

# Unit 1 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

background  
bicycle  
(summer) camp  
childhood  
comic book  
competition  
degree  
diploma  
hero  
immigrant  
interest  
memory

movie star  
occupation  
personal ad  
politics  
possession  
rabbit  
scrapbook  
snake  
taste  
toy  
tree house  
trumpet

### Adjectives

good (at)  
messy  
neat  
online  
outdoor  
professional  
two-story

get (in trouble)  
get (to know)  
keep fit  
refer  
remember  
skate

### Adverb

regularly

### Verbs

be into (something)  
collect  
follow

## Expressions

### Greeting someone

Hi./Hello.

### Introducing yourself

My name is . . . /I'm . . . .

Nice to meet you.

Good to meet you, too.

### Exchanging personal information

Could you tell me (a little) about yourself?

Sure. What do you want to know?

Are you from . . . ?

Yes, I am./No, I'm not.

Where were you born?

I was born in . . . .

Did you grow up there?

Did you go to school in . . . ?

Yes, I did./No, I didn't.

### Talking about past activities

Where did you learn to . . . ?

How old were you when you began to . . . ?

I was . . . years old.

What/Where did you use to . . . ?

When I was a kid, I used to . . . .

### Talking about past abilities

How well did you . . . ?

I was pretty good.

### Apologizing

I'm (really) sorry.

### Asking for and agreeing to a favor

Can you . . . ?

Sure.

# Unit 2 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

area  
banquet  
certificate  
counter  
culture  
district  
editor  
highway  
(tourist) information  
center  
marvel  
motorist  
nature  
paradise  
pedestrian  
rating  
road  
shopping mall  
sign  
slogan  
theme

### Compound nouns

bicycle lane  
bicycle stand  
bus lane  
bus station  
bus stop  
bus system  
cash machine  
newsstand  
nightclub  
parking garage  
parking space  
rush hour  
streetlight  
subway line  
subway station  
subway stop  
subway system  
taxi lane  
taxi service  
taxi stand  
tourism campaign

traffic jam  
train station  
train stop  
train system

### Pronoun

whom

### Adjective

duty-free

### Verbs

allow  
cause  
concern  
cost  
provide  
sightsee  
solve  
stay (open)

### Adverbs

upstairs

### Adverbs of quantity

fewer  
less  
more  
not enough  
too many  
too much

## Expressions

### Expressing concern

There are too many . . . /There is too much . . .  
There should be fewer . . . /There should be less . . .  
We need more . . .  
There aren't enough . . . /There isn't enough . . .

### Getting someone's attention

Excuse me.

### Asking for information

Could you tell me where . . . ?  
Can you tell me how often . . . ?  
Do you know what time/when . . . ?  
Just one more thing.

### Thanking someone

Thanks (a lot).

### Expressing probability

It should . . .

# Unit 3 Language summary

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## Vocabulary

### Nouns

(room and) board  
expense  
housework  
list  
PIN number  
safari  
vegetable  
wish

### Adjectives

afraid  
bright  
comfortable  
cramped  
dingy  
huge  
inconvenient  
modern  
private  
separate  
shabby  
two-car  
wild

### Verbs

add  
expect  
locate  
make (changes)

### Preposition

per

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## Expressions

### *Giving an opinion*

The ... isn't ... enough.  
The ... is too ...  
There aren't enough ... /There isn't enough ...  
It's not as ... as ...  
It doesn't have as many ... as ... /It has just as many ... as ...

### *Exchanging personal information*

Where are you living now?  
I'm still ...

### *Expressing regret about a present situation*

I'm afraid so.  
I wish (that) I could ...  
I wish I didn't ...  
I wish life were easier.

### *Agreeing*

Me, too.

# Unit 4 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

#### *Food and beverages*

bagel  
eggplant  
guacamole (dip)  
lime  
peanut butter  
(chili) pepper  
popcorn  
pork  
salt  
sauce  
snail  
spice  
sugar  
vinegar

### *Other*

appetizer  
barbecue  
bowl  
charcoal  
cookbook  
diet  
exam  
ingredient  
mixture  
pan  
plate  
(food) poisoning  
recipe  
side  
skewer  
slice  
tablespoon  
video game

### Adjectives

barbecued  
crispy  
diced  
ethnic  
marinated  
melted  
raw  
shredded  
strange  
tempting  
toasted  
uncooked

roast  
steam  
toast

### *Other*

close  
cover  
cry  
cut up  
marinate  
mash  
melt  
mix  
refrigerate  
spread  
turn over

### Verbs

#### *Cooking methods*

bake  
barbecue  
boil  
fry

### Adverbs

from time to time  
lightly  
overnight

## Expressions

### *Talking about food and beverages*

Have you ever eaten . . . ?

Yes, I have./No, I haven't.

It's/They're . . . !

This/It sounds . . . /They sound . . .

### *Ordering in a restaurant*

Have you decided yet?

Yes. I'll have . . .

And you?

I think I'll have . . .

### *Making and declining an offer*

Why don't you try some?

No, thanks./No, I don't think so.

### *Describing a procedure*

First, . . .

Then, . . .

Next, . . .

After that, . . .

Finally, . . .

### *Stating a preference*

I usually like to . . .

I prefer to . . .

# Unit 5 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

#### Activities

antique shopping  
camping  
eating out  
fishing  
reading  
sledding

#### Other

accommodation  
ATM card  
camper  
condition  
copy  
credit card  
document  
equipment  
fare  
fireplace  
first-aid kit

(art) gallery  
guidebook  
hiking boots  
identification  
inn  
Jacuzzi  
lift  
medication  
national park  
nightlife  
option  
overnight bag  
plane ticket  
resort  
route  
safety  
sleigh  
specialty  
stall

suitcase  
surfboard  
tap  
tour  
vaccination  
visa  
windbreaker  
wonderland

### Adjectives

candlelit  
(a) couple (of)  
cross-country  
exact  
excited  
horse-drawn  
luxurious  
necessary  
required  
round-trip

### Verbs

#### Modals

had better  
must  
ought to  
should

#### Other

avoid  
bring back  
carry  
check out  
discover  
feature  
fix up  
include  
mention

### Adverbs

by myself  
in advance

### Conjunction

whether

## Expressions

### Talking about definite plans

Have you made any plans?  
I'm going to . . . .

### Talking about possible plans

I guess I'll . . . .  
Maybe I'll . . . .  
I think I'll . . . .  
I'll probably . . . .

### Asking about length of time

For how long?  
How long are you going to . . . ?  
How many days will you . . . ?

### Describing necessity

You must/You need to/You (don't) have to . . . .

### Giving suggestions

You'd better/You ought to/You should/You shouldn't . . . .

### Making and accepting an offer

Why don't you . . . ?  
Do you mean it? I'd love to!

# Unit 6 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

association  
effort  
enjoyment  
flower  
groceries  
guest  
guideline  
hallway  
household chore  
laptop  
mess  
program  
seat  
security  
sound

stereo  
stranger  
survey  
tenant  
toothbrush  
towel  
trash

### Adjectives

following  
pleasant

### Verbs

#### Two-part verbs

clean up  
go through  
hang up

keep clean  
let out  
pick up  
put away  
take off  
take out  
throw out  
turn down  
turn off  
turn on

#### Other

admit  
apologize  
bother  
clear  
contact

criticize  
feel (free)  
lend  
lock  
make sure  
mind  
nag  
promise  
realize

### Adverbs

as soon as  
badly  
loudly  
quietly

## Expressions

### Making and agreeing/objecting to a request

Please . . . .

OK. No problem!

Oh, but . . . .

Can/Could you . . . ?

Sure, no problem.

I'd be glad to.

Would you please . . . ?

OK. I'll . . . .

Would you mind . . . ?

Sorry. I'll . . . right away.

### Giving an excuse

I'm sorry. I didn't realize . . . .

### Admitting a mistake

I'm sorry. I forgot.

You're right. I was wrong.

### Making an offer

I'll . . . right away.

### Making a promise

I promise I'll . . . /I'll make sure to . . . .

### Expressing annoyance

Goodness!

### Expressing surprise

Are you kidding?

# Unit 7 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

#### Machines/Appliances

answering machine  
battery  
calculator  
camcorder  
CD-ROM  
robot  
satellite  
Walkman

#### Other

area code  
assignment  
bill  
boss  
burglar  
button  
caller  
criminal  
disk drive

dropout  
engineer  
evader  
(DNA) fingerprinting  
geek  
hacker  
hardware  
impression  
instruction  
invention  
keyboard  
letter  
monitor  
mouse  
percentage  
recording  
robotics  
screen  
task  
technology

technophile  
term  
transmission  
voice mail  
watercraft  
Web site  
whiz  
World Wide Web

### Adjective

empty

### Verbs

affect  
browse  
check  
cut and paste  
dial  
double-click (on)  
download  
drag and drop

entertain  
escape  
feed  
highlight  
house-sit  
influence  
perform  
press  
protect  
receive  
recharge  
ring  
scan  
set  
store  
transmit  
understand

## Expressions

### Describing a use or purpose

What's this for?

It's used for . . . /It's used to . . .

I can use it for . . . /I can use it to . . .

What are these for?

They're used for . . . /They're used to . . .

You can use them for . . . /You can use them to . . .

### Giving advice

First of all, be sure to . . .

And don't forget to . . .

Make sure to . . .

Remember to . . .

Try not to . . .

# Unit 8 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

#### *Holidays, festivals, and celebrations*

April Fools' Day  
Carnaval  
Children's Day  
Chinese New Year  
Day of the Dead  
Labor Day  
Mother's Day  
New Year's Day  
New Year's Eve  
Thanksgiving  
Valentine's Day

#### *Other*

boyfriend

bride  
cemetery  
ceremony  
courtship  
cranberry sauce  
custom  
dancing  
diamond ring  
firecracker  
fireworks  
fruit punch  
get-together  
groom  
harvest  
home movie  
honeymoon

luck  
marriage  
reception  
resolution  
samba  
shrine  
speech  
streamers  
trick  
turkey

### Adjectives

national  
romantic  
surprise

### Verbs

be like  
court  
date  
get (engaged/married/  
together)  
honor  
last  
look forward  
occur  
picnic

### Adverbs

at least  
in honor (of)

## Expressions

### *Describing holidays, festivals, and celebrations*

... is a day/a night when ...  
... is the day when ...  
... is the month when ...  
... is the season when ...  
A ... is a time when ...  
Before ..., ...  
After ..., ...  
When ..., ...

### *Asking about customs*

How old are people when they ...?  
Is there ...?  
Where is the ... usually held?  
What happens during the ...?  
What do ... wear?  
What kind of food is served?



# Unit 9 Language summary

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## Vocabulary

### Nouns

accident  
advantage  
automobile  
catalog  
charity  
cinema  
(common) cold  
communication  
consequence  
construction site  
cure  
disadvantage

environment  
fine  
first class  
housing  
jet airplane  
leader  
ocean liner  
postal system  
railroad  
reality game  
space flights  
tax

### Adjectives

audio  
bored  
commercial  
flying  
high-paying  
multiplex  
3-D  
unexpected  
violent  
virtual

### Verbs

#### Modals

may  
might

#### Other

consider  
donate  
inherit  
litter  
star  
tear down

### Adverbs

instead  
nowadays  
soon

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## Expressions

### Talking about the past

In the past, . . . .  
People used to . . . .  
. . . years ago, people . . . .

### Talking about the present

These days, . . . .  
Today, people . . . .  
Nowadays, people . . . .

### Talking about the future

Soon, there will be . . . .  
In . . . years, people might/may . . . .  
In the future, people are going to . . . .

### Describing situations and possible consequences

If I . . . , I won't have to . . . .  
If you don't . . . , you'll have to . . . .  
If they . . . , they might . . . .  
If you . . . , you may have to . . . .

# Unit 10 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

#### *Jobs/Occupations*

accountant  
architect  
artist  
bookkeeper  
(entertainment) director  
journalist  
marine biologist  
model  
novelist  
reporter  
songwriter  
stockbroker

### *Other*

activity  
article  
attitude  
calendar  
co-worker  
cruise ship  
decision  
diaper  
employer  
excursion  
experience  
marketing  
personnel  
pressure  
product  
requirement  
résumé  
stock market

### Adjectives

assistant  
bad-tempered  
bilingual  
creative  
critical  
disorganized  
door-to-door  
forgetful  
generous  
hardworking  
impatient  
level-headed  
moody  
patient  
punctual  
recent  
reliable  
strict  
unfriendly

### Verbs

break (into)  
commute  
do for a living  
hire  
interview  
iron  
maintain  
make (a decision/  
a mistake)  
manage  
organize  
schedule

### Prepositions

to and from  
toward

## Expressions

### *Talking about possible occupations*

I'd make a good/bad . . . because I'm  
. . . and I like/don't like . . . .  
I wouldn't want to be a/an . . .  
because I'm too . . . .  
I could (never) be a/an . . . because  
I'm good/not good at . . . .  
I wouldn't mind working as a/an . . .  
because I really like . . . .

### *Expressing feelings and opinions*

I like/hate/enjoy . . . .  
I'm interested in . . . .  
I'm not good at . . . .  
I don't mind . . . .  
I can't stand . . . .

### *Agreeing with feeling and opinions*

So do I.  
So am I.  
Neither am I.  
Neither do I.  
Neither can I.

### *Disagreeing with feeling and opinions*

Oh, I don't./Really? I . . . .  
Gee, I'm not.  
I am!  
Well, I do.  
Oh, I don't mind.

# Unit 11 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

battle  
cattle  
corn  
crop  
currency  
electronics industry  
hair salon  
landmark  
lobster  
microchip  
novel  
opera  
oyster

plain  
playwright  
president  
radium  
revolution  
sheep  
structure  
textile industry  
travel agent  
variety

### Adjectives

agricultural  
digital

high-definition  
lowland  
official  
royal  
snow-capped  
wide

### Verbs

catch  
compose  
construct  
consume  
cultivate  
direct

employ  
export  
farm  
fill  
film  
make up  
manufacture  
produce  
raise  
record

### Adverb

officially

## Expressions

### *Describing works of art, inventions, and discoveries*

... was built/composed/created/designed/directed/  
painted/recorded/written by ...  
... was developed/discovered/invented/produced by ...

### *Asking about a country*

Where is ... located?  
What languages are spoken in ... ?  
What currency is used in ... ?  
Is English spoken (much) there?  
Are credit cards accepted (everywhere)?

### *Responding to difficult questions*

I'm not sure. Isn't it ... ?  
I think ... , but I'm not sure.  
I really have no idea.  
How would I know?

### *Expressing confusion*

Huh?  
What?  
Where?

# Unit 12 Language summary

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## Vocabulary

### Nouns

accomplishment  
author  
billionaire  
ending  
mining company  
mud  
role  
software  
tutor

### Adjectives

asleep  
calm  
face down  
face up  
leading  
modeling (career)  
normal  
tiny  
unlucky

### Verbs

be on one's way  
be out (of)  
break  
get/have a chance  
kayak  
model  
pursue  
slip  
snowboard  
toss

### Adverbs

coincidentally  
fortunately  
generally  
luckily  
miraculously  
sadly  
strangely  
suddenly  
surprisingly  
unexpectedly  
unfortunately

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## Expressions

### *Talking about past events*

I was . . . , but I never . . . .  
I was . . . when I . . . .  
While I was . . . , . . . .

### *Exchanging personal information*

Have you been doing anything exciting recently?  
Yes, I have./No, I haven't.  
What have you been doing lately/these days?  
I've been . . . .  
How long have you been doing that?  
For . . . .  
How have you been?  
Great! What about you?

### *Greeting someone after a long time*

I haven't seen you in ages.  
Has it been . . . since I last saw you?

### *Expressing interest and surprise*

That's definitely lucky!  
Wow! Tell me more.  
Oh, really? That's interesting.  
Really? I didn't know that!  
Oh, I see.  
Gee, I had no idea.

### *Asking for a reason*

How come?

# Unit 13 Language summary

## Vocabulary

### Nouns

#### Movie types

action  
adventure  
animated  
classic  
comedy  
documentary  
drama  
fantasy  
horror  
musical  
mystery  
romance  
science fiction  
thriller  
war

#### Other

acting  
alien  
bill  
category

character  
critic  
director  
iceberg  
mania  
mayor  
photography  
script  
smile  
society  
special effect  
story  
studio  
title  
village

### Adjectives

absurd  
bizarre  
disgusting  
dreadful  
dumb

fair  
fascinating  
hilarious  
horrible  
main  
marvelous  
odd  
outstanding  
poor  
ridiculous  
silly  
stupid  
talented  
weird  
wonderful

### Verbs

amaze  
amuse  
annoy  
be based (on)  
bore

chase  
confuse  
disgust  
embarrass  
excite  
fascinate  
get left (behind)  
interest  
laugh  
put down  
rate  
remind  
scare  
shock  
sink  
surprise  
take place

### Adverbs

by mistake  
in a row

## Expressions

### Giving opinions about movies, books, and people

I'm interested in . . . .  
I thought . . . was an exciting book.  
I'm fascinated by . . . .  
I think . . . is a wonderful actress.  
I find . . . fascinating.

### Describing movies, books, and people

It's the movie which/that . . . .  
It was a great book which/that . . . .  
It's about a man/woman who/that . . . .  
He's/She's . . . who/that . . . .

# Unit 14 Language summary

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## Vocabulary

### Nouns

bike rack  
fight  
gesture  
gum  
hard hat  
lane  
leash  
nail  
obligation  
parking ticket  
peace  
permission  
prohibition  
regulation  
rule

seat belt  
situation  
speed limit  
warning  
wastepaper basket

### Adjectives

annoyed  
confused  
disgusted  
embarrassed  
frustrated  
irritated  
nervous  
reserved

### Verbs

#### Modals

can  
could  
have (got) to

#### Other

bite  
camp  
chew  
exist  
fasten  
flash  
go away  
land  
notice  
recycle  
repeat

roll  
scratch  
steal  
tap  
throw  
turn out  
twirl  
wrinkle

### Adverbs

absolutely  
perhaps  
possibly

### Preposition

from (side to side)

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## Expressions

### Hypothesizing

It might/may mean . . . .  
It could mean . . . .  
Maybe/Perhaps it means . . . .

### Making a logical assumption

That must mean . . . .  
That probably means . . . .

### Disagreeing

I don't think so.

### Expressing permission

You can . . . .  
You're allowed to . . . .

### Expressing prohibition

You can't . . . .  
You aren't allowed to . . . .

### Expressing obligation

You have to . . . .  
You've got to . . . .

# Unit 15 Language summary

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## Vocabulary

### Nouns

advice column  
businessman  
campsite  
comb  
counselor  
cushion  
flat tire  
garage sale  
honesty  
jail  
owner  
predicament

radio talk show  
repair shop  
reward  
shopping problem  
truth  
value

### Adjectives

ashamed  
brief  
original  
tough

### Verbs

afford  
break down  
cheat  
confess  
deny  
dislike  
divorce  
exchange  
hide  
ignore  
reply  
shoplift

spank  
spill  
throw away  
trust  
warn  
yell

### Adverbs

immediately  
personally  
simply  
straight

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## Expressions

### *Describing imaginary situations and consequences in the present*

What would you do if . . . ?

If . . . , I'd/I could/I might/I wouldn't . . . .

### *Saying someone is right*

Hmm. You've got a point there.

### *Expressing disbelief*

You're kidding!

### *Giving opinions or suggestions about actions in the past*

What should I have done?

You should have . . . .

You shouldn't have . . . .

What would you have done?

I would have . . . .

I wouldn't have . . . .

# Unit 16 Language summary

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## Vocabulary

### Nouns

anger  
apology  
coach  
compliment  
criticism  
houseguest

intention  
lie  
regret  
ride  
sympathy

### Adjective

due

### Verbs

express  
fly (in)  
get (out)  
have (the flu)  
make (a date/plans)  
reorganize

sail  
weigh

### Adverb

out of (town)

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## Expressions

### Reporting requests

... asked/told me to ...  
... said to ...  
... asked/told me not to ...  
... said not to ...

### Reporting statements

... said (that) ...  
... told me (that) ...

### Exchanging personal information

How are things?  
Just fine, thanks.

### Talking on the phone

Hi, ... This is ...  
Oh, hi.

### Expressing regret

That's too bad.  
I'm really sorry.  
I'm sorry, too.