Plan of Book 1

Titles/Topics	Speaking	Grammar
UNIT 1 PAGES 2–7 Where are you from? Introductions and greetings; names, countries, and nationalities	Introducing oneself; introducing someone; checking information; exchanging personal information; saying hello and good-bye; talking about school subjects	Wh-questions and statements with be; questions with what, where, who, and how; yes/no questions and short answers with be; subject pronouns; possessive adjectives
UNIT 2 PAGES 8–13 What do you do? Jobs, workplaces, and school; daily schedules; clock time PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 14–15	Describing work and school; asking for and giving opinions; describing daily schedules	Simple present Wh-questions and statements; question: when; time expressions: at, in, on, around, early, late, until, before, and after
UNIT 3 PAGES 16–21 How much are these? Shopping and prices; clothing and personal items; colors and materials UNIT 4 PAGES 22–27	Talking about prices; giving opinions; discussing preferences; making comparisons; buying and selling things	Demonstratives: this, that, these, those; one and ones; questions: how much and which; comparisons with adjectives
Do you play the guitar? Music, movies, and TV programs; entertainers; invitations and excuses; dates and times PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 28–29	Talking about likes and dislikes; giving opinions; making invitations and excuses	Yes/no and Wh-questions with do; question: what kind; object pronouns; modal verb would; verb + to + verb
What an interesting family! Family members; typical families	Talking about families and family members; exchanging information about the present; describing family life	Present continuous yes/no and Wh-questions, statements, and short answers; quantifiers: all, nearly all, most, many, a lot of, some, not many, and few; pronoun: no one
UNIT 6 PAGES 36–41 How often do you run? Sports, fitness activities, and exercise; routines PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 42–43	Asking about and describing routines and exercise; talking about frequency; discussing sports and athletes; talking about abilities	Adverbs of frequency: always, almost always, usually, often, sometimes, hardly ever, almost never, and never; questions: how often, how long, how well, and how good; short answers
 UNIT 7 PAGES 44–49 We went dancing! Free-time and weekend activities UNIT 8 PAGES 50–55	Talking about past events; giving opinions about past experiences; talking about vacations	Simple past yes/no and Wh-questions, statements, and short answers with regular and irregular verbs; past of be
How's the neighborhood? Stores and places in a city; neighborhoods; houses and apartments PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 56-57	Asking about and describing locations of places; asking about and describing neighborhoods; asking about quantities	There is/there are; one, any, and some; prepositions of place; quantifiers; questions: how many and how much; count and noncount nouns

Pronunciation/Listening	Writing/Reading	Interchange Activity
Linked sounds Listening for names, countries, and school subjects	Writing questions requesting personal information "Is Your Name Trendy?": Reading about popular names	"Getting to know you": Collecting personal information about classmates PAGE 114
Syllable stress Listening to descriptions of jobs and daily routines	Writing a biography of a classmate "My Parents Don't Understand My Job!": Reading about four jobs	"What we have in common": Finding similarities in classmates' daily schedules PAGE 115
Sentence stress	Writing about favorite clothes	"Flea market": Buying and selling
Listening to people shopping; listening for items, colors, and prices	"Online Shopping: The Crazy Things People Buy": Reading about unusual online items	things PAGES 116–117
Intonation in questions Listening for likes and dislikes	Writing text messages "The World's Most Powerful Female Musician": Reading about a famous musician	"Are you free this weekend?": Making plans; inviting and giving excuses PAGE 118
Intonation in statements Listening for family relationships	Writing an email about family "Do Families Spend a Lot of Time Together?": Reading about four families	"Is that true?": Finding out information about classmates' families PAGE 119
Intonation with direct address Listening to people talking about free-time activities; listening to descriptions of sports participation	Writing about weekly activities "Fit and Healthy? Take the Quiz!": Reading about health and taking a quiz	"What's your talent?": Finding out about classmates' abilities PAGE 120
Reduction of <i>did you</i> Listening to descriptions and opinions of past events and vacations	Writing a blog post "Awesome Vacations": Reading about different kinds of vacations	"Memories": Playing a board game PAGE 121
Reduction of there is/there are Listening for locations and descriptions of places	Writing about neighborhoods "Hip Neighborhoods of the World": Reading about popular neighborhoods	"Where are we?": describing and guessing locations PAGE 122

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	UNIT 9 PAGES 58–63 What does she look like? Appearance and dress; clothing and clothing styles; people UNIT 10 PAGES 64–69	Asking about and describing people's appearance; identifying people	Questions for describing people: Whatlook like, how old, how tall, how long, and what color; modifiers with participles and prepositions	
	Have you ever been there? Past experiences; unusual activities PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 70–71	Describing past experiences; exchanging information about past experiences and events	Present perfect yes/no and Wh- questions, statements, and short answers with regular and irregular past participles; already and yet; present perfect vs. simple past; for and since	
- Line	UNIT 11 PAGES 72–77	Action about and describe a state of		
	It's a really nice city. Cities; hometowns; countries UNIT 12 PAGES 78–83	Asking about and describing cities; asking for and giving suggestions; talking about travel	Adverbs before adjectives; conjunctions: and, but, though, and however; modal verbs can and should	
	It's important to get rest. Health problems; medication and remedies; products in a pharmacy PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 84–85	Talking about health problems; asking for and giving advice; making requests; asking for and giving suggestions	Adjective + infinitive; noun + infinitive; modal verbs could and should for suggestions; modal verbs can, could, and may for requests	
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重豐	What would you like? Food and restaurants	Expressing likes and dislikes; agreeing and disagreeing; ordering a meal	So, too, neither, and either; modal verbs would and will for requests	
	UNIT 14 PAGES 92–97 It's the coldest city! World geography and facts; countries PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 98–99	Describing countries; making comparisons; expressing opinions; talking about distances and measurements	Comparative and superlative forms of adjectives; questions: how far, how big, how high, how deep, how long, how hot, and how cold	
	UNIT 15 PAGES 100–105			
	What are you doing later? Invitations and excuses; free-time activities; telephone messages	Talking about plans; making invitations; accepting and refusing invitations; giving reasons; taking and leaving messages	Future with present continuous and be going to; messages with tell and ask	
	UNIT 16 PAGES 106–111 How have you changed? Life changes; plans and hopes for the future	Exchanging personal information; describing changes; talking about plans for the future	Describing changes with the present tense, the past tense, the present perfect, and the comparative; verb + infinitive	
	PROGRESS CHECK PAGES 112–113 GRAMMAR PLUS PAGES 132–151			_
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Pronunciation/Listening	Writing/Reading	Interchange Activity
Contrastive stress Listening to descriptions of people; identifying people	Writing an email describing a person "The Age of Selfies": Reading about the history of selfies	"Find the differences": Comparing two pictures of a party PAGES 123–124
Linked sounds Listening to descriptions of events	Writing an email to an old friend "Unique Experiences": Reading about four peoples' unusual experiences	"Fun survey": Finding out about a classmate's lifestyle PAGE 125
Can't and shouldn't Listening to descriptions of cities, towns, and countries	Writing about hometowns "A Big 'Hello!' From ": Reading about interesting cities	"Welcome to our city!": Creating a guide to fun places in a city PAGE 126
Reduction of to Listening to health problems and advice	Writing a blog post "Toothache? Visit the Rain Forest!": Reading about a plant used as medicine	"What should I do?": Give suggestions for situations PAGE 127
Stress in responses Listening to restaurant orders	Writing a restaurant review "To Tip or Not to Tip?": Reading about tipping customs	"Planning a food festival": Creating a menu PAGE 128
Questions of choice Listening to a TV quiz show	Writing an article about a place "Earth's Cleanest Places": Reading about three very clean places	"How much do you know?": Taking a general knowledge quiz PAGE 129
Reduction of <i>could you</i> and would you Listening to telephone messages	Writing text message requests "Cell Phone Trouble!": Reading about cell phone problems	"Weekend plans": Finding out about classmates' weekend plans PAGE 130
Vowel sounds /oʊ/ and /ʌ/ Listening to descriptions of changes	Writing a plan for a class trip "A Goal Accomplished": Reading about a person's goals	"Our possible future": Planning a possible future PAGE 131

SPEAKING Work and workplaces

GROUP WORK Form teams. One team member sits with his or her back to the board. Choose a job from page 8 or from the box. Write the job on the board. Your team member asks yes/no questions and tries to guess the job.

More jobs

carpenter nurse cook office manager dentist police officer doctor reporter engineer restaurant host firefighter salesperson

front desk clerk security guard graphic designer taxi driver lawyer teacher mechanic vendor

A: Does the person work in a hospital?

B: No, he or she doesn't.

A: Does he or she work in a restaurant?

C: Yes, that's right!

CONVERSATION I'm on my feet all day.

A Listen and practice.

What do you do, Derek? Amy

I work part-time as a server. Derek

Oh, really? What restaurant do you work at? Amy

I work at Stella's Café downtown. Derek

That's cool. How do you like it? Amy

It's OK. I'm on my feet all day, so I'm always tired. What do you do? Derek

I'm a dancer. Amy

A dancer! How exciting! Derek

Yeah, it's great! I work with incredible people. Amy

That sounds really nice. But is it difficult? Derek

A little. I'm on my feet all day, too, but I love it. Amy

B Listen to the rest of the conversation. Who does Amy travel with? Who does she meet in other cities?





7 We went dancing!

- Describe past daily and free-time activities
- ▶ Describe past vacations

1 SNAPSHOT



Check (\checkmark) the activities you do in your free time. List three other activities you do in your free time. What are your favorite free-time activities? Are there activities you don't like? Which ones?

2 CONVERSATION What did you do last weekend?

A Listen and practice.







B Listen to the rest of the conversation. What does Cara do on Sunday afternoons?

GRAMMAR FOCUS

Adverbs before adjectives

Punta Cana is really nice. It's a really nice place.

It's fairly expensive. It's a fairly expensive destination.

It's not very big. It's not a very big city.

New York is too noisy, and it's too crowded for me.

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adverbs

too

extremely very/really

pretty

fairly/somewhat

Α	Match the questions with the answers.	Then practice
	the conversations with a partner.	

- 1. What's Seoul like? Is it an interesting place?
- 2. Do you like your hometown? Why or why not?
- 3. What's Sydney like? I've never been there.
- 4. Have you ever been to São Paulo?
- 5. What's the weather like in Chicago?

- a. Oh, really? It's beautiful and very clean. It has a great harbor and beautiful beaches.
- b. Yes, I have. It's an extremely large and crowded place, but I love it. It has excellent restaurants.
- c. It's really nice in the summer, but it's too cold for me in the winter.
- d. Not really. It's too small, and it's really boring. That's why I moved away.
- e. Yes. It has amazing shopping, and the people are pretty friendly.

Conjunctions

Los Angeles is a big city, and the weather is nice. Boston is a big city, but it's not too big.

It's a big city. It's not too big, though. It's a big city. It's not too big, however.

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B Choose the correct conjunctions and rewrite the sentences.

- 1. Kyoto is very nice. Everyone is extremely friendly. (and / but)
- 2. The streets are crowded during the day. They're very quiet at night. (and / though)
- **3.** The weather is nice. Summers get pretty hot. (and / however)
- **4.** You can rent a bicycle. It's expensive. (and / but)
- 5. It's an amazing city. I love to go there. (and / however)
- C GROUP WORK Describe three cities or towns in your country. State two positive features and one negative feature for each.
 - A: Singapore is very exciting and there are a lot of things to do, but it's too expensive.
 - B: The weather in Bogotá is . . .





Demonstratives; one, ones page 17

- With singular nouns, use this for a thing that is nearby and that for a thing that is not nearby: How much is this hat here? How much is that hat over there?
- With plural nouns, use these for things that are nearby and those for things that are not nearby: How much are these earrings here? How much are those earrings over there?
- Use one to replace a singular noun: I like the red hat. I like the red one. Use ones to replace plural nouns: I like the green bags. I like the green ones.

Choose the correct words.

- 1. A: Excuse me. How much are this / these shoes?
 - B: It's / They're \$279.
 - A: And how much is this / that bag over there?
 - B: It's / They're only \$129.
 - A: And are the two gray one / ones \$129, too?
 - B: No. That / Those are only \$119.
 - A: Oh! This / That store is really expensive.
- 2. A: Can I help you?
 - B: Yes, please. I really like these / those jeans over there. How much is it / are they?
 - A: Which one / ones? Do you mean this / these?
 - B: No, the black one / ones.
 - A: Let me look. Oh, it's / they're \$35.99.
 - B: That's not bad. And how much is this / that sweater here?
 - A: It's / They're only \$9.99.

Preferences; comparisons with adjectives page 20

For adjectives with one syllable or adjectives of two syllables ending in $-y$, add $-er$ to form the
comparative:

cheap \rightarrow cheaper; nice \rightarrow nicer; big \rightarrow bigger, pretty \rightarrow prettier.

■ For adjectives with two syllables not ending in -y or adjectives of three or more syllables, use more + adjective to form the comparative: stylish \rightarrow more stylish, expensive \rightarrow more expensive.

A Write the comparatives of these adjectives.

1. attractive	more attractive	5. interesting	
2. happy		6. reasonable	
3. exciting		7. sad	
4. friendly		8. warm	

B Answer the questions. Use the first word in the parentheses in your answer.

Then write another sentence with the second word.

- 1. Which pants do you prefer, the cotton ones or the wool ones? (wool / attractive) I prefer the wool ones. They're more attractive than the cotton ones.
- 2. Which ring do you like better, the gold one or the silver one? (silver / interesting)
- 3. Which one do you prefer, the silk blouse or the cotton blouse? (silk / pretty)
- 4. Which ones do you like more, the black shoes or the purple ones? (purple / cheap)