

## 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 <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ Latin.
- students have to <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ a uniform.
- teachers can <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the students if their hair is very short.
- students can't <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ chewing gum.
- students have to <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ to after-school clubs four days a week.
- students have to <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ an hour of homework every evening.
- teachers have to <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ 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.

1 How often do you forget to do your homework?

Never.  Hardly ever.  Sometimes.  Often.

2 Do you have lunch at school?

No, never.  Yes, sometimes.  Yes, usually.   
Yes, always.

3 How often do you go to after-school clubs?

Never.  Hardly ever.  Sometimes.  Often.

4 Do you enjoy maths lessons?

No, never.  No, hardly ever.  Yes, usually.   
Yes, always.

5 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.

2 \_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_

5 \_\_\_\_\_

6 \_\_\_\_\_

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

1 you / how / to / do / school / get

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

2 want / do / to do / you / this evening / what

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

3 brothers / you / how many / have / got / and sisters

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

4 your / when / birthday / is

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

5 you / do / live / where

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

6 do / play / you / how often / computer games

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

7 you / what time / do / to bed / usually / go

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

8 skateboard / whose / this / is

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

9 you / do / which / cola or lemonade / prefer,

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

10 a scarf, hat and gloves / got / have / you / why

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

11 is / who / maths / teacher / your

\_\_\_\_\_ ?

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

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.

1 what time / usually / get up?

\_\_\_\_\_

2 how / get home from school?

\_\_\_\_\_

3 what / usually / have for lunch?

\_\_\_\_\_

4 who / usually / see / at weekends?

\_\_\_\_\_

5 what / usually / do on Friday evening?

\_\_\_\_\_