Lesson 1A

GRAMMAR | questions
VOCABULARY | common verbs; everyday activities
PRONUNCIATION | intonation in questions

VOCABULARY

common verbs

1 **Choose the correct word or phrase to complete the sentences.**

1 Slow, quiet music helps me ..... to sleep.
a go **b** cry **c** join

2 I want to ..... a sports club.
a hide **b** join **c** pack

3 Are you ..... for a taxi?
a waiting **b** waking up **c** hiding

4 My best friend now lives abroad and I really ..... him.
a cry **b** wait **c** miss

5 We need to ..... a bag for our trip away.
a pack **b** miss **c** hide

6 I ..... my key behind a book so no one can find it.
a hide **b** pack **c** lock

everyday activities

2 A **Match the sentence beginnings (1–6) with the endings (a–f).**

1 It's dark. Let's switch	**a** my teeth and go to bed.
2 I didn't get	**b** all the windows.
3 I think I need to pack	**c** the lights on.
4 Let's do	**d** the washing up.
5 I'm going to brush	**e** some clothes in a bag.
6 It's cold. Let's shut	**f** dressed until 11 a.m.

B **Complete the blog post with the words in the box.**

away	brush	do	dressed
dry	lock	shut	switch

A life of habits

My life is different to most people's. I wake up at 6 p.m. I get up and have a shower. I take my clothes out of the cupboard and I get [1] ..... . I [2] ..... my hair so it's not wet. I go and eat dinner with my family. I [3] ..... the washing up. I dry the dishes and put them [4] ..... in the cupboard. I [5] ..... my teeth. Then, I go to work. I work nights, from 10 p.m. to 6 a.m. I get home at 7 a.m. That's when my family has breakfast. After they go to work, I watch some TV. At about 10 a.m, I [6] ..... any open windows, take out my key and [7] ..... the door. I [8] ..... off any lights and go to bed!

GRAMMAR

questions

3 A **Choose the correct word or phrase to complete the sentences.**

1 ..... drink do you want – water or juice?
a What kind **b** Which **c** How much

2 ..... is our first meeting this morning?
a When **b** Who **c** Why

3 Who ..... that man over there?
a does **b** is **c** do

4 ..... do you do in your free time?
a How **b** What **c** Which sort

5 ..... you live here?
a Are **b** Is **c** Do

6 ..... do you travel to college?
a How many **b** How much **c** How far

B **Complete each question with one word.**

1 A: ..... do you play football?
B: I play at the local sports centre.

2 A: When ..... your birthday?
B: It's on the 12th July.

3 A: What kind ..... music do you like?
B: I like all kinds.

4 A: ..... do you ride a bike to work?
B: Because it's cheaper than driving.

5 A: ..... you got any sisters?
B: Yes, I've got one.

6 A: How many children ..... you have?
B: I have three – two daughters and a son.

7 A: How ..... is your home from here?
B: It's about three kilometres.

8 A: ..... colour do you prefer, blue or green?
B: Green. It makes me think of trees.

PRONUNCIATION

4 A **intonation in questions | Do the speakers' voices rise (R) or fall (F) at the end of each question?**

1 Who's your closest friend?
2 What colour are his eyes?
3 Does Ben live on his own?
4 Do you like chocolate cake?
5 How can I help you?
6 Do you ever play volleyball?

B **1.01 | Listen and check.**

LIVEWORKSHEETS

READING

5 Read the article. Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

Mark and Hanna are [1]**friends / married**. Their lives are very [2]**different / similar**.

6 A Choose the things that are the same for both Mark and Hanna.

1 birthday
2 place of birth
3 primary school
4 secondary school
5 job
6 type of home now
7 hobby

B Complete the sentences with a word or year.

1 Hanna's date of birth is 26 April .....
2 Mark was born in .....
3 Hanna arrived in London when she was ..... years old.
4 After secondary school, Mark got a job in a .....
5 Hanna went to university in .....
6 Mark and Hanna studied ..... at university.
7 Mark and Hanna studied at university for ..... years.
8 Mark and Hanna both live on the ..... floor of their buildings.
9 Mark and Hanna met at a .....
10 Devon is a friend of Hanna's .....

C Who said these things, Mark (M) or Hanna (H)?

1 'Cooking food for customers in the summer is hot!'
2 'I really enjoyed spending time in my home country.'
3 'I love working with students who are over 18. They're always really interested in my lessons.'
4 'It was good to go to a university close to home. I could still enjoy my mum's cooking!'
5 'One day, I want to live in an apartment on my own.'

New friends

Mark and Hanna are friends. They have a lot in common, and both went to the same school when they were very young. So why did they only become friends last month?

They were both born on 26th April. Mark was born in 1997 in London in the UK. Hanna was born in Amsterdam two years later. When Hanna was three, her family moved to the UK, to a house just ten minutes from Mark's home. They both went to Newbrook Primary School but they don't remember each other. Mark went to a different secondary school from Hanna.

After they finished secondary school, they each waited for a year before they went to university to study art. Mark worked in a restaurant to get some money and then travelled around Europe. Hanna went to Amsterdam and stayed with her aunt and uncle. Mark studied in London. Hanna went to Glasgow. They studied art for three years. Then, they both decided to stay at university for another year to become teachers. Mark finished university two years before Hanna. He got a job as an art teacher at a secondary school in London. Two years later, Hanna returned to London and got a job as an art teacher at an adult education college.

Today, Mark and Hanna both live in West London, in apartments that are on the fifth floor. Hanna lives alone, but Mark lives with a friend from university. They both enjoy going to museums and art galleries in their free time. In fact, they met at a museum. Last month, they went to a museum at the same time. Mark went with his friend Devon. Devon also knows Hanna because he's a friend of her cousin. And so, because of Devon, Mark and Hanna finally became friends!

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