

1A GRAMMAR have: lexical and grammatical uses

a Circle the correct answer.

- 1 Would it be OK if I left work a bit early this afternoon? I go to the dentist's.
a got to b have to c 'm having to
- 2 an umbrella? I can lend you one, if you like.
a Don't you have b Haven't you c Hadn't you
- 3 I wouldn't get them a toaster as a present because they one.
a already have b have already had c are already having
- 4 If you want to get rid of those stains, I reckon you'll need to professionally.
a clean the carpet b have the carpet cleaned c have cleaned the carpet
- 5 Would you mind not calling me between seven and eight, because I dinner?
a 'll have b 'll have had c 'll be having
- 6 Once the kids were older, we give them a lift to school every day.
a hadn't got to b didn't have to c hadn't to
- 7 I loads of friends when I was at school, but I've lost touch with most of them now.
a had got b was having c used to have
- 8 Did you hear about Sally? She last night.
a had her car broken into b broke into her car c had broken into her car

b Read the conversation below. Complete each gap with one word (contractions count as one word).

Doctor Good morning. So, why ¹have you come to see me today

Patient Well, I ²been feeling very well recently.

Doctor What symptoms have you ³had?

Patient I ⁴had a terrible headache for the last few days and my eyes hurt a lot. It's worse when I read or watch TV.

Doctor Have you ⁵taking anything for the headache?

Patient I've been ⁶paracetamol every four hours, but it ⁷made any difference yet.

Doctor OK. Can you look at the eye chart and read this line for me?

Patient Oh, I ⁸a clue what those letters are! They're all blurred!

Doctor I think I ⁹found the problem! The first thing you've ¹⁰to do is go to the optician's for an eye test. I think you need glasses!



c Add one word to the idioms to make the sentences correct.

- 1 To be honest, I'm not sure Sarah has got it ~~in~~ to go travelling alone.
- 2 I love spending time with my old school friends. We always ~~such~~ a laugh together.
- 3 If you think your colleagues are treating you unfairly, you should ~~have~~ it with them.
- 4 I've never ridden a horse before, but I'm willing to ~~have~~ go.
- 5 I can't believe the neighbours are having another party! I've really ~~had~~ with them.
- 6 My brother's teacher has really ~~it~~ in for him because he's failed his exams again.
- 7 Is Tom really taking dancing lessons or was ~~he~~ having us?

