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Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation A

GRAMMAR

1 Make sentences about future arrangements using the present continuous.

Example: you / see / Kristoff tomorrow ?
Are you seeing Kristoff tomorrow?

1 I / spend / New Year's Eve in Scotland
_____

2 we / not go / away at Christmas
_____

3 they / travel / to Basel on Saturday
_____

4 when / Simon / get a new car ?
_____

5 I / not have / dinner with Marco tonight
_____

6 where / you / meet Qianru ?
_____

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2 Complete the sentences with *who*, *which*, or *where*.

Example: That's the woman *who* works at the airport.

1 'Café' is a word _____ comes from the Spanish word 'cafetería'.
2 This is the restaurant _____ we had dinner.
3 Kangaroos are animals _____ live in Australia.
4 A shop assistant is a person _____ serves you in a shop.
5 A snack bar is a place _____ you can get a drink or a meal.
6 He's the man _____ lives next door to my grandparents.

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3 Complete the sentences. Use the correct form of *going to* and a verb from the box.

do	stay	not enjoy	miss	not finish	pass
not rain	~~snow~~	travel			

Example: It's very cold. I think it *'s going to snow* tonight.

1 One day I _____ around the world.
2 What _____ you _____ when you leave university?
3 It's very late. We _____ this report today.
4 Do you think Hasad _____ his exams?
5 Hurry up! We _____ the train.
6 You don't need an umbrella. It _____.
7 I don't want to go to the party. I know I _____ it.
8 How long _____ Janos and Aisa _____ in Turkey?

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VOCABULARY

4 Complete the airport words in the sentences.

Example: I met Francesco in **a***rrivals* after my flight from Vancouver landed.

1 Which **t**_____ do international flights leave from?
2 Flight 0342 to Rome leaves from **g**_____ number 15.
3 After the flight they went to **b**_____ reclaim to get their suitcases.
4 We went through passport **c**_____ before we got on the plane.
5 I can't carry all these bags. I need a **t**_____.
6 She didn't stop at **c**_____ as she had nothing to declare.
7 You can take the **l**_____ or the stairs to the next floor.

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5 Complete the sentences with the correct word or phrase.

for example	place	similar
~~somebody~~ opposite	something	kind

Example: A vet is *somebody* who looks after sick animals.

1 *Tidy* is the _____ of *untidy*.
2 A dictionary has different uses, _____ you can use it to check pronunciation.
3 An onion is a _____ of vegetable.
4 A market is a _____ where you can buy fresh fruit and vegetables.
5 A passport is _____ which you need when you travel abroad.
6 *Fat* and *overweight* have a _____ meaning, but *overweight* is more polite.

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6 Complete the phrases with the correct preposition.

Example: arrive *at* work

1 wait _____ a friend
2 fall _____ love with someone
3 worry _____ a problem
4 write an email _____ somebody
5 spend money _____ books
6 pay _____ a meal
7 disagree _____ somebody

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Vocabulary total	20

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PRONUNCIATION

7 Match the words with the same sound. There are two words to match with each sound.

garden **g**eneral ~~fli**gh**t~~ emer**g**ency or**g**anize si**g**n

1 si**gh**ts *flight* _____ _____
2 re**g**ion _____ _____
3 **g**uide _____ _____

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8 Underline the stressed syllable.

Example: i|mmi|gra|tion

1 pa|ssen|ger
2 de|fi|ni|tion
3 ba|ggage
4 de|par|tures
5 e|xam|ple

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Pronunciation total	10
Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation total	50

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Reading and Writing A

READING

1 Read the article and tick (✓) A, B, or C.

Three hours in my city

Are you planning a stopover at Schipol airport? If the answer is 'yes', then visit Amsterdam. This beautiful city is only a short train journey away. We asked three people who live there: 'We have three hours in your city. What are the best things to do?'

Anika, 26

It depends on the weather. Check the forecast when you arrive at the airport. If the weather is not good, visit one of our famous cafés. Try some bitterballen – it's a kind of Dutch meat snack – or have some pancakes with Dutch cheese. I'm sure you're going to love Dutch food. If it's a sunny day, spend some time at the flower market. The flower shops are on small boats and it is also a great place to buy gifts. You will return to the airport feeling happy and with many colourful pictures to look at on your journey.

Hendrik, 34

Take a ride on a tram. A tram is a kind of electric bus that drives on metal lines in the road. Amsterdam has a great tram system – I use it every day to get to work. I think the number 2 route is best for tourists. That's the tram that drives past many of the main Amsterdam sights, like the Van Gogh art gallery. The trams leave Amsterdam Central Station regularly and tickets are not expensive. You can see your luggage is safe but you don't have to carry it. And you won't be stressed about getting back to the airport in time — you can get off the tram at any stop and return to the station on tram 2 in the opposite direction. It's perfect.

Issac, 23

The best way to see Amsterdam is to hire a bike. Everyone in Amsterdam loves to cycle! You can hire bikes at the main train station – it's easy. There are also lockers at the station where you can leave your luggage, although they are quite expensive. On a bike, you can see Amsterdam's beautiful buildings and canals. You can see the old houses very well from the street but a few are also open as museums. If you have children, visit one of the large parks. Vondelpark has an exciting playground where children can climb trees.

Example: Amsterdam is _____ Schipol airport.
A a long journey from ☐ B quite close to ✓ C three hours from ☐

1 Anika wants us to check _____ when we arrive at the airport.
A the time ☐ B our ticket ☐ C the weather ☐

2 Anika says the flower market is good on a _____ day.
A sunny ☐ B cold ☐ C rainy ☐

3 Hendrik says tram number 2 drives past _____ .
A a gallery ☐ a park ☐ C a main road ☐

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4 Hendrik says his idea is _____ .
A stressful ☐ B perfect ☐ C expensive ☐
5 Issac says that _____ are very popular in Amsterdam.
A bikes ☐ B trains ☐ C trams ☐
6 Issac says some of the old houses are also _____ .
A cafés ☐ B schools ☐ C museums ☐

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2 Write *A* for Anika, *H* for Hendrik, or I for Issac.

Example: Your luggage will be safe. __*H*__

1 The city has a great tram system. _____
2 The luggage lockers are quite expensive. _____
3 Our cafés are famous. _____
4 Children can climb trees in the park. _____
5 It's like a bus. _____
6 It's a good place to buy gifts. _____
7 Try eating some Dutch food. _____
8 It's easy to hire a bike from the station. _____
9 You won't be stressed. _____

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Reading total	15

WRITING

Your friend emails you and asks about your plans to visit him / her. Write a reply and answer these questions. (100–150 words)

- How are you and your family?
- What date are you coming to visit me?
- Are you flying or coming by train?
- What time are you arriving?
- What do you want to do when you are here?

Hi … ,

Thanks for your email. I'm …

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Writing total	
Reading and Writing total	25

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Listening and Speaking A

LISTENING

1 Listen to two people talking about a business trip. Tick (✓) A, B, or C.

1 What are they doing on Monday morning?
A travelling to Oslo ☐ B travelling from Edinburgh ☐ C writing a report ☐

2 What are they doing on Tuesday afternoon?
A finding an office ☐ B practising a talk ☐ C finishing a report ☐

3 What time is the first meeting on Wednesday?
A 9.30 ☐ B 8.30 ☐ C 10.00 ☐

4 What is the woman doing on Thursday?
A castle tour ☐ B gallery tour ☐ C book tour ☐

5 What does she most want to see?
A a shop ☐ B a café ☐ C a house ☐

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2 Listen to five conversations. Match the conversations with the airport locations (A–G). There are two answers you don't need.

Conversation 1 ☐
Conversation 2 ☐
Conversation 3 ☐
Conversation 4 ☐
Conversation 5 ☐

A arrivals
B the lifts
C passport control
D security check
E a departure gate
F the bag drop
G the baggage reclaim

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Listening total		10

SPEAKING

1 Ask your partner these questions.

1 What are you going to do after class today?
2 What are you going to do this weekend?
3 What are you going to cook this evening?
4 Are you going to go on holiday this year? Where to?
5 Are you going to buy anything this weekend? What?

Now answer your partner's questions.

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2 Look at Zack's plans for the weekend and answer your partner's questions.

Saturday
meet Jim / in town / 11 a.m. / shopping and pizza
Tadeen's party / 9 p.m. (wear new T-shirt)
Sunday
write to / parents / at home / a.m.
meet Marc and Rob / play football in the park / 4 p.m.

3 Now make questions and ask your partner about Belinda's plans for the weekend.

Saturday a.m. – Who / meet? Where? What time? What / do?
Saturday p.m. – Who / meet? Where? What time?
Sunday a.m. – What? Where?
Sunday p.m. – Who? What? Where? What time?

Speaking total		15
Listening and Speaking total		25

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