

6b: Vocabulary practice [Entertainment]

1 In pairs, list as many places as you can think of where people go for entertainment.

2 Complete the word(s) to match each definition. Are any of these words in your list?

1 You go here to watch a film.

c _____

2 You can meet your friends here for a coffee.

c _____

3 You can ride on a roller coaster here.

t _____ p _____

4 You go here to watch a play.

t _____

5 You go here to watch a musical performance.

c _____ h _____

6 You can see paintings here.

a _____ g _____

7 You can go ten-pin bowling here.

b _____ a _____

8 You go here to watch an opera.

o _____ h _____

2 Fill in: audience, subtitles, film, dubbed, band, performance, added, track, album, applause, songs, crowd, films, platform, horror.

1 A: I don't like watching films if the language has been dubbed. I prefer to read subtitles.

B: Really? I don't watch many foreign

2 A: There was a huge round of from the at the end of the

B: Yeah. The went wild!

3 A: This song is my favorite on the whole

B: Yeah. They're my favorite, too.

4 A: I watched a really good last night called Shawn of the Dead.

B: That sounds like a(n) film. Was it?

A: No – actually, it was a comedy.

5 A: I some great onto my playlist last night.

B: Really? Tell me the name of the music so I can see if there's anything I might like.

3 Fill in: sequel, trilogy, special effects, blockbuster, computer animated, plot, box office. Check in your dictionaries.

1 The Fast and Furious films are huge box office hits.

2 Three films make up a

3 A continues the story of a previous film.

4 make films more exciting.

5 The Lion King is a film.

6 This film is sure to be a summer

7 The was boring and predictable.

4 Fill in: stars, filmed, directed, features, is set.

1 Most Madea films were filmed in a studio.

2 Vin Diesel in a lot of action films.

3 The film in outer space.

4 The film is by Steven Spielberg.

5 Moana a shapeshifting demigod voiced by Dwayne Johnson.

6b: Vocabulary practice [Gadgets]

Look at the items. Which ones have you got?



smartphone



digital camera



smart watch



DVR



laptop



radio



game console



VR headset



MP3 player

Use the verbs to complete the phrases. Then rank the objects at the top in order of importance to you. Compare answers with a partner.

send (x2) / listen (x2) / record / play (x2) /
take / track / call

Ex: 1 call friends

- 2 text messages
- 3 the latest games
- 4 to your favourite tunes
- 5 emails
- 6 virtual games.
- 7 steps, heart rate, etc.
- 8 pictures
- 9 to music, the news, talk shows, etc.
- 10 , save and playback TV programmes

Read the instructions and number them in the correct order. Which other gadgets can you use with VR headsets?

Using a VR headset



- A Download a VR app onto your phone from an app store.
- B Mount your phone on the headset with the screen facing you.
- C Once the VR app is open, you will see a line in the centre of the app. Align this line to the centre of your headset.
- D Access the VR app on your phone.
- E Connect the hand controller of your VR headset to your phone via Bluetooth.
- F Finally, you're all set up. Have fun and try not to hit anyone!
- G Using your hand controller, start the VR app on your phone.
- H Wear the headset over your head and adjust the straps to comfortably fit you.

Match the adjectives to the phrases, then find the odd word out, as in the example.

- 1) e scary a cartoon, phone, joke, film
- 2) funny b plot, character, game, crowd
- 3) complex c thriller, adventure, drama, album
- 4) boring d book, film, song, cinema
- 5) gripping e ride, film, song, book



6b: Vocabulary practice [Prepositional phrases, Phrasal verbs, Idioms]

Prepositional phrases

Fill in: on or in.

- 1 Is there anything worth watching on TV tonight? I'm the mood for a thriller.
- 2 I saw X-Men: Dark Phoenix at the cinema last night and I was the edge of my seat!
- 3 I need to charge my smartphone. Where can I plug the charger?
- 4 I tune to this radio station every day.

Phrasal verb



Complete the sentences with the correct verb form, then explain the phrasal verbs in bold.

- 1 It's really late and I'm tired. I think I'll turn in.
- 2 I don't feel like going to the cinema – I'm going to in.
- 3 OK. I in. How do you work this digital camera?
- 4 After the concert we found a B&B to us in for the night.
- 5 Please don't in when I'm talking.
- 6 We got to the station just as the train in.
- 7 My part-time job at the cinema only in about £100 a week.

Idioms

Fill in a word from the list below, then explain the idioms in bold. Are there similar idioms in your language?

- whale
- Dutch
- leg
- storm

- 1 We had a of a time at the party.

= _____

- 2 Sam paid an arm and a for his new laptop.

= _____

- 3 Smartphones have taken the world by

= _____

- 4 When I go out with Paul, we always go – that is, we each pay half the bill.

= _____

► Writing

Group Project: Write a text giving instructions on how to

