

ROADMAP™

Grammar

1 Complete the sentences with the present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Peter isn't working (not work) at the moment.
- 2 What are you watching (watch) on TV?
- 3 We aren't staying (not stay) at my parents' house.
- 4 Jane is cooking (cook) dinner in the kitchen.
- 5 Is she studying (study) now?
- 6 I can't talk right now, I am driving (drive).
- 7 Who are they waiting (wait) for?

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2 Tick (✓) the correct answer, a or b.

- 1 We go go shopping on Saturdays.
a always ✓ b at the moment
- 2 Let's stay inside. It is outside.
a 's raining b rains
- 3 Today I am for my exams.
a study b 'm studying
- 4 Nick usually takes the train to work.
a takes b is taking
- 5 Look! Some people are in the river.
a are swimming b swim
- 6 They always have dinner at 7.00 p.m.
a are having b have
- 7 What is at the moment?
a are you doing b do you do
- 8 Dario is to music in his room right now.
a 's listening b listens

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3 Complete the conversation with the superlative form of the adjectives in brackets.

A: What's ¹ the most famous (famous) place in your city?
B: The bridge. It's ² the oldest (old) bridge in this area.
A: That's interesting. What's ³ the best (good) way to travel in your town?
B: Good question! ⁴ the fastest (fast) transport is the metro and it's ⁵ the most comfortable (comfortable). But it's also ⁶ the most expensive (expensive).
A: I live in a village so ⁷ the easiest (easy) way to get around is to walk.
B: Has your village got any public transport?
A: There are a few buses, but they don't come very often. People say it's ⁸ the worst (bad) bus service in the country!

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Vocabulary

4 Choose the correct alternatives.

- 1 At weekends, when the weather is good, we go to the beach / sky.
- 2 The sea / air in the city isn't very fresh.
- 3 I think living in the countryside / river is healthier than in the city.
- 4 We go walking in the mountains / water in the summer.
- 5 There is a small island / countryside in the sea.

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6 At night there are so many stars in the trees / sky.

7 Rebecca goes swimming in the sea / air every day.

8 Many large cities are next to rivers / islands.

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5 Match weather phrases 1–7 to pictures A–G.



A



B



C



D



E



F



G

1 It's cloudy. B

2 It's raining. —

3 It's windy. —

4 It's sunny. —

5 It's cold. —

6 It's snowing. —

7 It's warm. —

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6 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

arrive arrive book get off go leave
stay take

1 What time does your coach arrive ?

2 Angela wants to go to Istanbul by train.

3 Let's book a room for two nights in July.

4 They usually stay at a cheap guest house.

5 Remember to get off the train at the right station.

6 Cristina wants to take a trip to Canada.

7 It's important to arrive at the airport two hours before the flight.

8 The journey is about six hours, so we have to leave home at 8.00 a.m.

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Function

7 Complete the conversation with the words in the box.

again book can hear hello help is
say see speaking that

A: ¹ Hello, James ² —.

B: Hello. Is ³ — The Dinner Lounge?

A: Yes, it is.

B: ⁴ — I please ⁵ — a table for 8.00 p.m. on Saturday?

A: Sorry I didn't ⁶ — that.

B: 8.00 p.m. on Saturday.

A: ⁷ — that Saturday the 24th?

B: Yes. For four people, please.

A: Sorry, can you ⁸ — that ⁹ —?

B: Four people, please.

A: OK. ¹⁰ — you on Saturday at 8.00 p.m.

B: Thanks very much for your ¹¹ —.

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