

UNIT 1 : FREE TIME

LESSON 3

A. VOCABULARY

a. Match the words to their definitions:

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| 1. hobby | ☐ | A. directions that help you cook food or make drinks |
| 2. bake | ☐ | B. an untidy, even dirty condition |
| 3. recipe | ☐ | C. something you do for fun when you are not working |
| 4. brownie | ☐ | D. to make food such as bread or cakes in an electric device |
| 5. mess | ☐ | E. a kind of cake people make from chocolate and other ingredients |

b. Fill in the gaps with the words in Exercise a.

6. Ann : “ Do you have a good _____ for bún bò Huế?”
Ben : “ No, let me search on the internet.”
7. Mary enjoys cooking but she hates cleaning up the _____ after meals.
8. It's too late to heat up the oven and _____ the chicken, so she changes her mind to cut it up and fry it.
9. Painting is an exciting _____ that you can try and practice no matter the season.
10. My mom makes a chocolate _____ for my birthday next week.

B. LISTENING

a. Listen to a secondary school student talking about his hobby. Circle the correct options.

1. What is his hobby?
A. playing ball games B. playing cards C. playing chess D. playing sports
2. When did he start this hobby?
A. when he was five B. when he was six C. when he was seven D. when he was eight
3. Who taught him to play this game?
A. his friend B. his father C. his father's friend D. his brother
4. How often does he go to his club?
A. every day B. every Sunday C. on Saturdays and Sundays D. once a week
5. Why does the student find this game helpful?
A. Because it helps him to concentrate B. Because it helps him to relax
C. Because it helps him to have fun D. Because it helps him to think faster

b. Listen to a group of students talking about their hobbies. Match the students to the activities.

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| 6 ☐ | Mia | A photography |
| 7 ☐ | Ben | B soccer |
| 8 ☐ | Tony | C yoga |
| 9 ☐ | Hanna | D movies |
| 10 ☐ | Edd | E arts and crafts |



C. READING

a. Read the text about hobbies. Circle the best options.

A hobby is a regular activity that people do for fun, especially during 1) _____ leisure time. Hobbies include such activities 2) _____ collecting things, participating in arts and crafts or playing sports. Hobbies can follow what is happening in the community. In other words, a trend might affect a hobby. Video games are an example. Video games 3) _____ popular nowadays because of the development of technology.

People 4) _____ engage in particular hobbies are hobbyists. They are the people who have an interest in hobbies and time to pursue them. Children are a large group of hobbyists because they have time 5) _____, they are enthusiastic about collecting and discovering things.

Video games



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| 1 A its | B their | C our | D his |
| 2 A as | B like | C of | D with |
| 3 A is | B be | C are | D to become |
| 4 A that | B who | C which | D whom |
| 5 A so | B because | C but | D and |

b. Read the text about Jane's hobby. Circle the best answers.



Jane

There are many different activities to do in my free time, but I love reading books the most. My father used to take me to bookstores on the weekends when I was a little girl so I could pick out my favorite comic books. He also purchased some bedtime storybooks, and he read **them** to me every night. That was a wonderful memory. I keep the hobby as a habit even now. I now enjoy reading books such as novels and science fiction. Novel stories take me to another world as if I were on a magical journey with Harry Potter, Robinson Crusoe or Tom Sawyer. I can also learn more about the world, and I could explain such things as why apples always fall to the ground or why there is often a rainbow after the rain. I sometimes read books in my room, but I prefer going to my school library. I can borrow many books without having to pay any money. I particularly enjoy the moment when everyone's **attention** is drawn to the books in their hands. The library is quiet, and everyone appears to get lost in their exciting world. Reading is an exciting free time activity that I enjoy.

- Which is **True** about Jane?
 - She likes going to the bookstore on the weekends.
 - She likes reading books in her free time.
 - She likes talking about Harry Porter.
 - She likes books about rainbows after the rain.
- What does the word **them** refer to?
 - bookstore
 - comic books
 - bedtime storybooks
 - novels and science fiction books
- What kind of books **DOESN'T** Jane mention on the text?
 - novels
 - folktales
 - comics
 - science fiction
- Which word is **CLOSEST** in meaning to the word **attention**?
 - interest
 - mind
 - focus
 - notice
- Which is **NOT** true about Jane's school library?
 - She can read books there for free.
 - She enjoys seeing people reading books there.
 - It is quite place for reading.
 - Everyone easily gets lost when going there.

D. SPEAKING

Talk about yourself. Answer the questions

1. What's your hobby?

2. When did you start this hobby?

3. Where do you often do it?

4. When do you often do it?

5. What do you think about this hobby?



E. WRITING

a. Fill in the gaps using the phrases in the box

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- A the kitchen at home
- B love cooking the most
- C a relaxing hobby
- D started this hobby
- E often cook on the weekend



I have a lot of hobbies, but I 1) _____. I 2) _____ when I was ten. First, my mother taught me how to bake cookies. Then I learned some other recipes on the Internet. Now I can cook a lot of dishes and I also teach my brother how to cook. I often cook in 3) _____. I always follow the recipes when I make cakes. I 4) _____. That is the time when all of our family members are at home and enjoy a happy time together. Cooking is 5) _____, and I love it.

b. Write a passage about one of your hobbies. Write 80–100 words or more.

In my writing, I use correct...

- vocabulary ☐
- grammar ☐
- spelling ☐
- punctuation ☐
- linking words ☐