

# UNIT 1: A DAY IN THE LIFE OF ...

## TEST 1

### I. Put the following words into the correct columns.

tea      dinner      leave      lead      drink      seat  
field      repeat      till      interest      little      event

/ɪ/	/i:/
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.....	.....
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### II. Complete the sentences with the appropriate forms of the words in parentheses.

1. It's ..... for us to study English songs. (interest)
2. My younger brother enjoys social ..... very much. (act)
3. She answered the teacher's question almost ..... (immediate)
4. My holiday was absolutely ..... (wonder)
5. There was a special ..... on the radio this morning. (announce)
6. The stadium is ..... with football fans. (crowd)

### III. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the verbs from the box.

ask	get up	go	make	play	speak
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1. Peter always ..... late on Sundays.
2. Ann and John sometimes ..... tennis at weekends.
3. My mother often ..... French at home.
4. Small children ..... questions all the time.
5. Sarah ..... to Oxford to see her mother twice a week.
6. I ..... more mistakes in English when I'm tired.

### IV. Put the adverbs in the right places.

1. You are here when something happens. (usually)
2. Her mum cooks a meal in the evening. (always)
3. She saw this ghost. (often)
4. You should look where you're going. (always)
5. We saw sweets in those days. (never)
6. It is very difficult. (sometimes)

**V. Complete the story with these words.**

*didn't start      decided      looked      was      waved*  
*shouted      arrived      lifted      jumped      stopped*

Terence Magee likes walking in the mountains. Last week he (1) ..... on holiday with his family in Scotland. One afternoon he was on his way down a mountain when he (2) ..... at a chairlift. There was nobody on it. Mr Magee was tired, so he (3) ..... into one of the chairs and the chairlift (4) ..... him up into the sky.

A few seconds later the lift (5) ..... Mr Magee waited, but the lift (6) ..... again. He (7) ..... down. He was about fifteen metres above the ground, so he (8) ..... that it wasn't a good idea to jump down. He (9) ..... and (10) ....., but it was no good. There was nobody on the mountain. Soon it was dark and it was very cold.

**VI. Read the passage and then answer the questions.**

John gets up at seven o'clock. He takes a shower. Then he gets dressed. He has coffee and toast for breakfast. He leaves his apartment at eight-thirty. He goes to work by bus. He works in a bookstore. He starts work at nine o'clock. At one o'clock he has lunch in a small café. He leaves work at five-thirty and goes home. First he has dinner. Then he watches television. He goes to bed at eleven o'clock and reads a book until he falls asleep.

1. What time does John get up?  
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2. What does he do after that?  
.....
3. Where does he work?  
.....
4. How does he go to work?  
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5. What time does he start work?  
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6. Where does he have lunch?  
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7. What time does he finish work?  
.....
8. What does he often do after work?  
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## TEST 2

### I. Pick out the word whose underlined part is pronounced differently from that of the other words.

1. A. evening      B. me      C. prepare      D. even
2. A. seat      B. tear      C. seaside      D. sream
3. A. pie      B. brief      C. believe      D. field
4. A. district      B. civic      C. discuss      D. routine
5. A. weather      B. tea      C. peasant      D. plasant

### II. Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the verbs from the box.

say	sit	try	wash	watch	listen to
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1. Andy always ..... his clothes on Saturdays.
2. That child never ..... "Thank you".
3. He ..... in the same chair every evening.
4. She usually ..... music when she has free time.
5. She ..... to go skiing every year.
6. My parents ..... TV most evenings.

### III. Complete each sentence with a suitable word from the list given.

*danger takes panic experiences prefer took*

1. It ..... me 15 minutes to walk to school.
2. Which do you ....., travelling by train or by plane?
3. The plane ..... off an hour late.
4. The police said that his life was in .....
5. I got into a ..... when I saw the door was locked.
6. He had many interesting ..... while travelling in Africa.

### IV. Complete the sentences using the following verbs in the past simple.

*play                      sell                      phone                      write*  
*drink                      arrive                      teach                      win*

1. Mozart ..... more than 600 pieces of music.
2. "How did you learn to drive?" "My mother ..... me."
3. We couldn't afford to keep our car, so we ..... it.
4. I was very thirsty. I ..... the water very quickly.

5. Sam and I ..... tennis yesterday. He's much better than I am, so he ..... easily.
6. He ..... his wife as soon as he ..... at the airport.

**V. Use the given sets of words and phrases to make sentences about a volcanic eruption.**

1. It be like midnight / noon yesterday / Mount Pinatubo / northern Philippines / erupt / second time.  
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2. A huge cloud / dust / gas / steam / be thrown / fifteen miles into the sky.  
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3. Ash / rocks fall / farms / villages / up to twenty miles / the volcano.  
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4. Roads / be filled / thousands of people / some / cars / buses / lorries / others / foot.  
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5. They / all try / escape / wall of lava / moving down / mountain / homes.  
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**VI. Read about David and Rosa and then do the tasks that follow.**

David is an architect and Rosa is a doctor in a large hospital. David gets up at 7.30 a.m and takes a shower. He leaves home at 8.30 and goes to work by train. He arrives at the office at 9.00.

Rosa gets up at 9.30 because she doesn't start work until 1.00 in the afternoon. She goes by bus to the hospital at 12.15.

David finishes work at 5.30 p.m and goes shopping in a supermarket near the office. Then he goes home and cooks dinner. He eats alone in the kitchen at 7.00 and then he usually watches TV in the living room until Rosa gets home at 10.00. She often has her dinner in front of the TV.

David goes to bed at 11.00, but Rosa usually goes to bed a little later.

**A. Write short answers to the questions.**

1. Is David a doctor?  
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2. Does Rosa work in a hospital?  
.....
3. Can David cook?  
.....
4. Who usually goes to bed later, David or Rosa?  
.....

**B. Complete the table. An example has been done for you.**

	<b>David</b>	<b>Rosa</b>
Occupation?	... <i>an architect</i> ...	.....
What time / get up?	.....	.....
How / go to work?	.....	.....
What time / start work?	.....	.....
What time / finish work?	.....	.....
What / often do after work?	.....	.....

### TEST 3

**I. Put the words in the correct order to make meaningful sentences and then practise speaking them.**

1. dean / the / be / new / to / seemed / to / eager / she / meet.  
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2. week / on / these / beach / people / every / we / the / meet.  
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3. it / a / feed / tiger / easy / to / finds / he.  
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4. English / is / history / of / simplest / for / it / know / him / to / the / impossible / facts.  
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5. for / city / bit / is / this / , / a / in / live / big / it / fit / isn't / him / to?  
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6. big / in / sits / seat / a / she.  
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## II. Fill in each gap with an appropriate preposition.

1. I had a long chat ..... her ..... her job.
2. Are you content ..... your present salary?
3. We liked our room, but we weren't happy ..... the food ..... the hotel.
4. Many people screamed ..... panic when they realised that they were ..... danger.
5. We're going to leave ..... Da Lat.
6. Tell your classmates ..... your daily routine.

## III. Put the simple past verbs into the story.

1 – 6:	<i>come</i>	<i>hear</i>	<i>open</i>	<i>say</i>	<i>not see</i>	<i>stand</i>
7 – 10:	<i>give</i>	<i>hold</i>	<i>not read</i>	<i>take</i>		
11 – 15:	<i>run</i>	<i>say</i>	<i>not speak</i>	<i>turn</i>	<i>write</i>	

He (1) ..... outside her door for a long time. Then he (2) ..... her footsteps inside the house. She (3) ..... the door and (4) ..... out. At first she (5) ..... him, but then she (6) ..... 'Oh, hello, Harold.' He (7) ..... a paper out of his pocket and (8) ..... it to her. She (9) ..... it in one hand, but (10) ..... it. 'Listen', he (11) ..... . She (12) ..... 'I (13) ..... you this letter because - 'She (14) ..... back into the house. He (15) ..... and walked slowly down the street.

## IV. There are eight mistakes in this passage. Find and correct them.

James work in London, but he not live there. Every morning he gets up at 6.00 and he goes in train to London. The journey spends an hour and he doesn't gets home till 8.00 in the evening. Then he watchs TV and goes to bed. He has good job, but he works very hardly.

## V. Make eight sentences from the box.

come	get	always	usually	often	happy	late	tired
am	is	are	sometimes	not often	friendly	bad-tempered	
feel		occasionally	never		depressed	in trouble	

1. ....
2. ....
3. ....
4. ....
5. ....
6. ....
7. ....
8. ....

**VI. Use the words in the box to fill in the blanks. Make any changes in the form if necessary.**

do	finish	get dressed	get up
have	relax	take a walk	talk

Frank's day begins at 6.30. He (1) ....., takes a shower and (2) ..... He always (3) ..... breakfast and drinks a cup of coffee. Then he goes to the university for his classes. When he (4) ..... his morning classes, he usually eats lunch at 12.00 in the cafeteria. At lunch, he sometimes (5) ..... with his friends. After lunch he goes to his afternoon classes. He usually goes home at about 5.00. He eats dinner and (6) ..... for a while. Sometimes he (7) ..... or goes running. For the rest of the evening he reads and (8) ..... homework. Frank goes to bed about 11.00. What a busy day!