

Homework Units 1 and 2

GRAMMAR

1. Complete the paragraph with the present perfect simple, the present perfect continuous, *used to*, the infinitive of purpose, or a modal with the verb in parentheses.

TV viewing habits ¹ _____ (change) a lot in recent years. In the past, people ² _____ (watch) TV shows according to a fixed schedule decided by the TV channels. In order ³ _____ (watch) shows at a different time, people ⁴ _____ (record) them on video. And consumers ⁵ _____ (not have) a lot of choices. Nowadays, viewers ⁶ _____ (not follow) a set schedule anymore. They have a much wider range of options. Several companies ⁷ _____ (start) to offer TV shows on streaming sites online, and more people ⁸ _____ (watch) shows on their cell phones or their tablets. "I think that viewers ⁹ _____ (try) to sample a range of media sources for TV shows," says one media analyst. "That would mean that the TV industry will ¹⁰ _____ (produce) higher-quality programming to keep up with demand."

FUNCTIONS

4. Complete the conversations with the words in the box.

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1. A Would you please _____ talk while this show is on?
B Oh sorry, I didn't _____ I was disturbing you.
2. A What's _____ TV tonight?
B _____ much.
3. A Would you _____ giving me some more information?
B Yes, of course. What _____ you like to know?
4. A _____ I switch over to another channel?
B Yes, of course. Go _____.
5. A Good morning. Can I _____ you?
B I _____ if you could tell me more about the spa?

VOCABULARY

2. Choose the word that goes with the noun in bold.

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| 1. history / news / weather | forecast |
| 2. cooking / political / nature | drama |
| 3. period / talk / sports | program |
| 4. costume / quiz / sports | show |

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3. Complete the text with the words in the box. You will not need all the words.

apparatus boarding diving mask sailing
suit surfing walking

I love scuba. ¹ _____ and I always take my wet ² _____ and breathing ³ _____ when we go to the beach. I sometimes go paddle ⁴ _____ or aqua ⁵ _____, but I never do kite ⁶ _____ because I don't like waves.