

1B The perfect date?

1. Describe a person you know in terms of appearance and personality. (page 150) What does he/she look like? What is he/she like? What does he/she like doing? What is dating like these days? What was it like in the past?

1C The Remake Project.

2. What is the remake Project? Is there a painting you know that you would like to remake? Why? Describe it. What pictures or posters do you have on the wall in your bedroom or living room? Describe them. Do you (or Did you) paint or draw? What kind of things?

2A OMG! Where's my Passport?

3. What do you prefer, going on holiday with friends or going with family? Why?
4. What kind of things do you like doing when you are on holiday?
5. Speak about a memorable holiday/day out/weekend/excursion/ or date you had. Speak about the time, the place, accommodation, the people, the weather, the activities, and say why that was a memorable experience. Where did you go? When did you go? Who did you go with? Where did you stay? What was the place like? What was the weather like? What did you do during the day? What did you do in the evening? Did you have a good time? Did you have any problems? Which?
6. Have you ever climbed a mountain? How long did it take to get to the top? What did you do when you got to the top? Did you take pictures? Did you sit in the sun? Did you enjoy the view?
7. Have you ever travelled by plane? Where did you fly to? Were you on holiday? How did you book the flight? Did you get to the airport early to check-in? Did you take your passport? Did you have any problems?

2B That's me in the picture.

8. Do you post photos on social media sites like Instagram? What kind of photos do you post? If not, how do you share photos with friends and family?
9. Do you have a photo as a background on your phone, tablet or computer? Who or what is it of? What's the story behind it? When was it taken? Who took it? What is there in the photo? What was happening at the time?
10. Do you have a favourite photo of yourself as a child? Who took it? What were you wearing? Is there a story behind it? Describe it.

2C One dark October evening

11. Tell these stories (they can be true for you or not)
 - A time I was very late... •A funny story about my friend •I met someone very interesting •An unusual event •A funny story about my family. •The worst party •My parents were very proud of me •A time I won a prize •A really fun job (In all the cases mention the time, the place, the people and the events.)

3A TripAside

12. What are you going to do next weekend? /on your winter holidays? During the second semester?

3B Put it in your calendar! Prepositions

13. Do you spend more on clothes or on technology? Why?
14. If you are worried about something, who do you normally talk to?
15. Do you believe in love at first sight? Why (not)?
16. Do you belong to any clubs or organizations? Which ones?
17. How long are you prepared to wait for friends when you've arranged to meet?
18. Who do you think should pay for the meal on a first date?

19. Do you (or a person you know) believe in ghosts?
20. When you go to a fast food restaurant, what do you generally ask for? What are the ingredients?

3C Word games

21. Define these words: a Dj, a camera, sunbathe(v) a supermarket, an art gallery, a passport, curly (adj) a teacher, grapes, an octopus, a mug, a kitchen, a grandfather, an apron. [Use these words: It's something... It's somebody... It's somewhere... It's a kind of... For example, you do this... It's the opposite of.... It's like... It's a verb/an adjective/ a noun/ etc.

4A Who does what?

22. What kind of housework do you enjoy doing? Why? (page 154)
23. Do you agree with the following:
- a. "Doing housework is as good as going to the gym"
 - b. "Children should help in the house"
 - c. "Women do more housework than men"
24. Answer these questions:
- a. In a typical Argentinian family, how much housework do teenagers do?
 - b. What housework do you think younger children (e.g. seven- and eight-year-olds) can do?
 - c. Who does the most housework in your house? Is everyone happy with this arrangement? Do you (or any other) ever argue or complain about it?
 - d. What housework do you do? How often do you do it?
 - e. What housework do you hate doing? What housework don't you mind doing?
 - f. Is there any housework you enjoy doing? Do you ever find housework relaxing?
 - g. Have you done any housework today? What?
 - h. Do you have any tips for keeping your house tidy and clean?

4B In your basket. Present Perfect or simple past? Shopping.

25. Have you ever bought or sold anything on eBay, or a similar website? What did you buy or sell?
26. Have you ever bought something online and had a problema with it? What was it?
27. Have you ever lost a bank card? Where did you lose it? Did you get it back?
28. Have you ever tried to take something back to a shop without the receipt? Did they chage it?
29. Have you ever had an argument with a shop assistant? What was it about?

4C #greatweekend. Indefinite pronouns. Adjectives +ed/+ing

30. Answer these questions:
- a. Do you think Sundays are usually boring?
 - b. Are you bored with your job or studies?
 - c. What kind of weather makes you feel depressed? What weather is depressing for you?
 - d. What activities do you find relaxing?
 - e. Do you usually feel relaxed at the end of the weekend? Why (not)?
 - f. Are you excited about your next holiday? Are you doing anything exciting?
 - g. What were you frightened of when you were a child?
31. Do you agree with the following?
- a. One in ten people sometime lie about their lives on social media.
 - b. When people read about what their friends are doing they feel jealous.
 - c. People's online lives are not the same as their real lives.
32. Answer these questions about your last weekend.
- a. Did you go anywhere exciting on Friday night?
 - b. Did you do anything in the house (e.g.cleaning) on Saturday morning?

- c. Did you go shopping? Did you buy anything?
- d. Did you need to work or study?
- e. What did you do on Saturday night?
- f. Did you go anywhere nice on Sunday?
- g. What did you have for lunch?
- h. Did you do anything relaxing in the afternoon?

5A I want it NOW!

- 33. How do you spend your time now that you are at university. How has your life changed over the last three or four years? Do you spend more or less time working, studying, seeing friends, going online, sleeping, cooking, shopping, using your computer?
- 34. What don't you have time for nowadays? What would you like to have more time for?
- 35. Do you get impatient when other people are talking? Do you talk too quickly?
- 36. Are you the first person to finish at mealtimes? Why?
- 37. Do you get irritable if you sit for an hour without doing anything? e.g. waiting for the doctor?
- 38. Do you walk out of shops and restaurants if there is a queue? Why?
- 39. Do you think that life is getting faster?
- 40. When you like a series, do you binge-watch? (watch all the episodes in rapid succession?)
- 41. What would you like to do when you get your degree? Do you want to work for a company? /on your own/ Would you like to travel? Would you like to do a postgraduate course? Where? What about?

5B Twelve lost wallets

- 42. Why do tourists choose to come to our country? Give reasons. Explain [Use vocabulary about holidays (page 152) and towns and cities (page 156)]
- 43. Which city in Argentina has the most exciting night life? Have you ever been there?
- 44. Which area in Argentina has the best attractions?
- 45. In your opinion, which area in Argentina has the friendliest people?
- 46. Which area in Argentina has the best cuisine?
- 47. Which is the cleanest city in Argentina?
- 48. Does Mendoza have the best public transport in Argentina?
- 49. Answer the following questions
 - a) What's the hardest thing you've ever learnt to do? Explain
 - b) What's the most difficult subject you have ever studied? Have you passed the exams? Are you going to take the final exam soon?
 - c) What's the best holiday you've ever had?
 - d) Who is the most interesting person you have ever met? Why?
 - e) What's the most beautiful place you've ever been to? (Explain.)
 - f) What's the most memorable moment you've had while studying at university so far?
 - g) Who do you get on with best in your family? Why?

5C How much is enough?

- 50. Mention some of the good things and the bad things about drinking alcohol, coffee, juice, milk, tea, and water.
- 51. Answer these questions
 - a. Do you think you drink enough water?
 - b. Do you do enough sport or exercise?
 - c. Do you have enough free time?

- d. Do you spend too much time online?
- e. Do you spend too much time in the sun?
- f. Do you spend too much money on things you don't really need?
- g. Do you read enough?
- h. Do you have too many clothes?
- i. Do you do too much housework?
- j. Do you get too much homework?

6A Think positive –or negative?

52. Are you a positive or a negative thinker? Do you think that you will pass your next exam? /that you will get your degree? /a good or a better job in the future? / that you will make new friends on your next holiday? /that you'll live to be 100? /that you'll find the love of your life/

6C The meaning of dreaming

53. Have you ever had a bad dream or a nightmare? Comment on it. What happened? Who was in it? How did you feel when you woke up?
54. Have you ever had a recurrent dream? Do you think that there is/was a connection between your dream and some events in your life?

7A First day nerves

55. What things are important to do if you go for a job interview?
56. How should you (impersonal you) prepare for a job interview?
57. What should you (impersonal you) do to cause a good first impression in a new job?
58. Answer these questions about your experiences:
- a. Have you ever tried to learn something new and failed?
 - b. How important is it to know how to speak English?
 - c. How long do you usually spend deciding what to wear in the morning?
 - d. Where are you hoping to go for your next holidays?
 - e. Are you planning to go anywhere next weekend?
 - f. Would you like to work or study in another country? Where? Why?
 - g. Have you ever pretended to be ill when you weren't?
 - h. Do you think it's important to learn to cook? At school?
 - i. Do you think it is possible to stay friends with an ex-boyfriend or an ex-girlfriend.

7B Happiness is...

59. What is happiness for you? Explain
60. Speak about one of the following:
- a. Something you don't mind doing in the house.
 - b. Something you like doing with your family.
 - c. Something you don't feel like doing at weekends.
 - d. Something you spend too much time doing.
 - e. Something you are very good or very bad at doing.
 - f. Somewhere you love going to in the summer. / Somewhere you don't like going to alone.
 - g. Somewhere you are thinking of going this weekend.
 - h. Somewhere you dream of going to in the future.
 - i. Somewhere you hate going to.
 - j. Something you would like to do in the future.
 - k. Something you always forget to do.
 - l. Something you are learning to do.

7C Could you pass the test?

61. Answer these questions about studying/learning English. (adjective + preposition)
- Do you think you are good at learning languages? Why?
 - Is there anything about learning English that you are bad at? What?
 - Do you think that watching series in English/ listening to pop music/ is good for your English? Why (not)?
 - Are you afraid of talking to people in English?
 - What English-speaking country are you most interested in? Would you like to go there?
 - Do you have to learn English at university? Or you don't need to?
62. Answer these questions about tourism. (Use of prepositions 7C)
- Which towns or cities in your country are always full of tourists in the summer? /Winter?
 - What tourist attractions is your country famous for?
 - Are people in your country usually nice to tourists?
 - Do people get angry with tourists who don't try to speak your language?
 - Are people in the capital city very different from people in the rest of the country?

8A Should I stay or should I go?

63. Give advice to these people. A) My neighbours have noisy parties every weekend. I can't sleep and it's driving me mad! B) It was my girlfriend's birthday yesterday and I forgot to get her anything. She isn't happy! C) I share a flat with a friend, but she never does any housework. D) My ten-year-old son wants a Smartphone –he says all his friends have one.

8B Murphy's Law.

64. Mention some of Murphy's Laws (about shopping, transport, thecnology, air travel, relationships, everyday life, etc) Use Conditional Sentences.
65. Answer these questions (with confusing verbs page 160)
- Who do you look like in your family?
 - How many English clases have you missed this semester?
 - What music do you like listening to?
 - What is the best way to meet new friends?
 - Is it sometimes OK to tell a lie? Why?
 - Have your ever lent money to a family member or to a friend? Did you pay it back?
 - Have you ever borrowed money from a family member or from a friend? Did they pay it back?
 - What clothes do you usually wear during the week? Where do you carry your things?
 - Do you ever watch films on your phone?

9A Beware of the dog.

66. Do you have (or Have you ever had) a pet? What animal would you most like to have as a pet? Are you allergic to any animals or insects? Have you ever had a bad experience with animals? What did you do? What would you do if a friend asked you to look after their cat or dog for the weekend?/ if you saw a large spider in the bath? / if you saw a dog attacking someone? /if you met a really dangerous animal in real life?

9B Fearof.net.

67. Do you have or Does any person you know have a phobia? How long have you had it? When and how did it start? How does it affect your or their life? Have you had any therapy? What phobias can you mention? What are people afraid of in each of them? How long have you been studying here? /have you lived in Mendoza? / how long have you known your best friend?