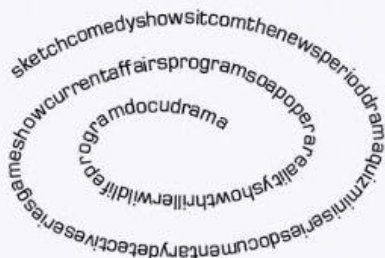


7.5 ((LOOKBACK

V TELEVISION

1 A Find fifteen kinds of TV program in the wordsnake.



B Work in pairs. Which type of program would you choose if you wanted to:

- laugh?
- learn something?
- just relax and watch real people?
- catch up on the news?
- test your knowledge?

G QUANTIFIERS

2 A Work in pairs and underline the correct alternative. The sentences are about two people.

- 1 Both/Few of us enjoy spending time in airports.
- 2 None/Neither of us plays a musical instrument.
- 3 We remember a large amount/of quite a few of our dreams.
- 4 Both of us take a few/a little sugar in our coffee.
- 5 We both got hardly any/very few sleep last night.
- 6 Neither/Both of us is allergic to anything.
- 7 We like all/every type of music.
- 8 We would like to live in other/another country.
- 9 We spend several/a great deal of hours in the gym every week.
- 10 We both like having few/a few minutes' sleep in the afternoon.

B Which sentences are true for you and your partner? Change any that are not true.

A: Do you enjoy spending time in airports?

B: No.

A: Me, neither. OK, so neither of us enjoys spending time in airports.

G REPORTED SPEECH

3 A Rewrite the sentences in reported speech.

- 1 Last week, an interviewer asked me, "What's your biggest weakness?"
- 2 The other day, a complete stranger walked up to me and asked, "What have you been doing lately?"
- 3 Once, I was trying on pants, and the sales clerk asked, "Would you like to try a bigger size?"
- 4 Every day, my roommate says, "Could you do the dishes?" and then says, "I'll do them next time."
- 5 At the end of a first date, the girl asked me, "So when do you want to get married?"
- 6 At 3 a.m., my phone rang, and the caller asked, "Are you sleeping?"

B Which question would make you feel the most uncomfortable?

V REPORTING VERBS

4 A Complete the questions with the correct form of a verb in the box. Add any necessary words.

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- 1 When was the last time you offered to help someone?
- 2 Do you find it easy to admit _____ a mistake?
- 3 Would you ever agree _____ a friend a large amount of money?
- 4 Have you ever refused _____ a bill?
- 5 Would you always apologize _____ late?
- 6 Have you ever threatened _____ your job?
- 7 Have you ever been accused _____ too serious?
- 8 Do you often promise _____ something and then simply forget?

B Work in pairs and discuss the questions above.

F ADDING EMPHASIS

5 A Find and correct the mistakes. There is one extra word in each sentence.

- 1 My hometown is such a so boring place.
- 2 I so do think that some people are very generous.
- 3 It's totally very ridiculous that people have such short vacations.
- 4 Why on the earth am I learning English?
- 5 Really, there's that's no way I would ever borrow money from a friend.
- 6 My teacher was the one who she had the most influence on me when I was young.
- 7 Sometimes learning English is so such difficult that I want to give up.
- 8 I like cooking, but the surprising thing that is that I never do it.



B Work in pairs and take turns. Student A: read one of your sentences from Exercise 5A. Student B: continue the conversation using some of these follow-up questions.

How do you mean?

In what way?

Why (not)?

For example?

What makes you say that?

