10 TRAVEL

VOCABULARY Trains and stations

A Match the verbs 1–6 to the nouns a–f to make phrases.

1 buy	a) at the stop
2 get	b) in cash
3 pay	c) a delay
4 cause	d) a ticket
5 get off	e) in Lille
6 change	f) a discount

B Complete the conversations with the words in the box.

cash	delay	direct	line	platform
return	~~single~~	second class		

1 A: Yes, I'd like a ticket to London, please. For today.
B: [1] *Single*?
A: No, [2] ....., please. I'm coming back on Thursday.
B: OK. First or [3] .....?
A: Second is fine.



2 A: That's £62.70, please. How would you like to pay? By [4] ..... or card?
B: Is Visa OK?
A: Of course. Just enter your PIN here, please. Thank you.
B: Which [5] ..... is it?
A: Number 3.
B: Is it a [6] ..... train?
A: No, you have to change at Crewe.



3 A: You're late!
B: I know. I'm really sorry. There was a [7] ..... .
A: What happened?
B: We stopped for nearly forty minutes. There was a cow on the [8] ..... .
A: Oh, no.



10.1 Listen and check.

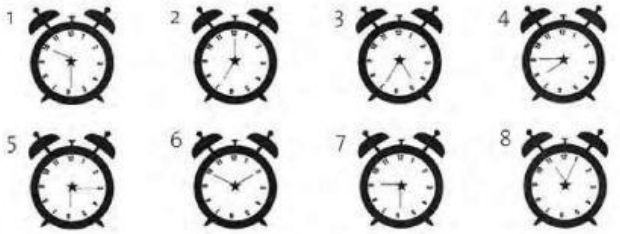
DEVELOPING CONVERSATIONS
Telling the time

Learner tip

We say '***quarter past*** *(nine)*', '***half past*** *(nine)*' and '***quarter to*** *(nine)*', not '~~***fifteen past***~~ *(nine)*', '~~***thirty past***~~ *(nine)*' or '~~***fifteen to***~~ *(nine)*'. But we can say '***nine fifteen***' or '***nine thirty***'.

A Look at the pictures and complete the times with the words in the box.

fifteen	half	o'clock	past	quarter
ten	~~thirty~~	thirty-five		



1 ten *thirty*	5 six .....
2 seven	6 ..... to two
3 four	7 ..... past nine
4 ..... to eight	8 five ..... eleven

B Write the times in a different way.

1 quarter past five	*five fifteen*
2 twenty past eleven	.....
3 five forty-five	.....
4 half past one	.....
5 twenty-five past six	.....
6 quarter to three	.....

PRONUNCIATION *to*

A 10.2 Listen and underline the phrase you hear, a or b.

1 a) It's quarter to five.	b) It's quarter past five.
2 a) Ten to two.	b) Ten past two.
3 a) At twenty-five to four.	b) At twenty-five past four.
4 a) Quarter to nine.	b) Quarter past nine.
5 a) Five to eleven.	b) Five past eleven.
6 a) Come at five to nine.	b) Come after five to nine.

B Listen again and repeat the phrases.

LIVEWORKSHEETS



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LISTENING

A 10.3 **Listen to three conversations about travel. Match the pictures a–c to the conversations 1–3.**

Conversation 1 photo [ ]
Conversation 2 photo [ ]
Conversation 3 photo [ ]

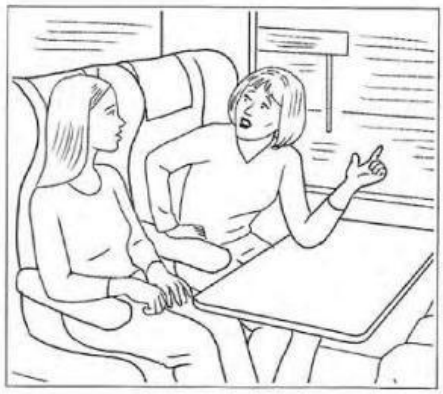
a



b



c



B Listen again and underline the correct information.

Conversation 1

1 The woman wants to go to the **station / city centre**.
2 The **bus / train** station is the next stop.

Conversation 2

3 They **have to / don't have to** change trains at the next station.
4 They **know / don't know** which platform they arrive at.

Conversation 3

5 The man **is / isn't** going to come back today.
6 He gets **15% / 50%** off his ticket.

C What do you remember about the conversations? Match the sentence beginnings 1–6 to the endings a–f.

1 Which stop do I get off at ....c....
2 Do you mean the bus station .....
3 We have to change .....
4 I don't know. Two .....
5 Yes, I'd like a ticket .....
6 Yes, you can buy a student card .....

a) or maybe three.
b) for £15.00 and then you get 50% off.
c) for the station?
d) at the next station.
e) or the train station?
f) to Preston, please.

D 10.4 **Listen and check.**



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