

VOCABULARY

VERBS + PREPOSITIONS

1 Underline the correct alternatives.

- After waiting *for/to/about* months, James decided it was the right time travel *for/to/around* the world.
- I'm moving *to/on/in* the USA in August. At the moment I'm waiting *of/about/for* my visa.
- I was born in Pakistan in a village with no school. I've always dreamt *in/about/for* going *to/back/ from* there to open a school for the children.
- Sal's thinking *in/to/about* doing an art course. She's looking *about/in/for* someone who can teach her how to paint.

2 Match the sentence halves.

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|-------------------------|---|
| 1 When are you going | a) to Berlin because they want to be near his family. |
| 2 I'm looking | b) for me here – I'll only be a few minutes. |
| 3 She's travelling | c) back home? Have you booked your ticket yet? |
| 4 He's OK. He's waiting | d) about it for a while and tell me later? |
| 5 They moved | e) for my bag. Have you seen it anywhere? |
| 6 Please wait | f) around America at the moment on a bus. |
| 7 Do you want to think | g) for a friend. |

GRAMMAR

USED TO

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of *used to* and the verbs in the box.

not visit not like spend not come
stay run study read be

- We *didn't use to visit* our cousins very often when we were young.
- I _____ a lot of books as a child, but now I only read the newspapers.
- _____ (you) French at school?
- There _____ a cinema in the town centre, but it's closed now.
- _____ (you) a lot of time with your grandparents?
- We _____ in a small hotel by the sea every summer.
- My father was always very fit. He _____ eight kilometres every morning.
- He _____ her because he thought she was rude. Now he's fallen madly in love!
- Tourists _____ here very often, but now the place is very popular.

4 Read the text and look at the pictures. Then write sentences with *used to/didn't use to* using the prompts.

Ten years ago



James Turnbull and Harry Potts left their office jobs in London to move to Tobago and open a bar on the beach. Now, ten years later, they own two hotels, a restaurant and a nightclub. When James told his colleagues at work about his plans, they thought he was crazy. So when the pair opened their first bar, they called it The Crazy Bar. It's been a great success.

Now



- James and Harry / work / London
James and Harry used to work in London.
- they / dream / a life on the beach

- they / sit in traffic / on the way to the office

- Harry / wear / a suit to work

- James / not spend / his time / sitting on the beach

- they / not eat / tropical fruit for breakfast

- they / not wear / shorts and a T-shirt to work

- they / not go / surfing at the end of the day

- James' colleagues / think / he was crazy

5 A 7.1 Listen and complete the sentences.

- 1 She _____ very shy.
- 2 I _____ a car.
- 3 My granddad _____ me sweets.
- 4 I never _____ at school.
- 5 They _____ in America.
- 6 Did you _____ to the cinema?

B 7.2 Listen and repeat. Focus on the pronunciation of *used to* and *didn't use to*.

7 Read the article again. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- 1 Madonna left her job at Dinky Donuts because she wanted to be famous.
- 2 Bryan Cranston was a police officer for many years.
- 3 Johnny Depp worked in sales.
- 4 He thought the job was boring.
- 5 Rachel McAdams was very good at her job at the fast food restaurant.
- 6 Kanye West used to sing his songs in a clothes shop.

READING

6 Read the article and match photos A-F with paragraphs 1-6.



BEFORE THEY WERE FAMOUS ...

- 1 Did you know that Brad Pitt once delivered fridges and George Clooney was a shoe salesman? If you find you are not doing very well and dream about being famous, don't give up. Some of the most famous celebrities started their working lives in some very simple jobs.
- 2 When Madonna first arrived in New York, looking for fame and fortune, she only had thirty-five dollars in her pocket. She took a job working at Dinky Donuts in Times Square, but later lost her job for squirting jam at one of the customers.
- 3 Bryan Cranston, star of TV drama *Breaking Bad*, worked on his grandparents' chicken farm while he was studying Political Science at university. He originally wanted to work as a police officer before he discovered he had a talent for acting.
- 4 Before being an actor, Johnny Depp used to sell pens. He used to telephone people to sell them pens with their names printed on them. But he didn't enjoy the job, so sometimes he tried using different voices on the telephone to make the job more interesting.
- 5 As a teenager, Rachel McAdams worked at a fast food restaurant during her summer holidays – for three years! It sounds like she wasn't a great employee, either, as she spent a lot of time washing her hands! 'I was not a great employee,' Rachel says. 'I broke the orange juice machine one day.'
- 6 Before Kanye West became famous, he worked as a sales assistant at GAP clothes shop. He raps about it in the song *Spaceship* from his first album, *The College Dropout*: Let's go back, back to the Gap!

WRITING

PARAGRAPHS

8 Read the text and number the sentences in each paragraph in the correct order.

- 1 introduces the main idea
- 2 supports the idea
- 3 finishes or concludes the paragraph

REACH FOR THE SKY!

2 Or do you dream about living the life you really want to live? The good news is that it's always possible to make changes that will improve your life.

3 Here are some tips.

1 Do you wake up in the morning excited about what the day will bring?

Set new goals

_____ What exactly do you want to change in your life?

_____ Writing down your goals is the first step towards achieving them.

_____ Decide on some new goals to help you achieve this change and write them down.

Do something different

_____ Try not doing something for a while – like not watching television for one week.

_____ This will give you time to try doing something different.

_____ Do you spend a lot of your time doing the same things every day?

Think about now

_____ If you try to focus on the present, things will seem easier.

_____ And don't worry about things which haven't happened yet.

_____ Don't spend too much time thinking about the past and worrying about decisions you have already made.

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COLLOCATIONS

1 Complete the words in the news headlines.

1 KENYAN SCIENTIST
FINDS A WAY TO
C U R E CANCER

2 FILM DIRECTOR MAKES
D _____ Y ABOUT
AMAZON TRIBES

3 'HOUSE ON FIRE HERO'
S _____ THREE LIVES

4 EXCLUSIVE! FILM STAR TELLS ALL:
'HOW I B _____ FAMOUS IN
HOLLYWOOD'

5 SHOCK AS TOP LONDON LAWYER IS
A _____ D FOR MURDER

6 PRINCE DECIDES TO S _____ D
SIX MONTHS ABROAD

7 A HUNDRED-YEAR-OLD ACTOR PLAYS
HIS FINAL R _____ E IN FILM

2 Cross out the incorrect alternative in each sentence.

- The doctor cured *the illness/medicine/Mrs Jones*.
- This is one way to become *film/famous/successful*.
- The killer spent *twenty years in prison/time abroad/many people*.
- She plays *a role/a theatre/an important part in the film*.
- In the book, Mr Travis saves *his son's life/some money/a long way*.
- I really wanted to make *a play/film/documentary*.
- Ms Maxwell has been arrested for *murder/thief/a crime*.

GRAMMAR

PURPOSE, CAUSE AND RESULT

3 Find and correct the mistakes in eight of the sentences.


- I worked hard for to pass my exams.
- She was angry because we didn't do our homework.
- I play a lot of sport because want to stay fit.
- He drove for six hours to meeting you.
- The bus was late, so that we walked.
- I spent time abroad because of I like travelling.
- I'm going to the restaurant for meet my friends.
- He wanted to become a film star so he went to Hollywood.
- I went to the shop for buying the book.
- I live miles from my office, but so I get a train to work.

4 Complete the texts with *to*, *so* or *because*.

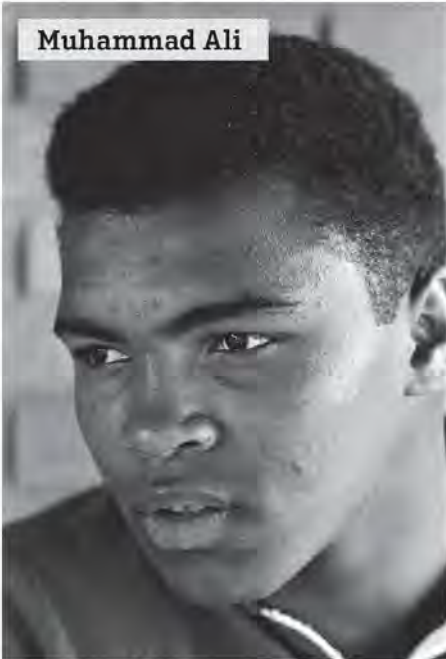
- John Klimt changed his name eight times _____ he wanted to have the names of his great-grandparents. He wanted to include the women too, _____ for a short time he was called Sara, Katrina, Jessica and Margit!
- In 2005, a town called Clark, in Texas, changed its name to Dish. Why? _____ in 2005, DISH TV network offered ten years of free satellite and digital TV to everyone if the town changed its name. _____ the town's residents agreed to do it!
- In 2006, Australian singer Rebecca Swift changed her hair colour every day for 365 days. Why? _____ be different. She is a fan of Madonna, who changes her image all the time, _____ Rebecca copied her.
- Epi Taione, a Tongan rugby player, changed his name to Paddy Power during the 2007 Rugby World Cup. Paddy Power is a company which gave money to the Tongan team, _____ Taione changed his name _____ say thank you!



LISTENING

5 A  7.3 Listen to a radio programme and circle the correct options.

- The programme is about people who change their _____.
a) job b) nationality c) name
- People have _____ for changing.
a) many reasons b) three reasons c) one main reason
- Susan explains that Muhammad Ali's _____.
a) real name was Cassius Clay b) first religion was Christian c) name is Arabic
- The programme mentions several famous _____.
a) sportspeople b) writers c) singers
- Many people change their names when they move to a new country, especially in _____.
a) Europe b) the USA and England c) films
- The programme mentions Angelina Jolie's _____.
a) childhood b) father c) children



Muhammad Ali



Angelina Jolie



George Michael

B Listen again and complete the notes.

- When a woman gets ¹ _____, she might want to go back to her original name.
- Cassius Clay became Muhammad Ali because he changed his ² _____.
- The name Freddie Mercury is probably easier to ³ _____ than Farookh Balsara.
- Another reason people want to change their name is to identify with a new ⁴ _____.
- Angelina Jolie's father is an ⁵ _____.
- Oprah Winfrey is called Oprah because there was a ⁶ _____ on her birth certificate.

C Read audio script 7.3 on page 80 and find words that match these meanings.

- ends a marriage _____
- a sports person who fights in matches _____
- the person who sings the most in a band _____
- people who go to live in a different country _____
- feel that you understand or have a connection with someone or something _____
- stopped using _____
- a document that shows when and where you were born _____

D Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

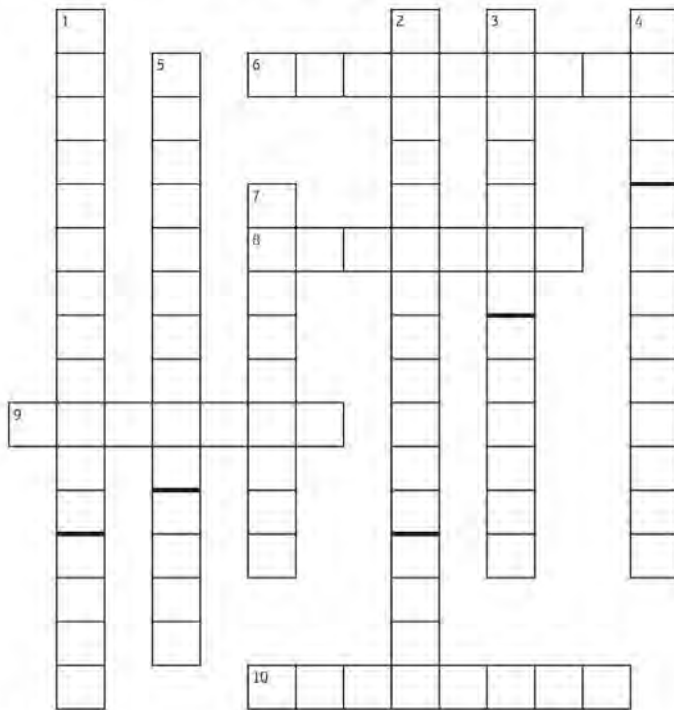
got divorced give an example real name
lead singer identify with birth certificate

- To get a passport, you need to show your _____.
- I've lived in ten countries, but I don't really _____ any of them.
- That's a good point. Can you _____?
- Actor Michael Caine's _____ is Maurice Micklewhite.
- They got married, but four years later they _____.
- Bono is the _____ of the band U2.

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FACILITIES

1 Read the clues and complete the crossword.



Across

- 6 Let's meet for a coffee in the _____.
- 8 Professor Morris is giving a presentation in the _____ theatre at 2p.m.
- 9 I'm going to the _____ to borrow a book.
- 10 I want to buy a dictionary. I think there's a _____ over there.

Down

- 1 Do you know where the _____ is? I need to make a photocopy of this form.
- 2 I need to register for my course. Is this the _____?
- 3 I'll take you to the _____. They can tell you about your accommodation.
- 4 When you go into the building, ask for Mr Kubovsky at the _____.
- 5 Is there a _____ near here? I need to buy a notebook.
- 7 Our lesson is in a different _____ today.

FUNCTION

FINDING OUT INFORMATION

2 The underlined words are in the wrong place in the conversations. Write them in the correct place.

Conversation 1

- Excuse* *tell*
- A: ¹Thank me, can you ²library me where the library is?
- B: The ³reception?
- A: Yes, that's right.
- B: It's next to the main ⁴excuse.

A: ⁵kind you.

B: I can take you there if you like.

A: That's very ⁶tell.

Conversation 2

A: Do you ⁷opens if the cafeteria is open?

B: ⁸Thank?

A: Is the ⁹know open now?

B: Yes. I think it ¹⁰cafeteria at 8.30a.m.

A: ¹¹Sorry you.

Conversation 3

A: Excuse me. Could you ¹²classroom me?

B: Yes.

A: Can you ¹³help me where my classroom is?

B: Have you got your registration form?

A: ¹⁴tell?

B: Your registration form. ¹⁵Thank I have your registration form?

A: Yes, ¹⁶Sorry it is.

B: Your ¹⁷Can is room 401. It's over there, near the bookshop.

A: ¹⁸here you.

LEARN TO

CHECK AND CONFIRM INFORMATION

3 4 Complete the responses using the clues in brackets.

1 A: It's next to the bookshop.

B: The bookshop? The one near the cafeteria? (repeat key word/phrase)

A: That's right.

2 A: You can't bring your bag into the library.

B: So, do I have to _____ here? (rephrase)

A: That's right.

3 A: The exam starts at 9 o'clock.

B: Did _____? (ask a checking question)

A: That's right.

4 A: I need to buy a notebook.

B: _____? There's a stationery shop over there. (repeat key word/phrase)

A: Thank you.

5 A: Can you tell me where the study centre is?

B: It's on the left as you go out of the building.

A: _____? (ask for repetition)

B: It's on the left as you go out of the building.

A: Thank you.

6 A: Where can I find Professor Adams?

B: He's in the lecture theatre.

A: Did _____? (ask a checking question)

B: Yes, he's giving a presentation.

B 7.4 Listen and check.