# **STARTER UNIT**

## LESSON A – DAY IN, DAY OUT

### ★ <u>VOCABULARIES:</u>

- 1. Ambitious (adj): having a strong desire to be successful:
- 2. Court (n): area where we play games such as tennis and basketball:
- 3. Do my best (phr): to try hard:
- 4. Fall behind (with) (phr v): not to do sth on time
- 5. Leave for school/work (phr): to leave the house to go to school/work:
- 6. Manage (v): To succeed:
- 7. Motivated (adj): enthusiastic about doing sth:
- 8. Never give up (phr): to never stop doing sth:
- 9. Professional (adj): doing a particular thing to earn money:
- 10. Stay out late (phr): to remain away from home until late at night:
- 11. Take a bath (phr): to wash your body in a bath:
- 12. Well-organized (adj): well-planned:

#### ★ <u>QUESTION WORDS:</u>

When....?

What time.....?

#### ★ <u>ABOUT TIME:</u>

O'clock:	<u>Ex</u> : 6:00 - six <i>o'clock</i>
Past:	<u>Ex</u> : $6:20 - \text{six twenty/ twenty } past \text{ six}$
To:	Ex: $6:50 - six fifty/ten to seven$
15': a quarter past	<u>Ex</u> : $6:15 - a$ quarter past six
30': half past	<u>Ex</u> : $6:30 - half past six$
45': a quarter to	Ex: $6:45 - a$ quarter to seven

## **LESSON B – HOW OFTEN...?**

#### VOCABULARIES:

- 1. Go dancing/clubbing (phr): to dance/go to a night club:
- 2. Go skating (phr): to skate on ice:
- 3. Hang out with friends (phr): to spend time in a place with friends:
- 4. Have coffee/a snack with friends: to drink coffee/eat a small amount of food with friends:
- 5. Make models (phr): to make a toy that looks like sth bigger:
- 6. Talk on the phone (phr): to talk in a friendly way by telephone:

### ★ QUESTION WORDS:

#### How often....?

### ★ <u>ADVERBS OF FREQUENCY</u>:

- 1. Always:
- 2. Usually:
- 3. Often:
- 4. Sometimes:
- 5. Never:
  - $\Rightarrow$  They come \_\_\_\_\_ *the verb be*, come \_\_\_\_\_ *other verbs*.

### **<u>Grammar</u>**: The simple present

Các thể	Công thức	Các ngôi khác	Ngôi thứ 3 số ít
Câu khẳng định (+)	$S + V1 / V_s/es + O$	You go	She goes
Câu phủ định (-)	S + do/does not + V1 + O	You don't go	She doesn't go
Câu nghi vấn (?)	Do/Does +S + V1 + O ?	Do you go ?	Does she go ?
Câu phủ định nghi vấn	Don't/doesn't + S + V1 + O ?	Don't you go	Doesn't she go ?

## ★ <u>Pronunciation</u>: /s/,/z/,/iz/

- /s/ nếu từ kết thúc bằng /p, k, f, t, th/ Ex: likes, speaks, asks
- /iz/ nếu từ có kết thúc bằng /ce, ge, se, ch, sh, x, z, s, ss/ <u>Ex</u>: teaches, manages, pronounces /z/ còn lại <u>Ex</u>: drives, loves, begins

# LESSON C – PEN PALS

## VOCABULARIES:

- 1. Get along (quite) well (phr): to have quite friendly relationship with sb:
- 2. Get to know each other (phr): to begin to know one another:
- 3. Go to school on foot (phr): to walk to school:
- 4. Kind (n): type:
- 5. Local (adj): belonging to the area where sb lives:
- 6. Work long hours (phr): to work for more hours than in usual:

# **UNIT 1 - LIFESTYLES**

## ★ <u>VOCABULARIES:</u>

- 1. Constant noise and pollution (phr): having noise and pollution all the time:
- 2. Convenient public transportation (phr): system of busses and trains that is easy to use:
- 3. Cost of living (phr): the amount of money sb needs to live:
- 4. Crowded streets (n): streets full of people
- 5. Feeling isolated (phr): feeling lonely and without friends:
- 6. Friendly, helpful people (phr): people who are pleasant and help other people:
- 7. Heavy traffic (n): a great number of vehicles moving along a road:
- 8. Peaceful and quiet (phr) (for a place): with a few people and very little noise

# UNIT 1A: CITY LIFE – COUNTRY LIFE

## ★ <u>VOCABULARIES:</u>

- 1. Barn (n): farm building with animals and crops:
- 2. Can't stand with the smell (phr): to not like the smell at all:
- 3. Close at hand (phr): near:
- 4. Facilities (n): buildings, equipments, and services for specific purpose:
- 5. Get homesick (phr): to feel sad because you are away from your home:
- 6. Hustle and bustle (phr): busy and noisy activity:
- 7. Milk the cows (phr): to get milk from the cows:
- 8. Stay in bed (phr): to not get up:
- 9. Swap (v): to exchange, trade:

10. Take an exam (phr): to write an exam:

11. Traffic (n): cars, buses, ... moving along a road:

## ★ <u>REVIEW PRESENT PROGRESSIVE:</u>

We use Present progressive for:

- $\checkmark$  Action happening now
- $\checkmark$  Arrangements in the future

(+)S + am/ is/ are + V-ing	
(-)S + am/ is/ are + not + V-ing	
(?)Am/ Is/ Are + S + V-ing ?	

- <u>Ex</u>: 1. He's sleeping now.
  - 2. I'm not watching TV at the moment.
  - 3. What *are* they *playing*?