UNIT 3 Happiness

In this unit, I will learn to . . .
- talk about what makes me happy.
- understand and use gerunds.
- look for main ideas.

1 | Vocabulary ABC

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A. Listen to the audio and read the words.

give someone a hug

garage

shout

take a break

fall on

spill

hilarious

repair

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B. Complete the sentences using the words from the box.

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You need to be careful when working in the (1) _____. There are tools and parts used to (2) _____ cars. It's easy to (3) _____ them. Today, Greg wasn't paying attention. He was walking toward a large tub of oil. We started to (4) _____, but he couldn't hear us. He (5) _____ the whole tub of oil. I cleaned it all up, but now I'm tired and need to (6) _____.

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C. Complete the sentences using the words from above.

1. You can _____ if you see they're feeling sad.
2. I can't drive to my aunt's house because my car needs to be _____.
3. We laughed at Kim's _____ joke for fifteen minutes.
4. If you _____ your drink, use this towel to clean it up.

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2 | Grammar

Gerunds

A **gerund** is a noun that is formed by adding *-ing* to a verb. Gerunds are used to talk about activities. It can go in the subject or object position.

Examples:

I enjoy *going* to the movies with my family.

Swimming is my favorite exercise.

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A. Read the sentences. Some of the words ending in *-ing* are in the present progressive (PP) and some are gerunds (G). Put a check (✓) in the correct box.

	PP	G
1. I'm going to the mall on Friday.		
2. Laughing with my friends is the best way to relax.		
3. Walking is excellent exercise.		
4. Rhonda is watching a sitcom with her sister.		
5. I don't enjoy chatting online.		
6. Flying makes many people nervous.		

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B. Complete the sentences using gerunds.

1. I miss _____ (watch) cartoons on TV.
2. I don't feel like _____ (make) my bed today.
3. She keeps _____ (call) me the wrong name.
4. Mary was praised for _____ (volunteer) in the community.
5. We have finished _____ (organize) the bookshelf.
6. Linda enjoys _____ (read) fantasies.

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C. Complete the sentences using gerunds. Make them true about you.

1. One of my family's traditions is _____.
2. I think _____ is really fun!
3. _____ is the best way to relax.
4. My family likes _____ on TV.
5. _____ is my favorite way to exercise.
6. _____ makes me happy.

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