

Module 1, page 14 (CD 5, Track 1)

- Tina:** Hi, Kay. Do you want to go to the cinema this afternoon?
- Kay:** No thanks, Tina. On Tuesday afternoons, I visit Grandma Helen.
- Tina:** Grandma Helen? But your grandparents live in Australia!
- Kay:** I know. But I'm a member of the Adopt a Grandparent programme.
- Tina:** Adopt a Grandparent?
- Kay:** Yes. It's a programme to help teenagers and old people in the community. Many old people haven't got grandchildren to visit them. Also, some teenagers haven't got grandparents to talk to. The Adopt a Grandparent programme brings these old and young people together.
- Tina:** That's a great idea! What's Grandma Helen like?
- Kay:** Well, she's 82 years old and she's very intelligent. She's got curly grey hair and big blue eyes.
- Tina:** What do you do there?
- Kay:** Helen talks about her life and I listen. She's got some interesting stories to tell. I also help her to surf the web on the computer.
- Tina:** Cool! Do you take your guitar?
- Kay:** Yes. She loves to hear me play.

Module 1, page 19 (CD 5, Track 3)

Good morning. Welcome to Hillview Drama School. Your drama teachers for the course are Don, Mary and James. Our school has got four classrooms and each room is a different colour – red, yellow, blue and green. You've got a busy schedule for the next two weeks. The first lesson is with Mary in the yellow room. It starts at 9 o'clock. At 10.15, you've got a lesson with James. He teaches in the blue room, opposite Mary's. Students have lunch at 12.30. Our chef, Sue, makes the lunches. The food is excellent! After lunch, students meet in the red room. This is the music room and Ned is your music teacher. Ned is also a TV celebrity. He sings and plays the guitar on a TV programme. At 3 o'clock, you've got a lesson with Don in the green room. Good luck and enjoy the course.

Module 2, page 28 (CD 5, Track 4)

- Billy:** Hi, Fay. Are you having a good time with your family in San Francisco?
- Fay:** Yes, Billy. It's great here.
- Billy:** Are you out with your family now?
- Fay:** Yes, we're at a cinema. We're waiting for the film to start.
- Billy:** A cinema? I thought you were having dinner at a restaurant this evening?
- Fay:** I am at a restaurant. I'm waiting for my meal to arrive right now.
- Billy:** I don't understand. Are you at a cinema or a restaurant? It isn't possible to be in two places at the same time.
- Fay:** Haha. I'm at the Foreign Cinema in San Francisco. It's a cinema and a restaurant. You watch a film while you're having your meal.
- Billy:** That's cool! There aren't any places like that in England.

- Fay:** Yes, there are. There's a cinema restaurant in London. It's the Odeon Cinema, above Whiteley's Shopping Centre.
- Billy:** Really? My brother lives near Whiteley's Shopping Centre. I should go to the Odeon Cinema when I visit him. So, does the Foreign Cinema look like a cinema or a restaurant?
- Fay:** It looks like an ordinary restaurant. There are tables and chairs and they show the film on a wall.
- Billy:** What's the film tonight?
- Fay:** It's The Princess Bride – an old fantasy film from 1987. The Foreign Cinema only shows old or foreign films, so I hope it's interesting. Oh, our meal is here. Speak to you later.
- Billy:** OK, Fay. Enjoy your meal – and the film!

Module 2, page 33 (CD 5, Track 6)

- Girl:** There's a new shopping centre in Helmsville.

Friend: I know. I'm reading an article about it right now. It's got about 200 shops and restaurants.

Girl: What else does the article say? Are there any cinemas?

Friend: No, there aren't. But there's an amusement park with three rides!
- Man:** Can I help you? Are you looking for a sofa?

Woman: No. I'm trying to find a table for our living room.

Man: Do you want a small table or a big one?

Woman: I want a small one. I want to put it next to the sofa.
- Boy:** There's a comedy film at Park Cinema tonight. Do you want to see it?

Girl: I really want to see the new science-fiction film. It's showing at Rose Cinema. It sounds great.

Boy: That film has got terrible reviews! Are there any action films tonight?

Girl: No, there aren't. So, let's see the comedy. What time does it start?
- Man:** Excuse me. Can you tell me where the library is?

Woman: Yes. It's on Gull Road.

Man: How do I get there?

Woman: Go to the bakery at the end of the road and then turn left. The library is next to the police station.
- Girl:** Hi, Dad. What are you doing?

Man: I'm putting up some new curtains.

Girl: Oh, great. Are you putting them in my bedroom or in the living room?

Man: No. I'm not putting them in your bedroom and I'm not putting them in the living room. I'm putting them in the dining room.

Module 3, page 42 (CD 5, Track 7)

- Karl:** Hi, Aika. Are you still in Japan?
- Aika:** Yes, I'm in Sapporo at the moment.
- Karl:** What are you doing there?
- Aika:** I'm at the Sapporo Snow Festival. It's one of the most famous winter events in Japan.
- Karl:** That sounds fun. What can you see there?
- Aika:** There are usually about 400 ice and snow sculptures. This year, the biggest sculpture is a replica of the Arc de Triomphe. It's smaller than the real Arc de Triomphe in Paris, but it's 17.5 metres tall.
- Karl:** Wow! Which is the most popular sculpture?
- Aika:** Well, everyone is talking about the sculpture of the American president, Donald Trump. I don't think it's as good as some of the other sculptures, but it's certainly the most popular one.
- Karl:** Which is your favourite?
- Aika:** I think the ice sculpture of the animals in the forest is the best. The sculpture of the Japanese celebrity Pikotaro is quite good, too. But it isn't as good as the animals.
- Karl:** I think Pikotaro is very funny. His song *Pen-Pineapple-Apple-Pen* is in Guinness World Records.
- Aika:** Pikotaro's song is a world record? Why?
- Karl:** It's the shortest song to enter the Billboard Hot 100 chart What are you doing now?
- Aika:** I'm looking at sculptures of some famous film characters. After this, I want to get something to eat. There's a food festival here, too, and they've got some of the best food in Japan.

Module 3, page 47 (CD 5, Track 9)

- Russ:** Hey, Pat. What do you want to do this winter holiday? Let's go skiing in the mountains. I want to go to Glenshee Ski Centre in Scotland. It's the best place in the UK to go skiing.
- Pat:** No, Russ. It's too cold in the mountains. I want to go somewhere warm, near the beach.
- Russ:** Not the beach again, Pat! Skiing is more exciting than sitting on a beach.
- Pat:** I want to go to Barbados. It's got beautiful white beaches, and I want to go swimming there to see the tropical fish. That's just as exciting as skiing in the mountains!
- Russ:** You know I don't like swimming.
- Pat:** I know, but there's a submarine ride in Barbados. You can see beautiful fish without getting wet.
- Russ:** That sounds good. I'd like to see tropical fish. Are there any dolphins or whales in the area?
- Pat:** I don't know. Wait a minute. Let's see what it says online People don't often see dolphins there. But you can see whales from the island. They swim near the coast in the early morning.
- Mum:** Barbados! I'm very sorry, kids, but we aren't planning to go on holiday this winter. Skiing holidays and beach resorts are very expensive. We're staying at home!
- Russ:** Oh, Mum! We never go anywhere exciting!
- Pat:** Hey ... look at this. We can stay at home this winter and go skiing.

- Russ:** What are you talking about? We don't live near the mountains and there aren't any ski resorts in our area.
- Pat:** Yes, but there's a dry ski slope at the Snowtrax Centre in Christchurch. It isn't as cold there as the mountains in Scotland.
- Russ:** A dry ski slope?
- Pat:** Yes. You go skiing on a special hill without any snow.
- Russ:** Well, that probably isn't as fun as skiing on real snow, but let's try it.
- Mum:** Great! Christchurch isn't as far as Barbados or Scotland. It's only an hour by bus. So we can all go skiing this winter.

Module 4, page 56 (CD 5, Track 10)

- Emma:** Hey, Jake.
- Jake:** Hi, Emma.
- Emma:** We're having a competition day at school and we must all think of ideas for competitions. Can you think of anything?
- Jake:** What ideas have the other students got?
- Emma:** Well, we're having a sports competition ... and there's a fashion competition. Students are making clothes from newspapers.
- Jake:** That's an unusual idea. Let's look online for more ideas. Hmm. What about having a sandwich-making competition?
- Emma:** A sandwich-making competition?
- Jake:** Yes. Look at this post on Facebook. People in Egypt are making the world's biggest sandwich.
- Emma:** How big is it?
- Jake:** It's 850 metres long. About 260 chefs are making it!
- Emma:** Wow! That's incredible! So do you think we should have a competition at school to make the biggest sandwich?
- Jake:** No, you can't do that! It's too expensive to buy all the ingredients. But you can have a prize for the tastiest sandwich.
- Emma:** That's a great idea. I must organise the competition, too. What should I do first?
- Jake:** First, you should make an advert for the competition. I can help you.
- Emma:** We must have a prize. What should we give as a prize?
- Jake:** Um. A ticket for a football match?
- Emma:** Some of the kids at school don't like football. What about a T-shirt? We can print a picture of a sandwich on it.
- Jake:** Good idea. But all this talk about sandwiches is making me hungry. Let's make sandwiches now.
- Emma:** OK. What type of sandwich do you want?
- Jake:** An egg and tomato sandwich. That's my favourite.
- Emma:** You can have egg and tomato. I prefer ham and cheese.

Module 4, page 61 (CD 5, Track 12)

- Man:** Hello, Westvale Events Centre.
- Woman:** Hello. I'd like to enter the pie-making competition this year. How do I register?
- Man:** You must register on our website. The registration starts on Monday, 3rd April. The last date is Thursday, 13th June.
- Woman:** Where is the competition?
- Man:** It's in the Domestic Science Department at Westvale School.
- Woman:** What are the rules?
- Man:** You must make a pie with meat, cheese or fruit.
- Woman:** What type of meat can I use? I make delicious ham pies, but I want to try a new recipe with chicken.
- Man:** You can use any type of meat. Chicken is fine.
- Woman:** That's good. What other ingredients can I add?
- Man:** You can add any ingredients. But you must prepare and cook all the ingredients yourself.
- Woman:** When does the competition start?
- Man:** Participants must bring all their ingredients to the school at 10.30 am on Saturday, 3rd July. You mustn't be late. You must start preparing your pie at 11.00. At 12.30, participants must stop cooking.
- Woman:** What happens after that?
- Man:** Three chefs taste the food and the best pie wins the competition.
- Woman:** I see. Thank you for the information.
- Man:** You're welcome. Good luck!

Module 5, page 70 (CD 5, Track 13)

- Emma:** Hi, Sam. What are you reading?
- Sam:** I'm reading about a real-life hero. His name was Muelmar Magallanes.
- Emma:** What did he do?
- Sam:** He saved people during a storm in the Philippines.
- Emma:** What happened?
- Sam:** It was in 2009. It was raining heavily and there were floods. People tried to leave their homes, but many people died.
- Emma:** What did Muelmar do?
- Sam:** He moved his family to high ground and saved them. Then, he returned with his older brother to save his neighbours.
- Emma:** How did they save them?
- Sam:** They swam through the floods and pulled more than 30 of their neighbours out of the water.
- Emma:** They saved more than 30 people! Wow! What happened to Muelmar?
- Sam:** He started to return to high ground with his brother. But then, he saw a woman and a baby in the water and went to save them. After he took them to a dry place, he was very tired. The flood water was too strong for him and he disappeared under the water.
- Emma:** So in the end, Muelmar died in the flood.
- Sam:** Yes, he did. It's very sad.
- Emma:** How old was he?
- Sam:** He was 18, only a few years older than us.
- Emma:** He was very kind and brave. What a hero!

Module 5, page 75 (CD 5, Track 15)

Phone conversation 1

- Mum:** Hello, Steven? Are you OK? I heard that there was an earthquake in New Zealand today.
- Steven:** Yes, Mum, I'm fine. I'm on North Island and the earthquake was on South Island, about 600 kilometres from here.
- Mum:** But there's a tsunami warning along the coast. Are you still staying near the beach?
- Steven:** No. I took a bus to Matamata in the hills. It's so warm here – better than the rainy weather in the UK!

Phone conversation 2

- Jean:** Hey, Tom. You should be on the aeroplane now. Where are you calling from?
- Tom:** I'm still at Fairbanks Airport in Alaska. The plane didn't leave.
- Jean:** What happened? Were there strong winds or a snowstorm?
- Tom:** No. A volcano was erupting on Bogoslof Island, near Alaska. It's too dangerous to fly over the area now. So we must return to our hotel and wait for further information from the airline.

Phone conversation 3

- Clark:** Hi, Tina. Did you hear about the tornado last week in Essex? It lifted trees out of the ground.
- Tina:** A tornado here in Essex? I don't believe it! There are often tornadoes in the USA, but we never get them in Britain!
- Clark:** Yes, we do. There was a tornado in Wales last year, too. It didn't destroy any houses, but it destroyed 20 caravans and all the beds, chairs and tables inside.
- Tina:** Really? I don't remember that. The weather in Britain must be changing!

Module 6, page 84 (CD 5, Track 16)

- Cathy:** Hi, Alan. What are you doing this evening?
- Alan:** Hi, Cathy. I'm getting ready to go to Italy. We're going to the carnival in Venice.
- Cathy:** Wow! That sounds fun! How long is the carnival?
- Alan:** Two weeks – from 23rd January until 9th February.
- Cathy:** What happens during the carnival?
- Alan:** People wear costumes. There are street performances, music and dancing and costume parties all over the city.
- Cathy:** Are you going to wear a costume?
- Alan:** Of course. I'm going to look like a statue. I'm going to wear a white shirt, white trousers and a white cap.
- Cathy:** Are you putting white make-up on your face and hands?
- Alan:** No. I'm not using any make-up. I'm going to wear white gloves and a white mask.
- Cathy:** You'll look amazing! Are you going to any parties?
- Alan:** Oh, no! They're too expensive. Tickets are more than €760 each!
- Cathy:** Wow! Are there any competitions for the best costumes?
- Alan:** Yes. There are competitions twice a day. On the last day of the carnival, we're going to walk in a long procession to St Mark's Square for the final competition.
- Cathy:** People will probably wear some amazing costumes.
- Alan:** Yes. We probably won't win any prizes for ours, but we'll have fun. I can't wait to taste the food in Venice, too.
- Cathy:** Mmm, I love Italian food. My favourite meal is pasta with tomato sauce.
- Alan:** If I don't forget, I'll send you pictures of the food. Haha!

Module 6, page 89 (CD 5, Track 18)

- Carol:** It's Halloween next month. Are you going to have a party at your house?
- Tom:** Yes. I have a party every Halloween. I'm going to send invitations next week. Are you coming?
- Carol:** Yes, of course. I love your parties and you always wear amazing costumes. Last year, your costume was so colourful. What are you going to wear this year?
- Tom:** I'm going to wear a Frankenstein costume and I'm going to put black make-up under my eyes. What about you?
- Carol:** I'm wearing a Dracula costume with a black suit and white make-up on my face.
- Tom:** I can't wait to see it!
- Carol:** What games are you going to have at the party?
- Tom:** We're playing "Guess the Villain".
- Carol:** How do you play that?
- Tom:** You pretend to be a famous villain from a film and everyone must guess who you are.
- Carol:** That will be fun. I'll help you to get ready and decorate the house. We can put plastic spiders above the table and around the room. What food are you going to buy?

- Tom:** Um, I think I'll get some sausages and tomato sauce. I'm going to make monster fingers with them.
- Carol:** Ugh! I'll make some monsters' eyes with pieces of melon. I made some last year.
- Tom:** Yes, I remember. They looked horrible! Will you choose the music?
- Carol:** OK. I've got some great music for Halloween at home. I'll bring it to the party.