

Guide to units

Classroom Book

Self-study Workbook

1 Present, past and future

Talking about the present; talking about the past; making predictions

Grammar: revision of present, past and future tenses

Writing skills: writing a job application

Grammar exercises

Idioms: *Common idioms with nouns*

Listening: *Gossip*

Common verbs: *do and make*

2 Communicating

Vocabulary: types of written and spoken English; personal communication; learning a language

Reading and listening activity: *The truth about lying*

Vocabulary exercises

Idioms: *Common idioms with prepositions*

Listening: *Varieties of English*

Word building: *Nouns and verbs (1)*

Study pages A

Grammar study: *Infinitives*

Language awareness: *Double meanings*

Pronunciation: *Intonation and meaning*

Study skills A

Using reference books

A *Using a dictionary*

B *Finding your way around a book*

3 Making things clear

Defining; correcting wrong statements; emphasising

Grammar: defining relative clauses; cleft sentences with 'It ...'; cleft sentences with 'What ...'; participle phrases

Writing skills: describing a scene

Grammar exercises

Idioms: *Colours*

Listening: *Radio news*

Common verbs: *get*

4 Sports and games

Vocabulary: dangerous pastimes; how to play sports and games; issues in spectator sports

Reading and listening activity: *Problems, problems ...*

Vocabulary exercises

Idioms: *Animals*

Listening: *Cricket*

Word building: *Adjectives and nouns (1)*

Study pages B

Grammar study: *Articles*

Language awareness: *Conversational remarks*

Pronunciation: *Where's the stress?*

Study skills B

Dealing with vocabulary

A *Guessing unknown words*

B *Learning new vocabulary*