

Unit 4

Test Practice

Speaking Task 3 Fixing Appointments

Student B

It is the school holidays. This is your diary. With your partner, arrange

- to go to the cinema
- to go jogging together
- to help you fix your computer

6 Monday	go to the gym in the morning.
7 Tuesday	
8 Wednesday	go to the gym 9–11am. Cindy's birthday party 7pm.
9 Thursday	dentist 5.15pm.
10 Friday	go to the gym in the morning. pick up Fiona from airport around 3.30pm.
11 Saturday	John's housewarming party, starts at 7pm.
12 Sunday	church (late morning service 10.30–12.00).

Getting Together

When we talk about arranging to meet people, we can use **appointment, meeting, date** and **get-together / get together**.

A **date** describes a meeting between two people who have a romantic relationship.

You **make** or **have an appointment** with a doctor, dentist, hairdresser, or manager.

A **meeting** usually involves a group of people in formal situations.

A **get-together** is an informal meeting or social gathering. *We're having a small get-together on Sunday.* The verb is **get together** (note that there is no hyphen).

Shall we get together on Friday for a drink?

When we talk about getting together with friends, we usually use verbs.

I'm seeing Jill at ten tonight. I met up with John and Dave on Friday.