 / 5 points (100%)

Why do people often feel stressed or angry?

Because we all lead busy lives.

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What is mindfulness?

Being more aware of what is happening around you.

What should you do when you walk to school or work?

Look at the birds and trees around you.

What can you do to see the world in a different way?

Take a different route to school or work.

What else can help with mindfulness?

Doing yoga or deep-breathing.

## Reading: Mindfulness (2)

6 / 6 points (100%)

We all lead busy lives, and it is often easy to feel stressed or even angry. Sometimes it can be hard to keep your **self-control**. Experts say that people like this might need **self-help** to understand themselves better and in order to keep these emotions in check. One way of doing this is through something called **mindfulness**. Mindfulness means that you are more aware of what is happening to you and the world around you at any particular time.

So when you are walking to work or school, do not just worry about the time, think about where you are. Look at the trees, listen to the birds and smell the air. Train yourself to enjoy each moment, and then you can feel less stress and worry: you'll have more self-control.

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Experts say you should also try doing different things in order to see the world in a different way. For example, do not always sit at the same place at work or school. Try telling yourself when you are feeling anxious. For example, you might tell yourself "I'm worried about my exams." This will help you to understand your feelings and lose any **self-doubts**.

Experts say it is a good idea to do this when you can sit quietly. Yoga or **deep-breathing** can also help. Remember that mindfulness is really about learning how to stop thinking about what happened in the past or about what might happen in the future. It is about thinking about the present, in order to enjoy life for what it is: an amazing experience. Many people who have tried it say they now have more self-confidence and **self-esteem**.

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### Unit 8A

#### Reading: Mindfulness (3)

## Reading: Mindfulness (3)

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It is often easy to feel **stressed** or even angry.

Mindfulness means that you are more **aware** of what is happening to you.

**Train** yourself to enjoy each moment.

Try telling yourself when you are feeling **anxious**.

Mindfulness is about learning to stop **thinking** about the past.

Mindfulness can help people gain more **self-confidence**.

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Vocabulary: Buying and renting a home (1)

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Vocabulary: Buying and renting a home (1)

5 / 5 points (100%)

Our annual **service charge** includes a gardener, cleaner and maintenance man.

My sister's **landlord** is very helpful – he comes and fixes anything that breaks in her flat straight away.

We saved for five years to afford the **deposit** on our flat.

He is the perfect **tenant** – he is very quiet and always pays his rent on time.

We always pay our **mortgage** on time every month.

Find six words or phrases connected to buying or renting a home.

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Vocabulary: Buying and renting a home (3)

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Vocabulary: Buying and renting a home (3)

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We paid the **deposit** first to ensure that we got the house.

They couldn't move into the rented flat until the previous **tenant** had left.

My parents pay £500 a month on the **mortgage** on their house.

The **lease** on my brother's flat ran out, so he had to pay £2000 to renew it.

The second house that the **estate agent** showed us was perfect.

It's sometimes cheaper to use the same company for all your **utilities** – gas, electricity and phones.



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Unit 9A

Grammar: Cleft sentences (1)

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Grammar: Cleft sentences (1)

6 / 6 points (100%)

What worries me is how much he spent on his holiday.

The thing I like most about her is her sense of humour.

What we haven't done yet is booked the flights.

It's his attitude that annoys people.

What you don't realise is how long it will take.

One thing I don't allow is my dogs on the sofa.



## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

Unit 9A

Close

Grammar: Cleft sentences (2)

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Grammar: Cleft sentences (2)

6 / 6 points (100%)

What's the worst thing about climate change? The thing that bothers me the most is so many species of animal dying.

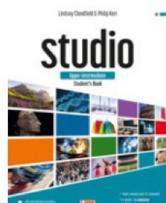
Why does James always wake up late in the mornings? I think it's staying up so late playing on his laptop that makes him so tired.

What are your plans for next year? What I'd really like to do is go travelling.

How does she manage to win so many tennis matches? It's all the practice she does that makes her so good.

Did you enjoy the film you saw last night? The thing I liked most about it was the scenery.

What do you think you'll for Christmas this year? What I'm hoping for is some new perfume.



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Unit 9A

Grammar: Cleft sentences (3)

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It's not the music I dislike, it's the volume.

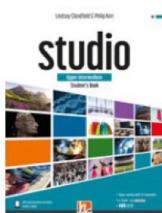
What I don't understand is, who left the door open.

The thing that I enjoyed most about my holiday was the sunshine.

It's always the children who suffer, not the adults.

Surprisingly, it's men who do the most cooking at home.

What I want to know is, who took his car keys.



## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Hom

### Unit 9A

Reading: Student housing (1)

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6 / 6 points (100%)

Student accommodation is usually of high quality. **FALSE**

An increase in students means that accommodation is cheaper. **FALSE**

Many students have to pay rent over the summer holidays. **TRUE**

Many landlords don't usually demand a deposit. **FALSE**

Some universities are building luxury accommodation for students. **TRUE**

Student accommodation needs gyms and private cinemas. **FALSE**

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With the price of accommodation so high, students often find it very difficult to find somewhere to live. And when they do, it's not unusual for it to be expensive and of poor quality.

So why has the state of student housing become so bad?

One reason for this is the rise in the number of students. Many universities have dramatically increased their student intakes over the last ten years and this has led to a shortage of accommodation in many university towns.

It's the fact that there are more students than houses that means **landlords** can charge higher rents and still get **tenants**. What this accommodation shortage also means is that landlords can get away with demanding large **deposits** and not keeping the accommodation in good condition. Many students also complain that they have to pay rent during the summer holidays when they are not living in their accommodation, and that landlords charge extra for the **utilities**.

What makes the situation worse is that some universities are building large apartment blocks with en-suite bedrooms, gyms and other luxury facilities. This may sound like a good idea, but the **rent** they charge is usually much higher than the student loan. So, it's only the wealthy few students who can afford to live there, while poorer students struggle to find somewhere cheaper. And these large apartment blocks are usually built and managed by private companies, who don't always maintain them to the highest standards. One thing that would really help students is for universities to build **affordable** non-profit housing that is run by the university for the benefit of students.

Alice, from South Coast University, has been struggling to find any affordable accommodation for her second year. As she says, "What students really need is cheap, well-maintained accommodation, not gyms and private cinemas. What really matters to me is having somewhere warm that I can study. It doesn't have to be large and flash, just safe and with a basic level of comfort."



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### Unit 9A

Reading: Student housing (3)

6 / 6 points (100%)

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An **increase** in the number of students is one cause of the accommodation shortage.

Many students **complain** about paying rent during the holidays.

Only **wealthy** students can afford to live in the luxury apartments.

**Private** companies don't always maintain their apartments well.

Students **are struggling** to find affordable accommodation.

Most students want cheap **well-maintained** accommodation.

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Unit 9A  
Pronunciation: Cleft sentences

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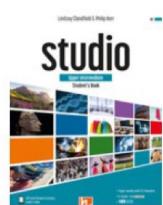
7 / 7 points (100%)

What is especially difficult about learning Greek **is the different endings.**  
What the world needs **is less plastic in the oceans.**  
One thing that we learnt in English today **was how to write a conclusion.**  
The thing that I always enjoy at weekends **is walking in the mountains.**  
It was only when I saw Beth that I **realised we had met before.**  
It is often the weather that **stops big sports events.**  
It is usually animals that **suffer most from climate change.**

Find seven nouns ending in *-ness* and *-ty*.

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## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

### Unit 9B

Vocabulary: Nouns ending in *-ness* and *-ty* (2)

Vocabulary: Nouns ending in *-ness* and *-ty* (2)

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6 / 6 points (100%)

The **visibility** was very poor that night – we could hardly see a thing.  
 When you're driving, **tiredness** can be dangerous – always take a break every two hours.  
 Her **anxiety** was becoming a real problem – she was always worried about something.  
 We take **safety** very seriously, so you must always wear a helmet and use ropes when climbing here.  
 The **remoteness** of the cottage was very difficult – it was a thirty minute drive to the nearest shop.  
 A doctor was called to the hotel because the **sickness** spread very quickly, and three people were sent to hospital.



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### Unit 9B

Vocabulary: Nouns ending in *-ness* and *-ty* (3)

Vocabulary: Nouns ending in *-ness* and *-ty* (3)

10 / 10 points (100%)

*-ness*: **weak**, **well**, **aware**, **lonely**, **strange**

*-ty*: **intense**, **stupid**, **beautiful**, **popular**, **creative**

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## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

### Unit 9B

#### Grammar: Comparing nouns (1)

#### Grammar: Comparing nouns (1)

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5 / 5 points (100%)

I think the stew needs a bit **less salt** in it next time.

We saw far **fewer whales** than we expected.

He took many **more books** than he needed on holiday.

I'd like a few **more peas** please.

There's a little **more cake** if anyone wants it.

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## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

### Unit 9B

#### Grammar: Comparing nouns (2)

#### Grammar: Comparing nouns (2)

5 / 5 points (100%)

Most people eat **far** more meat than they need to.

Please take as **many** clothes as you can for the trip because it will be cold.

It's a bit **more** icy than I expected.

There's not as **much** countryside here as there is near our house.

That's a very big portion – can I have **slightly** less, please?



## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

### Unit 9B

#### Grammar: Comparing nouns (3)

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#### Grammar: Comparing nouns (3)

6 / 6 points (100%)

Do you have as **much** paint as you need to finish the room?

If he'd run **a little** faster, he would win the race.

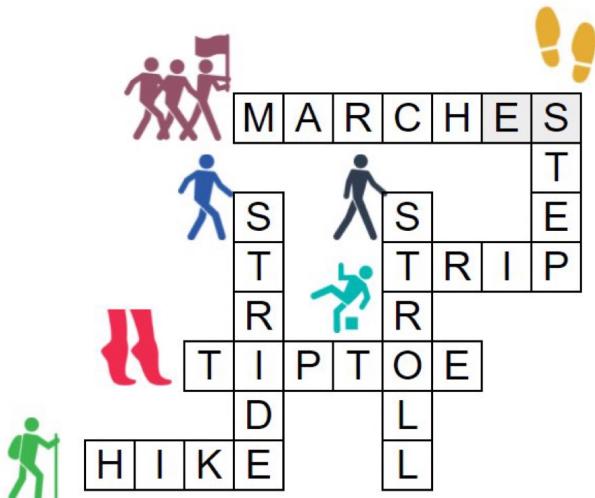
We like it better here in autumn, when there are **fewer** tourists.

We get **less** sun here than in our old garden.

**Many** more people are living to be 100 now.

A few **more** of us will attend the conference this year.

Do the crossword.



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## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

Unit 10A

Vocabulary: Walking (2)

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Vocabulary: Walking (2)

9 / 9 points (100%)

It was a lovely day, so we decided to **hike** across the mountains.

Let's go for a **stroll** on the beach before it gets dark.

We saw the soldiers **march** on a **parade** through the city centre.

The children should **step** carefully on the ice as it is not very thick.

The footballer hurt his leg and now he is **limping**.

My mother and father always **tiptoe** into their bedroom so they don't wake up my baby brother.

Put those toys away or your grandmother will **trip** on them when she visits.

Adam has got very long legs and **strides** quickly to work every morning.

### Vocabulary: Walking (3)

6 / 6 points (100%)

People limp when they ...

**have hurt their leg.**

People usually go on a parade ...

**for a special public event.**

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People usually walk on tiptoe when ...  
**they want to be quiet.**

People usually stroll when they ...

**are not in a hurry.**

People might trip if ...

**they don't see something on the ground.**

People usually hike ...

**over mountains for fun.**



## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

### Unit 10A

#### Grammar: Participle clauses (1)

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#### Grammar: Participle clauses (1)

5 / 5 points (100%)

There are a number of cinemas **showing** the new Bond film.

The boy, **acting** in his first play, got fantastic reviews.

Ronaldo, widely **known** for his amazing goals, comes from the island of Madeira.

The new hotel's outdoor pool, **heated** by solar panels, is warm even in winter.

The planet Saturn, first **seen** with a telescope in 1610, is perhaps the most famous planet.



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### Unit 10A

#### Grammar: Participle clauses (2)

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#### Grammar: Participle clauses (2)

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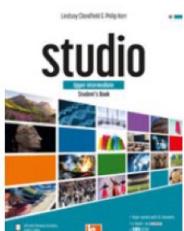
Thomas Hardy, **known** for his long novels, was also a famous poet.

The latest electric bikes, **using** modern batteries, have allowed even older people to cycle across mountains.

My second complaint, **connected** to the first, is that the food wasn't cooked!

There were a lot of guards **stopping** people entering parts of the palace.

The word dwindle, first **written** by Shakespeare, means to get smaller in size or strength.



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### Unit 10A

#### Grammar: Participle clauses (3)

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#### Grammar: Participle clauses (3)

5 / 5 points (100%)

The cameras, watching the outside of the airport, **filmed everything that happened**.

Modern airplanes have larger windows, **letting people see outside more easily**.

The onions, cut into small pieces, **should be cooked for two minutes**.

There are a number of people **waiting for the museum to open**.

Delhi, sadly famous for its terrible pollution, **is not an easy place to live**.



## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Home

### Unit 10A

#### Listening: A soldier's life (1)

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7 / 7 points (100%)

The first thing Chris learned as a soldier was how to march. **TRUE**

They have parades on every day except for public holidays. **FALSE**

Chris finds it difficult hiking in the mountains. **FALSE**

It is easy to trip over rocks when they walk in the mountains. **TRUE**

Some soldiers limp to their tents at the end of the day. **TRUE**

Chris never goes for walks at the weekend. **FALSE**

Chris would recommend his job because he is often away from home. **FALSE**

#### Listening: A soldier's life (2)

5 / 5 points (100%)

What is difficult about marching?

**You have to march at the same speed as other soldiers.**

Why are his walks into the mountains not relaxing?

**They stride quickly up hills covered with rocks.**

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Why do some people limp to their tents?

**Because they have tripped over rocks.**

What does Chris like to do at the weekend?

**He likes to stroll in the park with his family.**

What does he recommend about his job?

**Travelling to different countries.**



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#### Listening: A soldier's life (3)

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7 / 7 points (100%)

Our **parades**, often on public holidays, need a lot of practice!

**Marching** is easy compared to some of the other things we have to do.

I've always loved **hiking** in the mountains, but the walks we do in the army are not so relaxing!

We have to **stride** quickly up really steep hills.

There are often big rocks, **making** it is easy to trip over.

I've also got a baby daughter, **meaning** weekends are a special time for me.

Parts of the job, **taking** me to different countries for example, are really enjoyable.

# 11A



## STUDIO Upper-intermediate | Cyber Homework

Unit 11A

Close

Vocabulary: Similarities and differences (1)

Vocabulary: Similarities and differences (1)

6 / 6 points (100%)

People say that my brother and I are **alike**, but although he **resembles** me in looks – we are both tall with blond hair – he is nothing like me in character. In **contrast** to my brother, who loves all sports, I prefer reading and the arts. He also **differs** from me because he loves the countryside while I prefer the city. However, his like of animals is **comparable** to me, although he likes dogs and I prefer cats. Also, his car is **identical** to mine: we both have an Audi A3!



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Vocabulary: Similarities and differences (2)

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My old house in the city is nothing **like my new house in the country**!

Andy's new girlfriend resembles **his old one: they are both short with brown hair**.

Kate realised that her best friend's dress was **identical to hers, so she decided to wear something else to the party**.

Electric cars differ from petrol cars because **they are much quieter**.

This new phone is distinct from **the previous model because it is smaller and lighter**.

The UK's population is getting larger, in contrast to **many countries in Europe**.

Ben has a new job in the bank, although the pay is **comparable to his old job**.



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Vocabulary: Similarities and differences (3)

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Kiera's sister looks nothing **like** her sister.

Your new coat is identical **to** your old one!

The online recipe differs **from** the one in the book.

Adam is very strong, much **like** his father.

Emperor penguins are distinct **from** other penguins because they are very tall.

Max is very lazy, in contrast **to** his sister, who always works very hard.

My favourite team's win against Barcelona today is comparable **to** their amazing win two years ago!

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Grammar: *like, unlike, as if, as though* (1)

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5 / 5 points (100%)

When the policeman walked into the park, it seemed **like** a normal day. Then he heard something that **sounded** like a baby. It sounded as **if** it were crying. He saw something behind a tree, but when he saw it, it looked **unlike** any baby he had seen. In fact, it was an angry cat! It was facing another cat and looked **as** though it was going to attack it!

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5 / 5 points (100%)

The beach was so amazing that it felt like **I was in a dream**.

The socks are made from a type of grass, although they feel like **they are made from cotton**.

The car made a strange noise and sounded as if **it was going to stop at any moment**.

There are no buses today, so it looks as though **we'll have to walk**.

This book is really exciting, unlike **the author's boring first book**.



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Grammar: *like, unlike, as if, as though* (3)

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**This bag feels like real leather.**

**It looks as though it's going to rain later.**

**The bread tastes as if it were baked yesterday.**

**Steve looks like he needs a rest.**

**The team played well today, unlike last week.**

## Reading: Goodbye to the robots (1)

8 / 8 points (100%)

In 2015, there was great excitement when the world's first hotel opened that was run by robots. The Japanese hotel's name, *Henn-na*, means 'Strange Hotel' and you can understand why. It had a receptionist who **looked** like a dinosaur. It could check people in using any language, **unlike** your usual receptionist. The robot porter had a big metal arm for carrying luggage: it looked **as** though it could carry very heavy bags! In every room, a small robot could do jobs for you when you asked it. For example, it could tell you the weather and turn the lights on or off (in **contrast** to most hotels, there were no switches in the rooms).

However, a few years later and it seems as **if** human hotel staff can start to feel a little happier. The hotel has now decided to lose half of its robots (it once had 243 of them). It appears as **though** the robots were causing the hotel a lot more work than they expected. So what happened?

People staying at the hotel often called the hotel owners because they had problems with the robots. The robots were not able to answer many of the guests' questions. Some robots even tried to answer guests' questions when they were asleep. The guests were in fact snoring, but the robot's answers woke them up!

It **seems** like the first robot hotel was using robots that were not quite ready for the jobs they had to do. The owner knew that they couldn't do some jobs – such as making the beds – but now admits that robots **differ** from humans because they are not so good at making guests feel at home.

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## Reading: Goodbye to the robots (2)



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Reading: Goodbye to the robots (2)

6 / 6 points (100%)

The writer thinks the robot hotel is quite strange. **TRUE**

A dinosaur could check people in. **FALSE**

The robot porter was a very strong metal arm. **TRUE**

Today, half of the hotel's robots are broken. **FALSE**

Some robots did not know how to answer guests' questions. **TRUE**

Humans are better at doing some jobs in the hotel. **TRUE**

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## Reading: Goodbye to the robots (3)

5 / 5 points (100%)

Why was the hotel called 'Strange Hotel'?

**It had strange robots working there.**

Which of the following could the robots in the rooms not do?

**make the beds**

Which robots did the hotel decide to stop using?

**half of them in the hotel**

How did some of the robots wake guests up?

**By answering questions that they thought the guests asked them.**

What was the main problem with the robots?

**It seems they weren't as good as humans at many things.**

## 12A



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Vocabulary: Nouns with prepositions (1)

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Sadly, we've had limited contact **with** our cousin since he moved back to the US.

I don't like his attitude **to** me – he always seems quite patronising.

The class has great respect **for** their tutor – he has written a lot of important papers on astrophysics.

The woman said that she had sympathy **for** the poor, but she didn't know how to help them.

The company was accused of prejudice **against** its female employees.

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Vocabulary: Nouns with prepositions (2)

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Young people have a much greater awareness **of** climate change **today**.

I have huge sympathy **for** Ben because **he lost his job**.

Jess is aiming for proficiency **in** English **by the end of the year**.

There is great prejudice **against** immigrants **in some parts of the country**.

She has a good grasp **of** the language, so I'm sure she will be able to translate **for us**.

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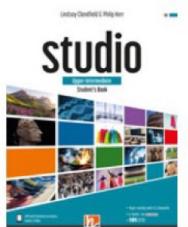
Eva shows a great attitude **towards** her studies – she will do well.

There is certainly awareness **of** the problem of climate change, but more needs to be done.

In traditional societies, it is very important to show respect **for** older people.

I'm going to put you in contact **with** a group that should be able to help you with your project.

Jem's grasp **of** the basic facts is appalling – he will have to start from the beginning again.



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Grammar: Reflexive pronouns and *each other* (1)

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5 / 5 points (100%)

They wanted to paint all of the house **themselves**.

He looked at **himself in the mirror**.

Are we going to give each **other Christmas presents this year**?

You can't do it all **yourself, can you?**

I think of **myself as quite clever.**



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Grammar: Reflexive pronouns and *each other* (2)

Do your brothers and sisters get on well with **each other**?

You need to prepare **yourself** for the culture shock, before you travel to India.

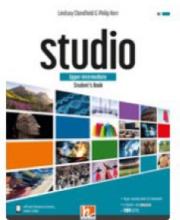
We can't do it **ourselves** – we'll need to get some help.

I don't think they really love **each other**, do you?

Discuss this amongst **yourselves**, then we'll decide what to do as a team.

She managed to write the email **herself**, although she's only five.

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**They didn't speak to each other for seven years.**

**Clean your teeth first then get yourselves ready for bed.**

**I really embarrassed myself by spilling my drink on her coat.**

**We often don't see ourselves as others see us.**

**Let's help each other with our homework tonight.**

# 12B

## Vocabulary – Comment adverbs (1)

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Find six comment adverbs.

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Vocabulary – Comment adverbs (2)

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obviously  
weirdly  
supposedly  
theoretically  
strangely



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Vocabulary – Comment adverbs (3)

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He **foolishly** left his keys inside the house.

The test was **supposedly** very easy, but none of us could do it.

**Luckily** I found my debit card behind the sofa.

The man on the train kept looking at me **strangely**, so I moved into a different carriage.

What it comes down to **basically** is that we all need to buy less.

She is **clearly** the brightest in the class – her exam results are way better than anyone else.

Food is such an important part of our lives, both essentially (to keep us alive) and culturally. In many parts of the world, you can tell which region or district you are in by what food is eaten and certain foods are so important that they have festivals dedicated to them.

In Bunol, in Spain, for example, the tomato is celebrated every August during La Tomatina festival. This festival is **basically** a giant food fight, with everyone throwing ripe tomatoes at each other in the streets. Luckily, the residents don't take themselves too seriously and everyone comes prepared to get covered in tomato juice.

**Weirdly**, the Italians have a similar festival in the town of Ivrea, but with oranges instead of tomatoes. Its origins come from the Middle Ages when girls threw oranges at boys they liked and the boys would throw them back! This **supposedly** romantic gesture resulted in a full-on orange fight.

Strangely, it's cheese that is the star of an annual event which takes place on Cooper's Hill near Gloucester in the UK, in May. A huge Double Gloucester cheese is rolled down the hill, followed by hundreds of people who throw themselves after it at top speed. Although no one ever catches the cheese, the person who reaches the bottom of the hill first is the winner. **Unfortunately**, there are often many injuries each year.

The Night of Radishes in Oaxaca, Mexico, is **clearly** a calmer event. Here the radish is celebrated by the town's residents who carry the vegetables into houses during the weeks before Christmas.

You might not want to eat an animal that has died in an accident, but the residents of West Virginia in the USA **obviously** enjoy it, since they host an annual competition for the most interesting meal made from animals such as deer or rabbits that have been killed by cars.

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Unit 12B

Reading – Food festivals around the world (2)

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6 / 6 points (100%)

People throw tomatoes at each other at La Tomatina festival in Spain. **TRUE**  
Girls and boys throw oranges in Ivrea because they don't like each other. **FALSE**  
The cheese-rolling festival can be quite dangerous. **TRUE**  
People throw radishes at each other in Oaxaca, Mexico. **FALSE**  
A festival in the USA eats animals that have been killed by cars. **TRUE**  
Chefs in Bessieres make 15,000 Easter eggs each year. **FALSE**

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Reading – Food festivals around the world (3)

Reading – Food festivals around the world (3)

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5 / 5 points (100%)

The **tomato** is celebrated each year in Bunol in Spain.

Boys and girls in Ivrea **throw oranges at** each other to show they like each other.

People in Gloucestershire chase cheese **down a hill**.

Before Christmas, the people of Oaxaca take **vegetables** into their houses.

The **chefs** of Bessieres use eggs to make an omelette.