

UNIT 7

Review and extension

1 GRAMMAR

a Complete the sentences using the comparative and superlative forms of the words.

- Top speed: Kawasa 130 km/h, Shumika 140 km/h, TTR 150 km/h
The Shumika is faster than the Kawasa, but the TTR is the fastest. (fast)
- Room price: Grand Hotel €130, Hotel Central €200, Hotel Europe €260
The Hotel Central is _____ the Grand Hotel, but the Hotel Europe is _____. (expensive)
- Speakers: Soundgood ***, MusicPro ****, iListen *****
The MusicPro is _____ the Soundgood, but the iListen is _____. (good)
- Number of fans in the USA: New York Yankees 24 million, Chicago Cubs 18 million, Pittsburgh Pirates 4 million
The Chicago Cubs are _____ the Yankees, but the Pittsburgh Pirates are _____. (popular)

b Complete the text with the correct form of *used to* and the verbs in the box.

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Thirty years ago, we ¹ _____ any big supermarkets in my town. There were some small shops, and I ² _____ everything there. I liked it because I always ³ _____ people I knew, so it was very friendly. But it wasn't perfect – there ⁴ _____ a lot of different products. And the shops ⁵ _____ on Sunday or late in the evening, so I ⁶ _____ my week carefully.

2 VOCABULARY

a Complete the sentences with the words or phrases in the box.

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- I'm going to get _____ with an old friend this week.
- I get _____ much more now than in my old job.
- I'd like to get _____ at a university in a different city.
- When I was younger, I wasn't very close to my parents, but now we get _____.
- I got _____ most of my close friends when I was in school.

b Match the sentence halves.

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| 1 <input type="checkbox"/> I go running twice a week to keep | a overweight. |
| 2 <input type="checkbox"/> I'm healthy now, but I used to be | b on a diet. |
| 3 <input type="checkbox"/> I prefer to exercise than go | c fit. |
| 4 <input type="checkbox"/> I don't like cats because I'm | d weight. |
| 5 <input type="checkbox"/> When I study a lot, I often put on | e allergic to them. |

3 WORDPOWER *change*

a Is *change* a verb or a noun in sentences 1–8? Write noun (N) or verb (V).

- I just want to **change** into something more comfortable.
- I have a difficult journey to work – I have to **change** trains twice and take a bus.
- You've given me the wrong **change** – I gave you \$10, not \$5.
- I've **changed my mind** – I'm going to stay in tonight.
- I always keep some **change** in the car to pay for parking.
- We usually go shopping on Saturdays, but we're playing football **for a change**.
- Before my trip to Mexico, I **changed** some euros into pesos.

b Match the words in **bold** in 3a with meanings a–g.

Verbs

- get off a train, bus or plane and get on a different one
- put different clothes on
- exchange money for different notes or coins
- make a different decision

Nouns

- because you want a new experience
- coins
- the money a shop assistant returns to you

c Complete the sentences with the words or phrases in the box.

change trains change my mind change into
keep some change the right change
for a change change some money

- I always _____ in my pocket.
- I usually _____ comfortable clothes when I get home in the evening.
- I have to _____ on my way home.
- I usually go to the mountains, but this year I'm going on a beach holiday _____.
- I think it's better to _____ before you go abroad.
- I don't often _____ after I've made a decision.
- When I buy things, I always check that the shop assistant gives me _____.

d  Which of the sentences in 3c are true for you?

REVIEW YOUR PROGRESS

How well did you do in this unit? Write 3, 2 or 1 for each objective.

3 = very well 2 = well 1 = not so well

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| talk about life-changing events | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| describe health and lifestyle changes | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| talk to the doctor | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| write a blog about an achievement. | <input type="checkbox"/> |