Homework

Pre- Intermediate - day 29

1 ASKING FOR INFORMATION

Circle the correct word in each line.

A Can you recommend [1] ⓐ / the good restaurant?

B Well, YumYum [2] has / is a great Thai restaurant.

A How [3] near / far is it from here?

B Oh, it's quite [4] near / far. Just a couple of blocks.

A [5] Can / Do I walk from here?

B Sure. It'll only [6] take / need you five minutes.

A Can you show me [7] in / on the map?

B OK. We're here, and YumYum is here, [8] in / on the corner.

A Thanks. What time does it [9] close / closes?

B Not [10] after / until midnight. You have plenty of time.

2 SOCIAL ENGLISH

Complete the dialogue with one word in each space.

A Excuse me, don't I [1] kn*ow* you?

B No, I don't [2] th_____ so.

A I'm [3] su_____ I know you. Weren't you in London last year, studying English?

B Yes. Wait a minute! Yes, now I [4] re_____. You're David.

A That's [5] ri_____. And you're Ana!

B Wow! What are you [6] do_____ here?

A I'm [7] st_____ again. Still trying to improve my English! And you?

B I'm on [8] ho_____. Actually, I'm looking for somewhere to buy some stamps.

A I know [9] wh_____ the Post Office is. I'll walk with you if you like.

B Are you sure? That's very [10] ki_____ of you.

3 READING

a Read the article and answer these questions.

1 How far is the airport from the city centre? *14 miles.*

2 How much does the BART cost for two people one way?

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3 If your taxi fare is $40, how much should you tip? _____

4 How much does the airport bus cost for two adult returns?

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5 What time is the earliest bus to the airport? _____

6 Which forms of transport will take you straight to your hotel?

_____ and _____



San Francisco International Airport

San Francisco International Airport is 14 miles south of the city. Travel time to the centre during rush hour is about 40 minutes; at other times it's about 20 to 25 minutes.

Getting into town from the airport

BART (Bay Area Rapid Transit, the San Francisco metro, www.bart.gov) began running from the airport to the city in June 2003. This new route avoids traffic and costs about $6 each way, depending on exactly where you're going. *Trains* leave approximately every 20 minutes.

TAXIS from the airport to the city centre cost $30 to $35, plus tip (this should be around 10% of the fare).

AIRPORT BUSES leave from outside the baggage-claim area every 30 minutes from 5.35 a.m. to 9.05 p.m. They stop at several Union Square-area hotels, including the Grand Hyatt, San Francisco Hilton, and Palace. No reservations are needed. For the return trip, the buses pick up at hotels as early as 5.30 a.m. Make a reservation 24 hours in advance if possible. The cost per person is $13 single, $22 return; children under 12 are free.

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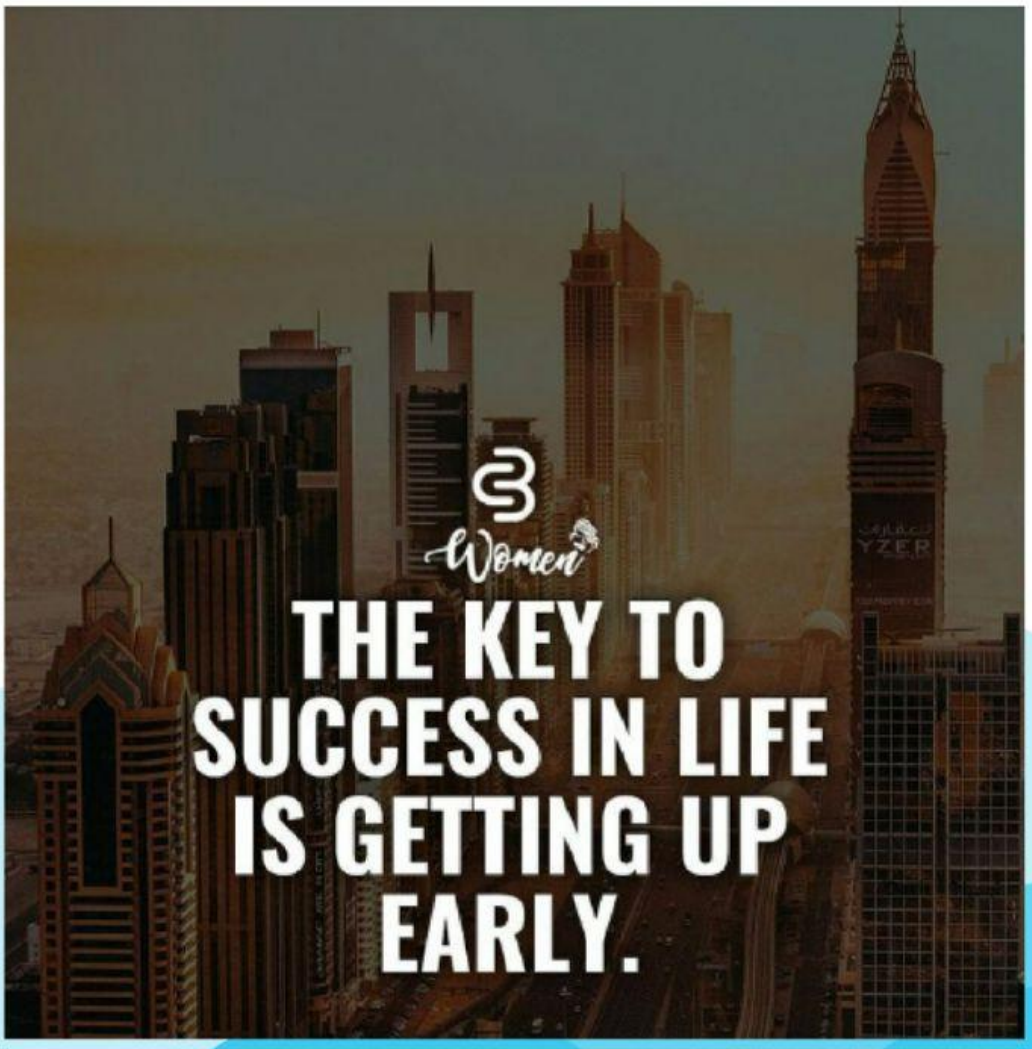
b Underline five words or phrases you don't know. Use your dictionary to look up their meaning and pronunciation.



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