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Topics of conversation: Customs and traditions
Describing people
Confusing words
Complaints and suggestions

Grammar: Verbal forms
Model verbs
Prepositions

I. Match the adjectives in column A to column B. Find the best adjective which describes the opposite kind of person.

1. selfish  a. quiet
2. lazy  b. short
3. impatient  c. young
4. polite  d. optimistic
5. tall  e. bad-tempered
6. elderly  f. patient
7. pessimistic  g. sociable
8. cheerful  h. unselfish
9. unsociable  i. hard-working
10. talkative  j. impolite

II. Fill in the appropriate adjectives from exercise 1

1. She loves to talk to people and tell them what she thinks. She’s very ________.
2. They don’t care about other people, they only think of themselves. They’re ________.
3. He’s a very ________ man. He always thinks everything will be fine.
4. My friend wants to get an important job in a high position. She’s very ________.
5. Jane is a ________ person. She loves going to parties and meeting people.

III. Write the adjectives for the following definitions:

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<thead>
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<th>Someone who</th>
<th>adjective</th>
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<td>doesn’t mind waiting</td>
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<td>has special abilities</td>
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<td>cares about other people</td>
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<td>wants to be successful</td>
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<td>does not like to work</td>
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<td>does not talk much</td>
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IV. Write what they should or shouldn't do.
1. Mark is always late for work. **He should get up earlier.**
2. Her flowers are more beautiful than mine.
3. I would like to speak English fluently.
4. Her hair is too long.
5. Tom's clothes are old-fashioned.
6. My CD player isn't working.
7. Her husband weighs 120 kilos.
8. He plays the drums every evening, so the children can't sleep.

V. Put the verbs in brackets in the correct form
1. The Browns **send** us a Christmas card two weeks ago.
2. Don't take a taxi. It **is** too expensive.
3. We **have** dinner at the moment.
4. I can't hear her. She must **speak** louder.
5. When I **get** home last night, I **feel** very tired and I **go** straight to bed.
6. How many times a day **does he** feed the cows?
7. They **got** married 15 years ago, but they **will get** divorced next Friday.
8. Hello, Jack. What **will you** do tonight?

VI. Add make or do.
1. **Make** a mistake
2. **Do** homework
3. **Have** money
4 _________ your duty
5 _________ love
6 _________ a cup of tea
7 _________ a decision
8 _________ the shopping
Topics of conversation: Christmas and other holidays
Describing towns and cities
Discussing rules and regulations in different situations / places

Grammar: Comparative and superlative of adjectives
Model verbs
Prepositions
Expressing polite requests, obligations and absence of obligations

I. Here are some problems of large cities. Complete the table with the cause and effect from the boxes.

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<th>Problem</th>
<th>Cause</th>
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<td>pollution</td>
<td>too much traffic, poverty, traffic and industry, poverty and unemployment</td>
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<td>crime</td>
<td>diseases, burglary and shoplifting, very slow traffic, housing in bad conditions</td>
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<td>traffic jams</td>
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<td>slums</td>
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II. Complete the sentences with comparatives or superlatives of the adjectives in brackets

1. New York is ________________ (big) than Washington.
2. Ljubljana is ________________ (important) city in Slovenia.
3. Is Škofja Loka ________________ (far) from Ljubljana than Jesenice?
4. Which is ________________ (polluted), London or Paris?
5. The buses in Bombay are ________________ (crowded) than the buses in London.
6. Triglav is ________________ (high) mountain in Slovenia.
7. Portorož is ________________ (beautiful) resort on the Slovene coast.
8. Is Kranjska gora ________________ (safe) than Ljubljana?

III. Make the requests more polite.

1. Stop hitting the back of my seat. ________________________________
2. Give me the ticket. ________________________________
3. I want to sit here. ________________________________
4. I want to read your newspaper. ________________________________
5. Move your bag. ________________________________
6. Fasten your seatbelt. ________________________________
7. Give us the bill. ________________________________
8. Show me your passport. ________________________________
IV. Fill in the missing modal verb.

1. Children ______________ wear slippers at school.
2. __________ you __________ be in the office at 7am?
3. I have a headache. I __________ take an aspirin.
4. You __________ buy the sugar. I bought it yesterday.
5. You __________ park your car here. It's a taxi rank.
6. She __________ save more money if she wants to buy a new car.
7. __________ you __________ show your passport if you travel to Croatia?
8. A policeman __________ wear a uniform at work.
9. You __________ stay here as long as you want to.
10. Lucy feels better now, so she __________ take the medicine.

V. Fill in the prepositions

1. A lot _____ accidents happen _____ our roads every day.
2. Everybody is _____ home.
3. We went _____ seaside _____ car _____ 2005.
4. My birthday is _____ the twenty-fifth _____ June.
5. What do you spend your pocket money _____?
6. She's interested _____ music.
7. How far is _____ New York _____ San Francisco?
8. I like to look _____ paintings, only not _____ too long.