

1 PERMISSION AND REQUESTS

a Re-order the words to make phrases for permission and requests.

1 jacket / pass / you / can / my
Can you pass my jacket ?

2 OK / window / I / is / open / if / a / it
?

3 mind / that / would / repeating / you
?

4 you / of / take / me / a / could / photo
?

5 you / if / here / mind / sit / do / I
?

6 you / do / could / you / bag / carry / think / my
?

b Circle the correct responses to the questions from a.

1 Yes, I can. / Sure.
2 No problem. / Yes, it is.
3 No, I wouldn't. / Not at all.
4 No problem. / Yes, I could.
5 Of course not. / No, I don't.
6 Yes, I could. / Sure.

c Complete the requests with the correct form of a verb from the list.

do join pass meet take visit

1 Could you do me a big favour?
2 Is it OK if we join my parents this weekend?
3 Would you mind meeting me at the airport?
4 Do you mind if I take you?
5 Can you pass the salt?
6 Do you think you could visit me to the station?

d Match the requests from c to responses a-f.

a 4 Of course not. Take a seat.
b 1 Sure. Here it is.
c 2 Yes, of course. What time's your train?
d 3 It depends what it is!
e 5 Not at all. When do you land?
f 6 Sure. Which day would be best?

2 SOCIAL ENGLISH

a Complete the highlighted phrases in the conversations with a word from the list.

come days mind see talk way

1 A Hello Richie. You're here at last!
B Hi Andy. It's great to see you, mate.

2 A Come and sit down, Helen. It's been too long.
B I know. We've got so much to talk about.

3 A How mind you're so late?
B Sorry, I missed the bus.

4 A This is nice. You and me having dinner together.
B Yeah. Just like the old days.

5 A Shall we go out tonight?
B I'd rather stay in, if you don't mind.

6 A So, shall we walk to the station?
B No man! Let's get a taxi!

b Complete the conversation with the highlighted phrases from a.

Jay Dan! ¹It's great to see you, mate.
Dan You too, Jay. It's been years.
Jay ²
Dan My flight was delayed, and then I had to wait ages for a taxi.
Jay Well, you're here now. Do you want something to eat?
Dan ³ I want to go out and see the city!
Jay Don't you want to unpack first?
Dan No, I can do that later. But I'll take a shower, ⁴
Jay Sure. Go ahead.
Dan This is great. You and me getting ready to go out.
Jay Yeah. ⁵
Dan Right, I'm ready. Let's go. ⁶
Jay That's true. So much has happened since we last saw each other.

Can you remember...? 1–5

1 GRAMMAR

Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Write three words. Contractions are two words, e.g. *isn't*.

- 1 I met my partner six years ago.
I've known my partner _____.
- 2 I'll carry that case for you.
_____ that case for you?
- 3 Jacob started studying at 9.00 a.m., and he's still studying now.
Jacob _____ since 9.00 a.m.
- 4 Playing football is prohibited in the pedestrian zone.
You _____ football in the pedestrian zone.
- 5 I can't go to your party next Friday.
I won't _____ go to your party next Friday.
- 6 My sister cried a lot when she was a child.
As a child, my sister _____ a lot.

2 VOCABULARY

Circle the word that is different.

- 1 boiled tinned roast steamed
- 2 selfish stubborn bossy reliable
- 3 tax voicemail budget loan
- 4 ferry road works traffic lights zebra crossing
- 5 call back dial hang up propose
- 6 captain stadium coach referee

3 PRONUNCIATION

Circle the word with a different sound.

 bull	1 could food good sugar
 boot	2 lose pool cook huge
 computer	3 propose mortgage petrol stubborn
 horse	4 course draw score world
 bird	5 hurt sport earn worse

4 GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY

Complete the article. Write one word in each space.

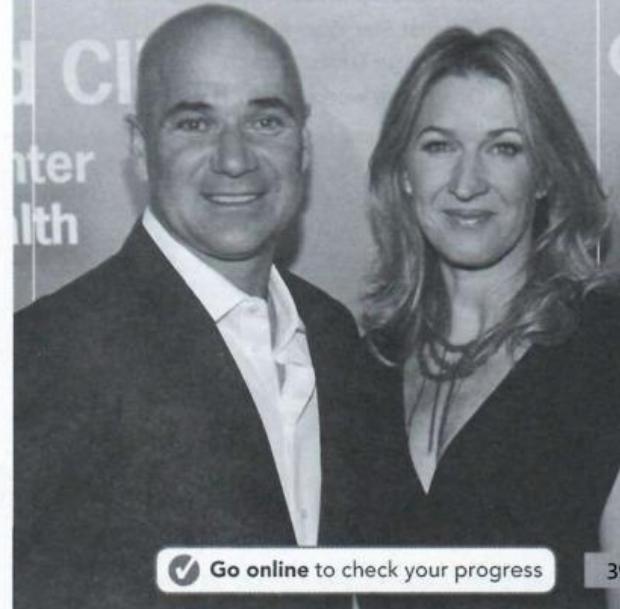
A perfect match

Andre Agassi and Steffi Graf both used to be very famous tennis players. They're also a¹ _____. The pair have been married² _____ 2001, and they have two teenage children.

Agassi and Graf have a lot³ _____ common. When they were little, their fathers were very ambitious for them. As children, they⁴ _____ to practise for hours each day to become successful players.

In 1992, both Agassi and Graf won Wimbledon, but they didn't actually meet until 1999, when they both won the French Open tournament in Paris. At the time, the two were quite different⁵ _____ each other. Agassi was famous⁶ _____ his wild appearance and rebellious personality, while Graf was quieter and⁷ _____ sensible. The two started going⁸ _____ together after the tournament, and they've been together ever since.

During their careers, Agassi and Graf earned a lot of money, and today they⁹ _____ worth millions of dollars. They both work for different organizations helping to¹⁰ _____ money for charity.



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