

Unusual schools

I can understand numbers, dates and times.

- 1 Complete the text about the West London Free School. Use the words below.

chew do go punish study wear (x2)

RULES, RULES, RULES!



In the West London Free School ...

- students have to ¹ _____ Latin.
- students have to ² _____ a uniform.
- teachers can ³ _____ the students if their hair is very short.
- students can't ⁴ _____ chewing gum.
- students have to ⁵ _____ to after-school clubs four days a week.
- students have to ⁶ _____ an hour of homework every evening.
- teachers have to ⁷ _____ long black gowns (like the teachers in *Harry Potter*!).

Listening Strategy

Make sure you know how dates, times and numbers are spoken so that you can identify them when you hear them.

- 2 1.12 Read the Listening Strategy. Then listen and tick the times and dates that you hear.

- 1 a 11.15 ☐ b 10.45 ☐ c 11.45 ☐
 2 a 12.10 ☐ b 10.12 ☐ c 11.50 ☐
 3 a 6.30 ☐ b 5.30 ☐ c 6.50 ☐
 4 a 8.25 ☐ b 8.35 ☐ c 7.35 ☐
 5 a 22.04.2001 ☐ b 02.04.2001 ☐ c 22.04.2010 ☐
 6 a 04.09.2020 ☐ b 05.12.2012 ☐ c 05.09.2020 ☐
 7 a 21 July 2010 ☐ b July 31 2002 ☐ c 31 July 2010 ☐
 8 a 16 February 2006 ☐ b February 16 2016 ☐
 c February 15 2016 ☐

- 3 Write the dates and years as we say them.

1 12.12 the twelfth of December / December the twelfth

2 01.08 _____

3 10.03 _____

4 23.10 _____

5 2001 _____

6 2015 _____

7 1995 _____

8 2020 _____

- 4 1.13 Write the numbers you hear.

1 1,345

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

6 _____

7 _____

8 _____

- 5 1.14 Listen and complete the sentences with the number, date or time you hear. (Write numbers not words where possible.)

1 My date of birth is _____.

2 School starts at _____.

3 This term ends on _____.

4 There are _____ students in my school.

5 I usually have breakfast at _____.

6 My mum's birthday is on _____.

- 6 1.15 Listen to a student at the West London Free School talking about the school. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

1 Anna doesn't like school very much. ☐

2 She learns a musical instrument. ☐

3 She does homework before dinner every day. ☐

- 7 1.15 Listen again. Choose the correct answers.

1 The school opened in ...

a 2011.

b 2010.

c 2012.

2 School starts at ...

a 8.30.

b 8.40.

c 8.50.

3 Anna has ... lessons every day.

a 3

b 5

c 6

4 The lessons are ... minutes long.

a 40

b 50

c 60

5 Anna has lunch at ...

a 12.35.

b 12.45.

c 12.55.

6 She has dinner at ...

a 6.00.

b 7.00.

c 9.00.

Adverbs of frequency; question words

I can use adverbs of frequency and question words.

1 Put the adverbs of frequency in the correct order.

always hardly ever never often sometimes usually

100% ▼	1 _____
▼	2 _____
▼	3 _____
▼	4 _____
▼	5 _____
0% ▼	6 _____

2 Put the adverbs of frequency in brackets in the correct place in the sentences.

1 School starts at 8.30. (always)

2 Matt does the washing. (never)

3 I'm tired in science lessons. (sometimes)

4 My parents work on Sundays. (hardly ever)

5 We are thirsty after P.E. lessons. (often)

6 You sit next to me. (usually)

3 Tick the answers that are true for you.

- How often do you forget to do your homework?
Never. ☐ Hardly ever. ☐ Sometimes. ☐ Often. ☐
- Do you have lunch at school?
No, never. ☐ Yes, sometimes. ☐ Yes, usually. ☐
Yes, always. ☐
- How often do you go to after-school clubs?
Never. ☐ Hardly ever. ☐ Sometimes. ☐ Often. ☐
- Do you enjoy maths lessons?
No, never. ☐ No, hardly ever. ☐ Yes, usually. ☐
Yes, always. ☐
- How often are you late for school?
Never. ☐ Hardly ever. ☐ Often. ☐ Sometimes. ☐

4 Look at your answers in exercise 3. Write sentences using adverbs of frequency.

1 I never forget to do my homework.

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

5 Put the words in the correct order to make questions.

- you / how / to / do / school / get _____ ?
- want / do / to do / you / this evening / what _____ ?
- brothers / you / how many / have / got / and sisters _____ ?
- your / when / birthday / is _____ ?
- you / do / live / where _____ ?
- do / play / you / how often / computer games _____ ?
- you / what time / do / to bed / usually / go _____ ?
- skateboard / whose / this / is _____ ?
- you / do / which / cola or lemonade / prefer, _____ ?
- a scarf, hat and gloves / got / have / you / why _____ ?
- is / who / maths / teacher / your _____ ?

6 Match the questions in exercise 5 with the answers below.

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|--|--|
| a In St James Road. ☐ | g Go to the cinema. ☐ |
| b At nine o'clock. ☐ | h Lemonade. ☐ |
| c By bike. ☐ | i 24 July. ☐ |
| d Because I'm cold! ☐ | j Mrs Stephens. ☐ |
| e Three. ☐ | k Every day. ☐ |
| f Alexandra's. ☐ | |

7 Write questions. Then write true answers for you.

- what time / usually / get up?

- how / get home from school?

- what / usually / have for lunch?

- who / usually / see / at weekends?

- what / usually / do on Friday evening?

