## A WHAT ARE THEY SAYING?

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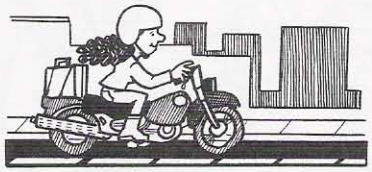
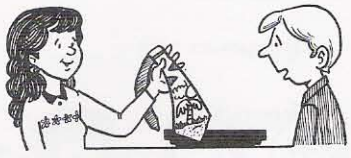


1. A. Did you ride your bicycle to work this morning?

   B. No, I didn't. I rode my motorcycle. I'm going to ride my bicycle to work tomorrow morning.

2. A. Did Tommy wear his new shoes to school today?

   B. _____. He _____ his old shoes. _____ his new shoes tomorrow.



3. A. Did Sally give her husband a sweater for his birthday this year?

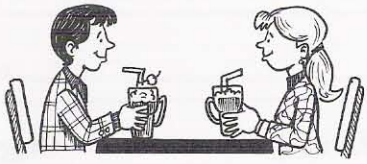
   B. _____. She _____ him a tie. _____ him a sweater next year.

4. A. Did your parents drive to the mountains last weekend?

   B. _____. They _____ to the beach. _____ to the mountains next weekend.

5. A. Did you and your family have eggs for breakfast this morning?

   B. _____. We _____ pancakes. _____ eggs tomorrow morning.



6. A. Did you go out with Mandy last Saturday night?

   B. _____. I _____ out with Sandy. _____ out with Mandy next Saturday night.

7. A. Did Howard write an interesting story for homework today?

   B. _____. He _____ a boring one. _____ a more interesting story next time.

8. A. Did Shirley leave the office early this afternoon?

   B. _____. She _____ very late. _____ early tomorrow afternoon.

## B BAD CONNECTIONS!

1.

I'm really scared. Tomorrow my dentist is going to ##########.

I'm sorry. I can't hear you. I think we have a bad connection. What's _your dentist going to do_?

2.

We're very excited about our trip. We're going to go to ##########.

What did you say? I can't hear you. Where _____ _____?

3.

My son is very sad. His girlfriend is going to move to Alaska because ##########.

I'm sorry. We have a bad connection. Why _____ _____?

4.

My parents are going to give me a ########## for my sixteenth birthday.

Excuse me. I can't hear you. _____ _____?

5.

I'm really nervous. I'm going to ########## for the first time tomorrow.

We have a bad connection. _____ _____?

6.

Please come to our wedding. We're going to get married next ##########.

I'm sorry. I can't hear you. _____ _____?

7.

I won't be home after school today. I'm going to meet ##########.

This is a terrible connection! _____ _____?

(continued)

8.
I'm very excited! I'm going to name my new puppy ############.

Sorry. I can't hear you.
_____
_____?

9.
I'm really upset. My parents are going to sell our house because ############.

What did you say?
_____
_____?

10.
I won't be home next weekend. I'm going to go to ############.

This is a terrible connection!
_____
_____?

11.
I'm really nervous. I have to call ############.

What did you say?
_____
_____?

12.
Walter, I'm going to fire you because ############.

Excuse me. We have a bad connection. I can't hear you.
_____
_____?

## C LISTENING

**Listen and choose the time of the action.**

1. a. last night
   (b.) tomorrow night
2. a. yesterday afternoon
   b. tomorrow afternoon
3. a. this weekend
   b. last weekend
4. a. this Saturday
   b. last Saturday
5. a. last week
   b. next week
6. a. yesterday evening
   b. this evening
7. a. tomorrow night
   b. last night
8. a. this weekend
   b. last weekend
9. a. this evening
   b. yesterday evening
10. a. last winter
    b. this winter
11. a. tomorrow morning
    b. yesterday morning
12. a. next semester
    b. last semester

## D THE PESSIMIST AND THE OPTIMISTS

James is a pessimist. He always thinks the worst will happen.

All his friends are optimists. They always tell James he shouldn't worry.

1. I'm afraid I ___won't have___ a good time at the office party tomorrow.

   Yes, ___you will___. ___You'll___ have a wonderful time.

2. I'm sure my son ___will hurt___ himself in his soccer match today.

   No, ___he won't___. ___He won't___ hurt himself. He's always very careful.

3. I'm afraid my grandmother _____ get out of the hospital soon.

   Yes, _____. _____ get out of the hospital in a few days.

4. I'm afraid my wife _____ upset if I get a very short haircut.

   No, _____. _____ be upset.

5. I'm positive I _____ weight on my new diet.

   Yes, _____. _____ lose a lot of weight.

6. I'm afraid my children _____ my birthday this year.

   No, _____. _____ forget your birthday. They never forget it.

7. I'm afraid my landlord _____ our broken doorbell.

   Yes, _____. _____ fix it as soon as he can.

8. I'm afraid my new neighbors _____ like me.

   Of course _____. _____ you a lot. Everybody likes you.

9. I'm sure _____ catch a cold when we go camping this weekend.

   No, _____. _____ catch a cold, James. You worry too much!

## E WHAT WILL BE HAPPENING?

attend browse clean do fill out rain watch work out

1. A. Will Amanda be busy this afternoon?

   B. Yes, she will.

   She'll be doing research at the library.

2. A. Will you be busy this evening?

   B. Yes, _____. _____

   _____ my income tax form.

3. A. Will Donald be home this afternoon?

   B. No, _____. _____

   _____ at his health club.

4. A. Will Mr. and Mrs. Lee be busy tonight?

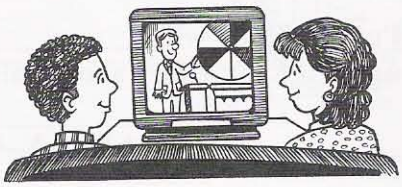
   B. Yes, _____. _____

   _____ their apartment.

5. A. Will Grandpa be busy tonight?

   B. Yes, _____. _____

   _____ the web until after midnight.



6. A. Will you and your wife be home today?

   B. Yes, _____. _____

   _____ our favorite game show on TV.

7. A. Will Mom be home early tonight?

   B. No, _____. _____

   _____ a meeting.

8. A. Will the weather be nice this weekend?

   B. No, _____. _____

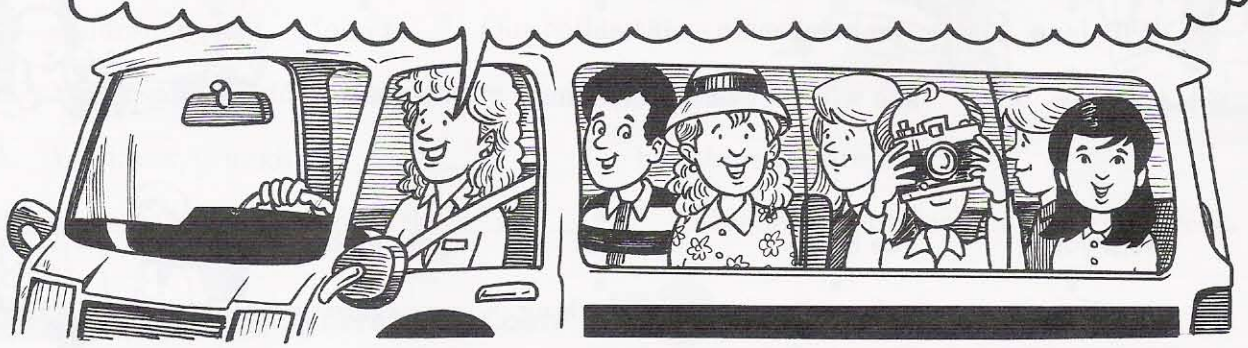
   _____ cats and dogs!

## F A TOUR OF MY CITY

**Pretend you're taking people on a tour of your city or town. Fill in the blanks with real places you know.**

Good morning, everybody. This is _____ speaking. I'm so glad you'll be coming with me today on a tour of _____. We'll be leaving in just a few minutes.

First, I'll be taking you to see my favorite places in the city: _____, _____, and _____. Then we'll be going to _____ for lunch. In my opinion, this is the best restaurant in town. After that, I'll be taking you to see the other interesting tourist sights: _____, _____, and _____. This evening we'll be going to _____. I'm sure you'll have a wonderful time.



## G WHAT ARE THEY SAYING?

1. A. I'm sorry. I can't talk right now. I'm _giving_ the kids a bath.
   B. How much longer _will you be giving_ them a bath?
2. A. How much longer _____ your homework?
   B. I'll probably _____ my homework for another half hour.
   A. Okay. I'll call you then.
3. A. Hi, Carol. This is Bob. Can you _____ for a minute?
   B. Sorry. I can't _____ right now. I'm _____ for a big test.
4. A. Sorry, Alan. I can't talk now. I'm _____ dinner with my family.
   B. How much longer _____ dinner?

## H GRAMMARRAP: *Will They Be Home?*

**Listen. Then clap and practice.**

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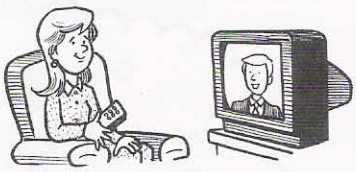
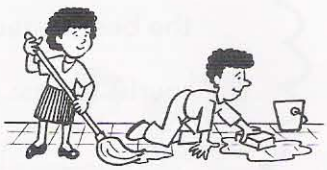
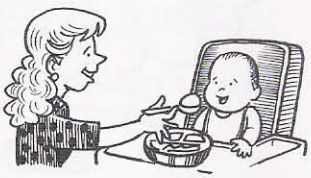
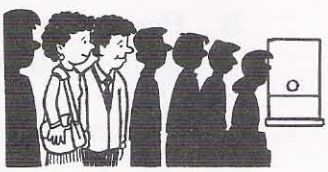
| **A.** | Will you | be home | at a quarter | to three? |  |
| **B.** | Yes, | I will. | I'll be watching | TV. | |
| **A.** | Will John | be home | at half | past two? | |
| **B.** | Yes, | he will. | He'll be cooking | some stew. | |
| **A.** | Will your parents | be home | today | at four? |  |
| **B.** | Yes, | they will. | They'll be washing | the floor. | |
| **A.** | Will Jane | be home | if I call | at one? |  |
| **B.** | Yes, | she will. | She'll be feeding | her son. | |
| **A.** | Will you | be home | at half | past eight? | |
| **B.** | No, | I won't. | I'll be working | late. | |
| **A.** | Will John | be home | at a quarter | to ten? | |
| **B.** | No, | he won't. | He'll be visiting | a friend. | |
| **A.** | Will your parents | be home | tonight | at nine? |  |
| **B.** | No, | they won't. | They'll be standing | in line. | |
| **A.** | Will Jane | be home | if I call her | at seven? | |
| **B.** | No, | she won't. | She'll be dancing | with Kevin. | |

## I WHOSE IS IT?

| mine | his | hers | ours | yours | theirs |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|

**A.** Hi, Robert. I found this wallet in my office today. Is it ___yours___[1]?

**B.** No, it isn't _____[2], but it might be Tom's.

**A.** Maybe, but Tom hardly ever visits my office. It probably isn't _____[3].

**B.** It's small and blue. Maybe it's Martha's.

**A.** I asked her this morning. She says it isn't _____[4].

**B.** Is there anything inside the wallet?

**A.** There isn't any money, but there's a picture of three children.

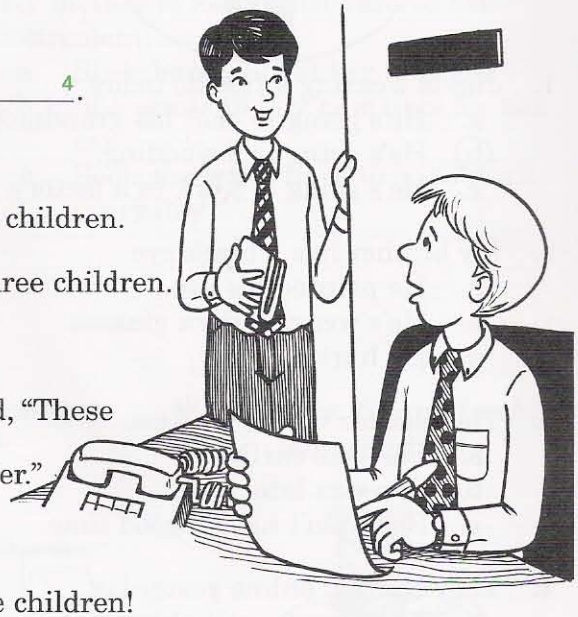
**B.** It might belong to Mr. Hill. He and his wife have three children. Maybe the children are _____[5].

**A.** I showed the picture to Mr. and Mrs. Hill. They said, "These children aren't _____[6]. Our children are older."

**B.** Maybe you should give the wallet to our supervisor.

**A.** You know, it might be _____[7]. She has three children!

**B.** You're right. I'm positive it's _____[8]. I saw her children in her office last week.



## J GRAMMARRAP: *Where's My Coat?*

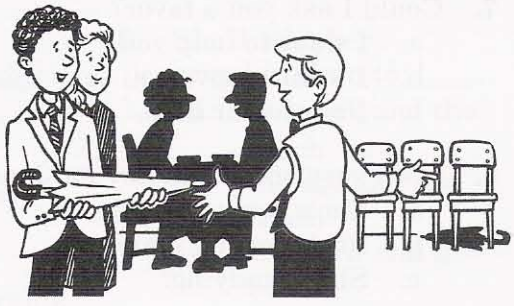
**Listen. Then clap and practice.**

**A.** Where's my coat? I can't find mine.
Is this one mine or yours?

**B.** That one is mine. It isn't yours.
Yours is next to those doors.

**A.** Where's our umbrella? We can't find ours.
Is this one ours or theirs?

**B.** That one is theirs. It isn't yours.
Yours is under those chairs.



## K WHAT DOES IT MEAN?

**Circle the correct answer.**

1. Jim is wearing a tuxedo today.
   a. He's going to visit his grandmother.
   b. He's going to a wedding.
   c. He's going to work in a factory.

2. My brother has a black eye.
   a. He painted his eye.
   b. He's wearing dark glasses.
   c. He hurt his eye.

3. The teacher wasn't on time.
   a. She was early.
   b. She was late.
   c. She didn't have a good time.

4. They chatted online yesterday.
   a. They used a cell phone.
   b. They used a computer.
   c. They used a fax machine.

5. Everyone in my family is going to relax this weekend.
   a. We're going to rest this weekend.
   b. We're going to retire this weekend.
   c. We're going to return this weekend.

6. He wasn't prepared for his exam.
   a. He didn't study for the exam.
   b. He didn't take the exam.
   c. He was ready for the exam.

7. Could I ask you a favor?
   a. I want to help you.
   b. I want to give you something.
   c. I need your help.

8. It's a very emotional day for Janet.
   a. She's going to work.
   b. She's getting married.
   c. She's studying.

9. He's composing a symphony.
   a. He's writing a symphony.
   b. He's listening to a symphony.
   c. He's going to a concert.

10. George ripped his shirt.
    a. He has to wash his shirt.
    b. He has to iron his shirt.
    c. He has to sew his shirt.

11. Can I borrow your bicycle?
    a. I need your bicycle for a little while.
    b. I want to give you my bicycle.
    c. I want to buy your bicycle.

12. Every day I practice ballet.
    a. I sing every day.
    b. I play violin every day.
    c. I dance every day.

13. I'm going to lend my car to Bob today.
    a. Bob is going to drive my car.
    b. I'm going to drive Bob's car.
    c. Bob is going to give me his car.

14. Mr. and Mrs. Hansen love to talk about their grandchildren.
    a. They listen to them.
    b. They're very proud of them.
    c. They argue with them.

15. Rita did very well on her exam.
    a. She's happy.
    b. She's anxious.
    c. She's sad.

16. I'm going to repair my washing machine.
    a. I'm going to paint it.
    b. I'm going to fix it.
    c. I'm going to do laundry.

17. I need to assemble my new VCR.
    a. Can I borrow your screwdriver?
    b. Can I borrow your ladder?
    c. Can I borrow your TV?

18. I sprained my ankle.
    a. I broke my ankle.
    b. I hurt my ankle.
    c. I poked my ankle.

19. I'm going to fill out my income tax form.
   a. I'm going to return it.
   b. I'm going to read it.
   c. I'm going to answer the questions on the form.

20. They're playing Scrabble.
   a. They're playing a game.
   b. They're playing a sport.
   c. They're playing an instrument.

21. Mr. Smith is complaining to his boss.
   a. He's talking about his boss, and he's upset.
   b. He's talking to his boss, and he's happy.
   c. He's talking to his boss, and he's upset.

22. I'm going to call my wife right away.
   a. I'm going to call her immediately.
   b. I'm going to call her in a few hours.
   c. I'm going to call her when I have time.

23. My sister is an excellent athlete.
   a. She's an active person.
   b. She plays sports very well.
   c. She likes to watch sports.

24. My mother is looking forward to her retirement.
   a. She's happy about her new job.
   b. She wants to buy new tires for her car.
   c. Soon she won't have to go to work every day.

## L LISTENING: *Looking Forward*

**Listen to each story. Then answer the questions.**

### *What Are Mr. and Mrs. Miller Looking Forward to?*

1. Mr. and Mrs. Miller ____ last week.
   (a.) moved
   b. relaxed
   c. flew to Los Angeles

2. Mr. and Mrs. Miller aren't going to ____ this weekend.
   a. repaint their living room
   b. assemble their VCR
   c. relax in their yard

3. They're going to ____ next weekend.
   a. assemble their computer
   b. relax
   c. paint flowers

### *What's Jonathan Looking Forward to?*

4. Jonathan isn't ____ today.
   a. sitting in his office
   b. thinking about his work
   c. thinking about next weekend

5. Next weekend he'll be ____.
   a. working
   b. cooking and cleaning
   c. getting married

6. On their trip to Hawaii, Jonathan and his wife won't be ____.
   a. swimming in the ocean
   b. paying bills
   c. eating in restaurants

### *What's Mrs. Grant Looking Forward to?*

7. When she retires, Mrs. Grant will be ____.
   a. getting up early
   b. getting up late
   c. taking the bus to work

8. Mrs. Grant will ____ with her friends.
   a. go to museums
   b. work in her garden
   c. read books

9. She'll take her grandchildren to ____.
   a. the park and the beach
   b. the zoo and the beach
   c. the park and the zoo

## ✓ CHECK-UP TEST: Chapters 1–3

### A. Fill in the blanks.

*Ex.* Ann ___is___ a good skater, and her children ___skate___ well, too.

1. A. Mr. and Mrs. Lee _____ wonderful dancers.

   B. I agree with you. They _____ very well.

2. A. Roger _____ very carelessly.

   B. I know. He's a terrible driver.

3. A. We don't swim very well.

   B. I disagree. I think _____ excellent _____.

4. A. I type very well. I think _____ a very good _____.

5. A. We _____ good _____, but we like to ski anyway.

### B. Fill in the blanks.

1. A. Did you speak to Mrs. Baxter yesterday?

   B. No, I _____. I _____ too busy. But I _____ to Mrs. Parker.

2. A. Did you buy juice when you were at the store?

   B. No, I _____. I forgot. But I _____ milk.

3. A. _____ they get up early this morning?

   B. No, they _____. They _____ up very late.

4. A. Did Mr. Wong teach biology last semester?

   B. No, he _____. He _____ astronomy because the astronomy teacher _____ sick all semester.

5. A. _____ you talk to Tom last night?

   B. No, I _____. I _____ to his wife. Tom _____ there when I called.

### C. Write the questions.

*Ex.* We're arguing with our landlord.

_____Who are you arguing with?_____

1. I'm writing about my favorite movie.

   _____

2. They're going to fix their bookcase.

   _____

3. He hiked in the mountains.

   _____

4. She'll be ready in a few minutes.

   _____

5. They arrived by plane.

   _____

6. We'll be staying until Monday.

   _____

7. She's going to hire five people.

   _____

**D. Answer the questions.**

*Ex.* What did your daughter do yesterday morning?

*(do her homework)* She did her homework.

1. What's your sister doing today?

*(adjust her satellite dish)* _____

2. What does your brother do every evening?

*(chat online)* _____

3. What are you going to do next weekend?

*(visit my mother-in-law)* _____

4. What did Jack and Rick do yesterday afternoon?

*(deliver groceries)* _____

5. What was David doing when his children came home from school?

*(bake a cake)* _____

6. How will you get to work tomorrow?

*(take the bus)* _____

7. What will you and your husband be doing this evening?

*(watch TV)* _____

8. How did you cut your hand?

*(chop carrots)* _____

**E. Listen to each question and then complete the answer.**

*Ex.* Yes, he does.

1. Yes, _____.
2. No, _____.
3. Yes, _____.
4. Yes, _____.
5. No, _____.
6. Yes, _____.
7. No, _____.
8. Yes, _____.