


## 7B VOCABULARY: THE DAILY COMMUTE

- 1  7.6 Match the words in the box with the definitions. Listen and check.

parking lot commuter delayed on time parking space  
passenger platform public transportation rush hour traffic jam

- 1 The trains, subways, and buses people use to travel. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 The area in a station where you get on and off a train. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 A person traveling, but not driving. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 Someone who travels to work each day. \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 An area or building where people leave their cars. \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 The time of day when most people are driving. \_\_\_\_\_
- 7 A place where you can leave a single car. \_\_\_\_\_
- 8 Slow or late. \_\_\_\_\_
- 9 A long line of cars that move very slowly. \_\_\_\_\_
- 10 Not early or late. \_\_\_\_\_

- 2  7.7 Match the sentences. Listen and check.

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1 The trains never <b>arrive on time</b>. _____</li> <li>2 It <b>takes me</b> nearly two hours to get to work. _____</li> <li>3 Can I <b>give you a ride</b> to the mall? _____</li> <li>4 I work at a local school, so I usually <b>walk</b>. _____</li> <li>5 I prefer to <b>ride my bike</b> into town. _____</li> <li>6 You need to <b>start out</b> earlier. _____</li> <li>7 It's much quicker to <b>go by taxi</b>. _____</li> <li>8 I have to <b>take a bus and the subway</b> to work. _____</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a I'm going into town anyway.</li> <li>b That's why I always have my breakfast on the way.</li> <li>c You'll find one outside the station.</li> <li>d I usually miss one of them!</li> <li>e Last week I waited almost 50 minutes on the platform.</li> <li>f I always talk to people on the way.</li> <li>g You're always late for work!</li> <li>h It's faster than walking and there are good bike lanes.</li> </ol> |
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