Lesson A

A Complete the sentence with the gerund form of the verb in parenthesis.

1. (become) _____ a London taxi driver requires a lot of preparation.
2. (prepare) _____ for the taxi driver exam takes two years.
3. (memorize) _____ every street in London is difficult.
4. (drive) _____ in London is difficult.
5. (ride) _____ in a London taxi is a fun experience.

B Complete the sentence with a gerund form from the box.

1. _____ is a good way to learn new vocabulary.
2. _____ English is important for fluency.
3. _____ will help you improve your spelling.
4. _____ to the radio and to podcasts can improve your English.
5. _____ what you learn in class will reinforce the concepts for you.

listen
practice read
review write

C Complete the sentences with the correct preposition and gerund form of the verb from the box.

1. I am looking forward _____ you next week.
2. Rich is always talking _____ Japanese.
3. Thank you _____ my son this afternoon.
4. Ivan is afraid _____ on the highway.
5. Use sunscreen to protect yourself _____ a sunburn.

Prepositions:
about for from
of to
Verb:
babysit drive
get learn meet

D Match a question and a response.

1. What are you looking forward to? _____
2. What is Natalie afraid of? _____
3. Why are they happy? _____
4. What is this book about? _____
5. What do you want to be? _____

a. They are happy about getting good grades.
b. She is afraid of flying.
c. I'm interested in becoming a nurse.
d. I'm looking forward to traveling to Chicago.
e. The book is about traveling in Vietnam.

E Unscramble the sentences and questions.

1. forgetting / worry / grammar / about / you / rules? / Do _____
2. on weekends. / is / studying / He / of / tired _____
3. having / for / Are / pizza / on / dinner? / we / planning _____
4. test. / about / Think / well / the / doing / on _____

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