

WRITING: RESPONDING TO A MESSAGE FROM A FRIEND

- 21** Read some information about a film festival and an email you received from your friend, Andrew. Then, complete the notes.



Film festival with Andrew

Place: (0) Sunnyhill Park

Date we will go: 1

Cost for me: 2 £

Time to meet Andrew: 3

Film we will see: 4

What to take: 5

FILM FESTIVAL IN SUNNYHILL PARK

SATURDAY 23RD AND SUNDAY 24TH JUNE

2:00PM *Blue Rain*

4:00PM *Child in Time*

TICKETS: £20 on the day or £15 from
www.parkcinema.com

Also available – food stalls, art and other activities

- 22** You and Andrew are now at the film festival. You receive a message on your phone from another friend, Richard. Read the message. What does Richard want to do?

Hi Joshua,

Where are you? Are you busy? I'm watching TV at home at the moment but I'm really bored.

Do you want to meet up? Let me know soon!

Richard

- 23** Use the information from this unit to write a message in reply to Richard in Exercise 22. In your message, you should include:

- where you are
- who you are with
- what you are doing
- what is happening
- where you can meet Richard
- what Richard should bring

- 24** In pairs, compare your answers. Check your answers for mistakes with spelling and punctuation, and make sure you have used present tenses correctly.

MODEL ANSWER

Hi Richard,

Yes, that would be great! I'm in Sunnyhill Park at the moment, at a film festival, with Andrew.

We're watching *Child in Time* now – it's fantastic! You can walk around and see any film you like. Send me a message if you can come and I'll meet you at the entrance when you arrive.

Bring some money for food and an umbrella as it may rain.

See you soon,

Joshua

09 Complete the email from a university student using the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Hi William,

I 1 _____ (have) a great time here in Leeds. The city is really big and I 2 _____ (have) so many interesting places to visit. I 3 _____ (enjoy) my course so far and I really 4 _____ (like) my classmates. I 5 _____ (stay) in one of the halls of residence this year, but next year I may move into an apartment with some friends. I 6 _____ (have got) a job in a local restaurant so I can earn some extra money. I 7 _____ (work) there three evenings a week from 7pm until midnight. It's fine, but at the moment I 8 _____ (look) for another job. I 9 _____ (want) one that 10 _____ (finish) a bit earlier because I need more sleep!

Write soon with your news,

Katy

10 Match the questions and short answers.

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| 1 Is that your brother playing tennis over there? _____ | A No, I'm not. |
| 2 Do you always get up so early? _____ | B Yes, I do. |
| 3 Are your parents staying in a hotel? _____ | C Yes, you are. |
| 4 Are you making chocolate cake? _____ | D Yes, it is. |
| 5 Is your brother having a good time in Iceland? _____ | E No, we don't. |
| 6 Do you and your parents always eat together in the evenings? _____ | F Yes, they are. |
| 7 Look at this picture of me as a young child. Am I wearing your gold necklace? _____ | G No, they don't. |
| 8 Do any of your school friends do taekwondo? _____ | H Yes, he is. |