

Units 10 – 12 Self-check

1 Language elements.

Read the letter. Choose the correct words.

Dear Mr and Mrs Davis

I'm writing to enquire about your hotel and see if it would be possible to book a week's holiday with you next May.

Your hotel ____ (1) to us by some friends who ____ (2) with you last August. They ____ (3) that they ____ (4) a wonderful time and that the hotel was perfect. They also ____ (5) us that if we were ever in the area that we really ____ (6) to check you out.

The Lake District is an area ____ (7) we have always wanted to visit and this year we've finally decided to do it. It's our 25th wedding anniversary and we think your hotel will be the perfect place for ____ (8) it.

As I said, we would like to stay for a week in May. The ideal time for us would be the week beginning the 15th. Could you let us ____ (9) if you have a room then? Could you also tell us how much ____ (10) for a couple, and if meals are included in the price?

We look forward to hearing from you.

Best wishes
John and June Miller

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2 4 Listening comprehension.

Listen to the dialogue between a tourist in Rio de Janeiro and a woman who lives there. Mark the sentences *true* or *false*.

11. The man wants to go to the museum of modern art.
12. The woman says he ought to take a bus.
13. The taxi journey would cost about \$15.
14. The woman recommends another museum in Niteroi.
15. The woman says he should take the bus to Niteroi.
16. Niemeyer is a famous painter.
17. The museum looks like something from a science-fiction film.
18. The view of Rio is beautiful from Niteroi.
19. The woman recommends the fish restaurants in Niteroi.
20. The man hasn't got enough time to go to the museum in Niteroi.

3 Writing.

Write an e-mail to Getaway France asking for more information. Include:

- when you want to travel.
- how many people will be travelling.
- what kind of accommodation you want.
- what travel information you want.

Holidays in the South of France

Getaway France is the UK's leading holiday company in the South of France with more than 25 years' experience. We can organise all types of holidays at all times of the year. From self-catering to five-star hotel. For single people looking to make new friends to groups of fifty looking for fun. We'll take care of all your travel arrangements. For more information, e-mail us with any enquiries you might have.

4 Reading comprehension.

Read the horoscopes. Match the sentences with the name of a star sign.

Taurus It seems like nothing has been going right for you this week, and today is no exception. By lunchtime you will start asking yourself why you ever got out of bed today. Unfortunately, your bad luck is going to continue for a few more weeks. Perhaps this is a good time to start running or swimming to help you think of different things.



Aries Today is a good day for romance and an e-mail from an old friend will get your heart beating faster. Be careful, things are not always what they seem! Problems at work will make the day seem longer, and you will be more than happy to get home at the end of the day. Don't worry. Use the evening to take things easy. Tomorrow things will improve.



Cancer You haven't been feeling well recently and today might be a good day to go to the doctor's and find out what exactly is wrong with you. He should be able to sort things out for you. You are also feeling the need to express yourself, and today is a good day to get in touch with your creative side.



Gemini An argument with a family member will start the day badly for you. Take the morning to think about what you said. You might just find that you are in the wrong this time. An apology will help make things better. It might be a good idea to spend the evening out with friends to get away from family pressures.



Leo Good news at work in the morning will put a smile on your face and keep it there for the rest of the day. Take someone out at lunchtime and share your happiness. Find time to do some shopping on the way home from work and buy something for that special person in your life.



21. You might need to say sorry to someone today. _____
22. Today is going to be like the rest of the week has already been for you. _____
23. An evening out is recommended. _____
24. You will be happy all day. _____
25. Someone from your past will get in touch unexpectedly. _____
26. Why not start your novel today? _____
27. You're having some medical problems. _____
28. Get your loved one a present. _____
29. You ought to relax later on in the day. _____
30. You should do some physical exercise. _____

Wat kan ik?

Ik kan in het Engels:

- toeristische informatie uitwisselen en vertellen waarom mensen ergens heen moeten gaan. (10A)
- mijn mening geven over een schilderij. (10B)
- informatie en uitlatingen van andere mensen weergeven. (10B)
- me beklagen en daarbij mijn ergernis tonen of me juist beleefd uitdrukken. (11A)
- het gedrag van mensen beschrijven. (11A)
- mezelf of een ander in een korte tekst beschrijven. (11B)
- in een discussie over horoscopen mijn standpunt duidelijk maken en stelling nemen tegen de mening van een ander. (11B)
- kenmerken van dingen beschrijven als het woord ervoor me niet te binnen schiet. (12A)
- een radio-interview volgen en de belangrijkste details ervan begrijpen. (12A)
- een kort verhaal schrijven. (12B)