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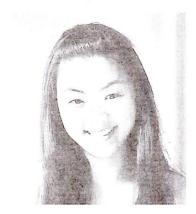
Character descriptions

Touchstone Video is a fun-filled, compelling situational comedy featuring a group of young people who are friends. David Parker is a reporter. His roommate is Alex Santos, a personal trainer. David's friend Gio Ferrari is a student visiting from Italy. Liz Martin is a singer and Web designer. She lives with Yoko Suzuki, a chef. Kim Davis is David's co-worker. She works in an office.

Through the daily encounters and activities of these characters, you have the opportunity to see and hear the language of the Student's Book vividly come to life in circumstances both familiar and entertaining.



This is David Parker. He's a reporter.



This is Yoko Suzuki. She's a chef.



This is Alex Santos. He's a personal trainer.



This is Gio Ferrari. He's a student. He's from Italy.



This is Liz Martin. She's a Web designer and singer.



This is Kim Davis. She's David's co-worker.

The Video

Welcome to the Touchstone Video. In this video you will get to know six people who are friends: David, Liz, Yoko, Alex, Kim, and Gio. You can read about them on page iv.

You will also hear them use the English that you are studying in the Touchstone Student's Books. Each of the four levels of the Video breaks down as follows:

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	Act 1	
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	Act 3	

	Act 1	
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	Act 3	

	Act 1	
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- On the Episode Menu, select the appropriate Play Episode.

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- On the Main Menu, select Episode Menu.
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- On the Act Menu, select the appropriate *Play Act*.

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The Worksheets

For each Act there are Before you watch, While you watch, and After you watch worksheets.

For While you watch worksheets:

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- Input this number on the Video menu using your remote control. The DVD will then play only the segment of the Video you need to watch to complete the task.

We hope you enjoy the *Touchstone* Video!

Episode 1 A Guest from Out of Town Act 1



Before you watch

A Deborah is on a business trip overseas and is calling home. Complete the paragraph with the words in the box.

exhausted	jet-lagged	suitcase	unpack
identical	✓ landed	taxi stand	



My flight (1)	landed	at about noon, but it took a long time to get out of the
airport because	I couldn't find my	(2) It was hard to recognize
because all the b	oags looked (3)	. I'm going to put a colorful tag on it
next time! Anyw	ay, then I went to t	he (4) and waited for a cab, and
that took a long	time, so by the tim	e I got to the hotel I was (5)! I just
(6)	my clo	othes and then I went straight to sleep at four in the
afternoon! I was	so (7)	! But I feel fine today.

B Circle the correct verb form.

- 1. I hear you're a musician. What instrument (do you play) / are you playing?
- 2. I **just love / am just loving** sushi! It's my favorite food.
- 3. We went / were going to a wonderful party last weekend.
- 4. Can I help you? **Do you look / Are you looking** for someone?
- 5. Have you seen / been seeing Three Nights in Paris yet? It's great.
- 6. We've waited / been waiting for a long time, but we haven't gotten our tickets yet.
- 7. I met / was meeting my friend Brian while I waited / was waiting for the bus.
- 8. We're here for the weekend. We stay / We're staying at the Hotel Monaco.



A Number the scenes in the correct order.



















d. ____

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B	Check (✓)	true or false	. Then try	to correct	the	false sentences
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1.	Alex and Connie met in college.	☐ True	✓ False
	Alex and Connie grew up together.		
2.	Alex sent Connie an e-mail to get back in touch.	☐ True	☐ False
3.	Connie left on her trip more than twenty-four hours ago	. True	☐ False
4.	Connie's flight arrived late.	True	☐ False
5.	Connie met another passenger from her flight.	True	☐ False
6.	Connie took someone's bag by accident.	True	False
7.	Connie wants to rest before they go out.	☐ True	☐ False
8.	Connie works as a writer.	True	False
9.	Connie goes to meetings all over the world.	☐True	☐ False
10.	Yoko also likes fashion.	☐ True	False



VHS 00:35 -01:35VHS 03:51 -04:52 **C** Listen for these sentences. Circle the one you hear.

- 1. a. Where's she living now?
 - b. Where does she live now?
- 2. a. She's living in Singapore.
 - b. She's been living in Singapore.
- 3. a. I was traveling for the past twenty-two hours.
 - b. I've been traveling for the past twenty-two hours.
- 4. a. I heard a lot about you.
 - b. I've heard a lot about you.

- 5. a. What do you do for a living?
 - b. What are you doing for a living?
- 6. a. Right now, I work for a magazine in Singapore.
 - b. Right now, I'm working for a magazine in Singapore.
- 7. a. There was just one problem.
 - b. There's just one problem.
- 8. a. I haven't been on vacation in ages.
 - b. I haven't had a vacation in ages.



VHS 01:28

D What does Connie say exactly? Circle the correct words to complete the story. Notice how Connie uses the present tense to highlight key moments in her story.

Well, it's a funny story. I actually arrived early, but I had to wait for my suitcase. It took forever, but I finally got it . . . Then I (1) go / went to get a taxi. So (2) I rush / I'm rushing to the taxi stand when suddenly, someone (3) **grabbed** / **grabs** my arm. I'm so surprised, I scream . . . So I turn around, and it's (4) this / a guy from my flight! He doesn't speak English very well, but (5) he smiles / he's smiling and pointing at my bag and then at his bag. And (6) I think / I'm thinking, "What does he want?" And then I (7) realize / realized – I (8) have / had his suitcase!

make





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become

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VHS 03:58 -04:43

E Watch the video. Complete the conversation with the correct to or -ing form of the verbs in the box.

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Connie	Right now, I'm working for a magazine in Singapore.
Yoko	Really? That's so cool. Now, how did you end up (1) <u>getting</u> a job like that?
Connie	Well, actually, I never intended (2) an editor. When I was younger, I
	expected (3) a designer. You see, I loved (4) my own
	clothes. There was just one problem.
Yoko	What was that?
Connie	My designs were awful! Eventually, I gave up (5) to design clothes and
	started (6) about them instead. Now I get to travel to fashion shows all
	over the world.

write

After you watch

A What can you remember? Write down some things you learned about Connie.

Connie and Alex grew up together.	
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B Complete the sentences with facts from your own life. Use verbs with *to* or *-ing*. Then compare your sentences with a partner. Ask follow-up questions to get more information.

I. I really enjoy	
2. When I was a kid, I hated (to)	
3. When I was a kid, I always refused to $_$	
4. I started (to)	
5. I never expected to	
6. I'm considering	
7. I'd like to stop	
R I've decided to	

C Work with a partner. Choose one of the pictures and make up a story about it. What do you think happened? Tell the story as if it happened to you. Add as many details as you can. Use the present tense to highlight "dramatic" moments in the story.







"We were camping one summer. It was late one night. It was getting dark, and it looked like it was going to rain. There was a lot of thunder and lightning, so we were pretty nervous. Then, we hear this noise!..."

[&]quot;I really enjoy listening to live music."

[&]quot;When I was a kid, I hated to eat vegetables."

Episode 1 A Guest from Out of Town Act 2

Before you watch

A Look at these statements about typical cultural behavior in the United States. Check (\checkmark) the ones that are also true in your country. Then compare your answers with a partner. For statements that are not the same, why do you think things are different in your country?

Greeting and socializing	
☐ It's customary to shake hands when you meet someone for the first time.	1. <u>a</u>
\square You can offend people by not calling before you visit them at home.	2
☐ When you go into someone's home, you don't have to take off your shoes.	3
At work	
Being on time for appointments is very important.	4
\square You usually address co-workers and your boss by their first names.	5
\square It's not typical to exchange business cards unless you want to contact	6
the person later.	
In public	
\square You can offend people by making loud noises when you eat.	7
\square Using a cell phone in public is considered rude.	8
\square It's impolite to talk loudly in public.	9

B Look at the structure of these sentences. Match each sentence in Exercise A to one of the structures – a, b, or c. If there is no matching structure, write \emptyset .

a. $It's \dots + to + verb$

It's rude to cut in line.

b. Verb + -ing as subject

Cutting in line is considered rude.

c. Verb + -ing after preposition You can offend people by cutting in line.

C Complete the sentences with the present passive form (be + past participle) of the verbs in the box.

	/ call	fill	hold	make	serve	
1.	My fav	orite Bı	razilian c	lish <u>is c</u> o	ılled	feijoad
2.	An om	elet		v	vith eggs.	
3.	Usuall	y a han	nburger _		W	ith fries.
4.	Empar or fruit				with meat,	fish,
5.	The Pa	n Ame	rican Gai	mes	N. C.	
	every f	our yea	irs in a di	ifferent cit	ty in North,	South, or
	Centra	l Amer	ica.			



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VHS 05:19 -09:50

A Check (✓) the topics Connie, Yoko, Alex, and Gio talk about.



clothes	drinks	☐ festivals	☐ foreign films	missing family
customs	a fashion show	food	handicrafts	and friends
				speaking English
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B Check (✓) true or false. Then try to correct the false sentences

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1.	Connie bought herself a snack. Yoko made Connie a snack.	☐True	F alse
2.	Gio recently got back from a trip.	True	☐ False
3.	Alex and Connie both love Florence.	True	☐ False
4.	Customs in Singapore and the United States are surprisingly different.	True	☐ False
5.	Yoko visits her grandparents in Japan.	\square True	☐ False
6.	Yoko would definitely miss family and friends.	☐True	☐ False
7.	Connie and Alex use the telephone to keep in touch.	☐True	☐ False
8.	Yoko loves the food in Japan.	☐True	☐ False
9.	Connie would miss the fashion shows in Singapore.	\square True	☐ False
10.	Before he can visit art galleries, Alex needs some new paintings.	☐True	☐ False



VHS 06:14 -07:44

C Where do these customs occur? Check (\checkmark) all the places that are mentioned. Then answer the question.









Alex

Connie

Yoko

Gio

Where do you ?	the U.S.	Japan	Singapore
1. do business in English			
2. shake hands			
3. bow			
4. take your shoes off indoors			
5. eat food on the street			

6. What Italian custom does Gio mention? _

eat

come

fill



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call

D Listen for these descriptions and complete them with the active or passive form of the verbs. (You will use some verbs more than once.)

hold

l.	Connie	There's this one dish that I	I <u>eat</u> for bre	eakfast all the time.
		It's called kaya to	oast. It's a jam that	with coconut
		and egg, and it	on toast. It's so del	licious.
2.	Yoko	I like this Japanese treat th	nat man	nju. Usually it
		with this delicious sweet b	oean paste. Every time I _	it, I
		remember my trips to Japa	an!	
3.	Connie	My favorite one	the Singapore Fas	shion Week. It
		every fall. It's so exciting. I	Designers	from all over Asia to show
		their clothes. It	as <i>the</i> event for youn	ig designers.

know

make

serve



E Listen for these sentences. What do the people say exactly? Circle the correct expressions.

- 1. **To be honest** / **To tell you the truth**, things in Singapore are surprisingly similar to the United States.
- 2. **Actually** / **In fact**, doing business in English is the rule.
- 3. In Italy, it's **customary** / **the custom** to kiss on the cheek.
- 4. You can offend people by eating / if you eat in public.
- 5. I know that if I lived abroad, I'd **certainly** / **definitely** miss my family and friends.
- 6. Oh, yeah. **To be honest** / **In fact**, I still do.
- 7. That's **certainly** / **definitely** how we keep in touch.
- 8. I'd absolutely / really miss the food.

A What can you remember? Write down fo Singapore from Connie.	ur things you learned about
A lot of things in Singapore are similar to	the United States.
B Think about advice you would give a tou the sentences. Then discuss your answers in	
It's customary to It's polite to	when you meet someone.
3. You should(n't)	
4. It's impolite to	
5. You can offend people by (not)	
6 in p	
"It's customary to kiss on the cheek when you me	eet someone."
C Answer the questions to describe a food y compare your description with other studen	ou love from your country. Then ts.
1. What's it called?	
2. What's it made with?	

"I love a dessert called pumpkin pie. It's made with pumpkin, of course. You add in eggs, sugar, milk, and cinnamon. It isn't filled with anything, but it's usually served with whipped cream on top."

3. What's it filled with?

4. What's it usually served with? _____

Episode 1 A Guest from Out of Town Act 3



Before you watch

A Match each description to the correct picture. Then complete the chart with words from the descriptions.







- a. This man has a more casual look. He's wearing a wool sweater and baggy pants. His sunglasses are very trendy.
- b. This man is wearing a vintage look, which is the "in" thing these days. The jacket and pants are a little fitted, but not too much. The leather boots are very stylish.
- c. This man is wearing a more formal business suit. It's nicely tailored. The floral tie looks terrific with the striped shirt. It's a classic look.

Clothing	Style or look	Pattern or material	How clothes fit
	casual	wool	

B Rewrite these sentences as negative questions. Use the words in parentheses.

	That dress is a little too formal, I think. (you / think) _Don't you think that aress is a little too formal?
	Maybe the color is too bright.
	(be)
	I think those shoes are a little expensive.
	(you / think)
4.	Maybe that jacket is a little baggy.
	(be)
	That outfit is a little boring.
	(you / think)



VHS 09:55 -14:21

\triangle Check (\checkmark) true or false.

1.	Alex spends as much money as Connie does.	☐ True	✓ Fals€
2.	Connie wrote an article about men's fashion.	True	☐ False
3.	Alex thought the article was helpful.	True	☐ False
4.	Alex spends a lot of time thinking about what to wear.	☐ True	☐ False
5.	The first outfit Alex tries on has a classic look.	☐ True	False
6.	Connie doesn't like the second outfit as much as the first.	True	☐ False
7.	Connie doesn't think the third outfit is a popular style.	☐ True	☐ False
8.	Liz doesn't like the outfit Connie and Alex chose.	☐ True	☐ False
9.	Gio thinks Alex's outfit looks Italian.	True	☐ False







B Circle the sentences that express Connie's opinions.

- 1. a. Alex needs to look trendy when he visits art galleries.
 - b. Alex needs to dress well when he visits art galleries.
- 2. a. Guys should pay more attention to their appearance.
 - b. Guys should spend more money on their clothes.
- 3. a. It takes a lot of work to look good.
 - b. You can look good without a lot of work.

- 4. a. Your clothes should make you feel comfortable.
 - b. Your clothes should always look neat.
- 5. a. Your style should fit your personality.
 - b. Your style should fit your salary.
- 6. a. Men in ties look more formal.
 - b. Men in ties look more professional.



C Listen for these parts of the conversation and complete them. Notice how Alex summarizes what Connie says.

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1.	Connie	If you want to make a good impression when you start visiting
		art galleries, you need to dress well.
	Alex	I may have to a little more
	Connie	Maybe a But you don't have to go
2.	Connie	What matters is that you look good and you feel confident and comfortable.
	Alex	Hmm you need a that fits your personality.
	Connie	Exactly.



D Listen for what's said about Alex's outfits. Cross out the expression in each list that <u>isn't</u> mentioned.

1. Alex's first outfit

bright polyester silk striped too formal



2. Alex's second outfit

flared pattern tight vintage



3. Alex's third outfit

fit well perfect look professional stylish trendy



DVD 16 VHS 09:55 -13:00

E Match the questions with the responses.

1. This place looks a little expensive, don't you think?	
2. Now, did you read that article I wrote about men's fas	hion?
I e-mailed it to you a few weeks ago	
3. A look? Like what?	

- 4. I don't know. Isn't it a bit too formal? _____5. But isn't the color a bit too bright? _____6. Don't you like it? _____
- 7. And the pants fit perfectly, don't you think? _____
- 8. And don't you just love this jacket? _____

- a. Not at all.
- b. Maybe.
- c. Well, it's all right.
- d. Really? I don't think so.
- e. Uh, no. I'm sorry.
- f. Isn't it kind of trendy?
- g. It could be anything, really.
- h. No, actually, I think maybe they're a little tight.

After you watch

A	What can	you remember?	Describe the	three outfits	that Alex tries on.

Outfit 1:	It's a classic style.
Outfit 2:	
Outfit 3:	

B Work in pairs. Read the words in the box. Add as many words as you can to each category. Then compare your lists as a group. Who added the most words?

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Clothing	Fit or cut	Materials	Patterns Patterns	Styles
jeans	baggy V-neck	leather	striped	vintage

C Work in pairs. Take turns describing what other students in the class are wearing.



"Maria is wearing a pretty trendy outfit. She has on low-rise jeans and a leather belt, a light-green V-neck T-shirt, and a cotton sweater with a hood."

D Work in pairs. Discuss these questions. How similar or different are your answers?

- 1. What kind of clothes do you wear to work or school?
- 2. What kind of clothes do you wear on weekends?
- 3. Do you think you have a unique style or look? If so, what is it?
- 4. Which famous person do you think has the most unique style?

Episode 2 A Barbecue

Act 1

Before you watch

A Read the sentences. Then choose the expression that is closest in meaning to the underlined word or words.



- a. become comfortable with
- b. have time off in order to relax
- c. have the opportunity to do something
- d. leave with permission
- e. not make progress on
- f. prepare
- g. recover from disappointment
- h. understand

 When I was on vacation in Egypt, I got to ride on a camel! I've been very busy, so I'm taking a break. I want to get away from it all for a while If I take the week off, I'll get behind on my work If you move to the city, you'll have to get used to the noise When I found out that I didn't pass the exam, it took me a while to get over it At first I didn't understand the problem, but now I get it How late do you have to work? Can you get off a little early? Just give me ten minutes to get ready 			
B Match the two parts of the sentences.			
 It's supposed to rain today, _e_ I'd like to see that movie I'm supposed to go to work today, The children need to go to bed soon We were supposed to meet at 10:00, Brian isn't here yet, 	 a. because it's supposed to be really funny. b. but I think I'll call in sick. c. but nobody showed up until 12:30! d. and he was supposed to be here hours ago. e. so you'd better bring an umbrella. f. because they're supposed to be asleep by nine. 		
C Look at these meanings of <i>be supposed to</i> from the left column of Exercise B. Then look find one more example of each. Write the <u>letter</u>	cat the <u>right</u> column and		
In this sentence, be supposed to means			
1. "They say"			

3. what was expected but didn't happen



DVD 17 VHS 14:16 -18:53

A Check (✓) the correct people.

Who ?	Alex	Connie	Gio	Kim	Liz
1. has been pretty busy					
2. is going to Los Angeles soon					
3. can't remember					
4. is having a barbecue					
5. wasn't invited					
6. is excited					
7. has to work on the day of the barbecue					
8. is going to the barbecue with Liz and Yoko					
9. didn't have Gio's number					
10. doesn't have directions to the party		***************************************			





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DVD 18 VHS 14:16 -18:53

B Circle the correct answers.

1.	Gio has been studying	g hard because it's his last of classes.
	a. week	b. month
2.	Liz might be recordin	g a CD for Big Records.
	a. Time	b. Stuff
3.	Liz could be moving t	o L.A. next
	a. week	b. month
4.	Liz can't celebrate wit	h Gio because she's going to
	a. Los Angeles	b. the barbecue
5.	Tomorrow is supposed	
	a. beautiful	b. rainy
6.	Alex asks Liz to give C	onnie a ride because he's
	a. not feeling well	b. supposed to work
7.	David was supposed t	o pass on the to Gio.
	a. directions	b. invitation
8.	Liz bring napl	kins and cups.
	a. is supposed to	b. was going to
9.	Yoko was going to mal	ke, but she didn't have time.
	a. cookies	b. a cake
10.	is meeting the	em at the barbecue.
	a. Alex	



C Listen for these questions. Circle the one you hear.

- Liz a. Have you done anything fun?
 - b. Have you gotten to do anything fun?
- Liz a. So, you've been pretty busy?
 - b. So, have you been pretty busy?
- Gio a. So, what happens next? 3.
 - b. So, what's going to happen next?
- Gio a. Kim's having a barbecue tomorrow?
 - b. Is Kim having a barbecue tomorrow?
- Liz a. Um, are you going to Kim's barbecue tomorrow?
 - b. Um, are you going to go to Kim's barbecue tomorrow?
- 6. Alex a. Do you mind giving Connie a ride to the party?
 - b. Would you mind giving Connie a ride to the party?
- 7. Yoko a. So you talked to Gio, and he's going to go?
 - b. So you talked to Gio. Is he going to go?
- 8. Yoko a. Alex is meeting us there, right?
 - b. Alex is going to meet us there, right?
- Liz a. Um, Yoko, you have the directions to Kim's place, right?
 - b. Um, Yoko, do you have the directions to Kim's place?





D Listen for these sentences and complete them with the expressions in the box. Write the letters.

a. get away from it all	c. get going	e. get off	g. getting ready
b. get behind	d. get it	f. get over	h. get used to



VHS 14:16

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- 1. I've been pretty swamped. I don't want to <u>b</u> on anything.
- 2. I really want to relax and ____ for a few weeks.
- 3. I can't believe you might be moving away, Liz. I just can't _____ the idea.
- 4. I can't ____ it, either.
- 5. But I don't _____ . I'm sure it's a mistake.



- 6. I'm just one of those people who spends ages ___
- 7. That's OK. We weren't ready, either. But we really should _____.
- 8. He had to work this morning. He managed to ____ a little early, but . . .

After you watch

A What can you remember? Answer the questions.

1.	What did Liz think when she heard that Gio did not have an invitation to the barbecue?
2.	What did Liz do about it?
3.	What would you do if you were in Liz's situation?
В	Put the lines of the conversation in order. Then practice with a partner.
	At a tech company downtown. It's a much better job.
	That's really good news. So let's go and celebrate!
	Oh, yeah, much happier. The people are really nice, and the money is better, so
	No, I didn't! Congratulations. Where are you working now?
	Oh, pretty good. Did you hear that I got a new job?
	So, how have you been?
	That's great! So you're happier there?

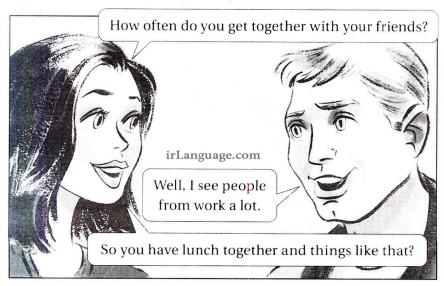
C Find examples of the following uses of *so* in Exercise B.

Find an example of so . . .

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1.	to start a topic: <u>So, how have you been?</u>
2.	to check understanding:
3.	to let the other person draw a conclusion:
1.	to close a topic:

D Work with a partner. Ask and answer the questions. Use statement questions to check your understanding of your partner's answers.

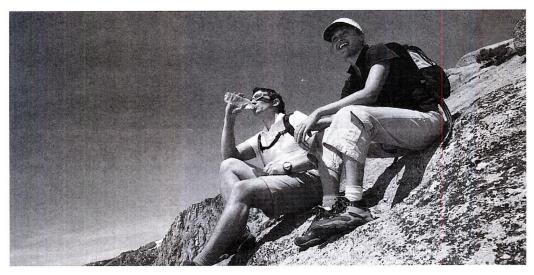
- 1. How often do you get together with your friends?
- 2. Have you gotten to do anything fun recently?
- 3. How long does it usually take you to get ready to go out?
- 4. Where would you go to get away from it all?



Episode 2 A Barbecue Act 2

Before you watch

A Match the statements with the responses. Then practice with a partner.



- 1. I'm exhausted! _c 2. I watched that movie last night. ____ 3. I didn't like it very much. ____ 4. I don't have any money with me. ____ 5. I'm not hungry. 6. I often stay up late at night.
- a. So do I. I like to watch late-night TV.
- b. Neither do I. Let's find an ATM machine.
- c. So am I. Let's take a break.
- d. Neither am I. I had a big lunch.
- e. So did I. Did you like it?
- f. Neither did I. I thought it was boring.

B Read the sentences, paying attention to the underlined events. Write 1 above the event that happened first and 2 above the event that happened second.

- 1. By the time we got to the theater, the movie had already started.
- 2. Sam <u>was exhausted</u> because he <u>had driven</u> all the way from Los Angeles.
- 3. Hannah couldn't find her bag. Then she <u>realized</u> she <u>had left it</u> at school.
- 4. I didn't go to the party because I had forgotten all about it.
- 5. I <u>hadn't seen Ted</u> in years, but I <u>recognized him</u> immediately.
- 6. Marcia had been on vacation for a month, so she looked great.
- 7. We went to the meeting because they hadn't told us it was canceled.
- 8. James <u>had lived in New York</u> for a year, so he <u>knew the city</u> quite well.

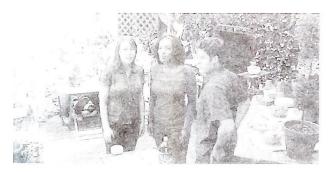


-23:20

A Choose the best title for each scene.

- a. Gio's Story
- c. Two Different Superstitions
- e. Yoko's Story

- b. I Hope He's OK
- d. Where's Alex?











3.



5.



B Circle the correct answers.

VHS 18:58 -23:20

- 1. Alex is bringing **hamburgers** / **hamburger buns** to the barbecue.
- 2. Kim has already made hamburgers / chicken.
- 3. Kenny is someone who Yoko grew up / worked with.
- 4. Yoko will call her friend right away / later.
- 5. When Connie calls Alex, his voice mail / he picks up.
- 6. Gio first met Enrico Turroni in Italy / the United States.
- 7. Yoko had / hadn't heard Gio's story before.
- 8. **David / Connie** is superstitious.
- 9. Gio's superstition is about a lucky **number / nail**.
- 10. Alex / Yoko's friend Kenny suddenly arrives.



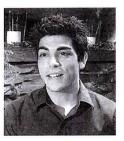
DVD **24** VHS 19:39 -22:27

C Listen to the stories. Number the events in the correct order.



Yoko's story

•
 Kenny moved.
 Kenny called.
 Kenny worked at a restaurant.
 Yoko thought about Kenny.
 Yoko threw away Kenny's number.



Gio's story

	Gio and Enrico grew up together.
	Enrico walked in.
	Gio talked to a professor.
	Enrico's family moved away.
	Enrico transferred to another school.



-22:32

D Match the sentences with their responses.

- I'm pretty hungry! ____
 I just got a message from him! ____
 I love it when that happens. ____
- 4. I'm not really thirsty. ____
- 5. You're a little superstitious, huh? ____
- 6. And who walks in but Enrico Turroni this guy I grew up with! ____
- 7. I've never heard this story before. ____
- 8. Hey, guys! Come get some food! ____

- a. Wow! What a coincidence!
- b. Ooh! Let's eat.
- c. Oh, not really.
- d. Yeah, so am I.
- e. Wow! That's amazing!
- f. Neither am I.
- g. So do I.
- h. Yeah, neither have I.



E Work with a partner. Complete the summaries about the superstitions. (There is more than one way to complete some items.) Then watch the video and check your answers.



wood

1.	Connie says "
	on wood" when she
	doesn't want something to
	·



salt

2.	Connie
	some salt over her shoulder
	because it's
	to spill salt.



nail

3.	Gio talks about an	
	superstit	ion
	about	8
	nail in your	

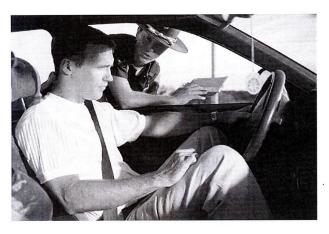
After you watch

A	What can you remember? Answer the questions. irLan	guage.	com
1.	What three superstitions are shown or talked about in the		
2	Do you know any similar superstitions?		
2.			
3.	What do you think happened to Alex?		
В	Match each sentence with the follow-up sentence that		
	·	-	It was really huge!
	My new computer cost a fortune. <u>e</u> The man at the store was really unhelpful		Just really weird.
	I couldn't carry the box because it was so big		She was really familiar.
	Another salesperson helped me. She was really nice.		He didn't help me at all.
	I thought I'd met her before somewhere		It was really expensive.
	It turned out I went to elementary school with her.		Very helpful and friendly.
7.	It was so strange	g.	We were in fifth grade together.
	Think of a coincidence, something strange, or someth appened to you. Answer these questions.	ing lu	icky that
1.	When was it?		
2.	Where were you?		
3.	What was the situation? What happened first? Next? In th	e end?	?
	How did you feel?		
5.	What do you think now?		
D	Work in pairs. Take turns describing your experiences	s. Repo	eat some of your
	eas (as in Exercise B) to make your meaning clear.		,
	This happened about ten years ago. I was living in Canada	at the	time.
	Uh-huh.		
A	It was a bad winter. Really cold, and snowy		

Episode 2 A Barbecue Act 3

Before you watch

A Read the sentences. Write each of the underlined expressions in the chart.





- 1. Police work hard to catch criminals.
- 2. Shoplifting is against the law.
- 3. When you get a ticket, you have to pay a fine.
- 4. A police officer can pull you over if you're speeding.
- 5. If you get a lot of speeding tickets, you could <u>lose your license</u>.
- 6. It's illegal to jaywalk in this city, and they strictly enforce the law.
- 7. You could be sentenced to community service if you get too many tickets.

What police do	Crime	Punishment
catch criminals		

B Complete the sentences with the passive (form of be + past participle)of the verbs in the box.

allow	arrest	✓ catch	change	sentence	stop
1. The c	riminal w	as caught	ŀ	y police yest	erday.
	e shouldn'	•			their cell phones while dr
3. Peopl	e who shop	olift should _			to community service.
4. The le	egal age for	driving shou	ıld		·
5. If he	doesn't pay	his speeding	g tickets, he	could	•
6. My bi	other		for	speeding las	t week.



DVD **27** VHS 23:25 -28:01

A Circle the correct answers.

1.	Alex was late because he got					
	a. lost	b. stopped				
2.	Alex tried to call					
	a. Kim	b. Connie				
3.	Driving and talking	g on your cell phone allowed.				
	a. is	b. is not				
4.	Alex received two fi	nes for a total of				
	a. \$175	b. \$200				
5.	If Alex gets stopped	again, he could				
	a. lose his license	b. pay another fine				
6.	Alex has never	a police officer before.				
	a. talked to	b. been stopped by				
7.	They're putting sec	urity cameras in				
	a. malls	b. cars				
8.	The idea is that crir	ninals won't				
	a. commit crimes	b. know they're being videotaped				
9.	The cameras help _	•				
	a. save money	b. reduce crime rates				
10.	Liz thinks you shou	ldn't the cameras.				
	a. worry about	b. notice				
11.	David is worried the	e cameras will be				
	a. misused	b. stolen				



$\boldsymbol{\mathsf{B}}$ Listen to Alex's story. Number the events in the correct order.



	1. 11		
	He left work lat	e.	
	He was pulled	over.	
2	He was busy.		
	He got a ticket:	for talking	g on the phone while driving.
THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN	He remembere	d that he r	needed to buy hamburger buns.
	He went to wor	k.	
-	He got on the p	hone.	
	He got a ticket	or speeding	ng.



VHS 24:58 -27:37

C Who states these opinions? Watch the video and check () the correct names.





	Connie	David	Gio	Liz	Yoko
1. Going five miles over the speed limit is a minor offense.					
2. People who speed a lot should be punished.					
3. Security cameras are an invasion of privacy.					
4. They make you feel safe.					
5. They help the police catch criminals.					
6. Being filmed makes me uncomfortable – it's weird.					
7. People shouldn't be spied on.					

VHS 23:25 -25:56

D Match the underlined words and the things they refer to.

1.	Oh, you won't believe <u>it</u>	a. how Alex could be punished
2.	Here they are, by the way.	b. talking on your cell phone while driving
3.	Is that against the law?	c. being late
4.	That's a pretty expensive fine	d. the reason Alex is late
5.	So that's another hundred dollars	e. the hamburger buns
6.	That really doesn't sound fair	f. the speeding ticket
7.	Don't worry about it	g. seventy-five dollars



DVD 31 VHS 25:56 -27:53

E Listen for these sentences. Circle each sentence you hear.

- 1. David a. Well, basically, it's to help reduce crime.
 - b. Well, actually, it's to help reduce crime.
- Yoko a. The point is, no one should be allowed to watch you without your permission. 2.
 - b. The thing is, no one should be allowed to watch you without your permission.
- Liz a. Well, for two reasons. One, they help reduce crime rates. 3.
 - b. Well, there are two reasons. One, they help reduce crime rates.
- Gio a. I guess that's true. 4.
 - b. I guess that's right.
- 5. David a. Um, well, in the first place, I think most people are basically honest, so . . .
 - b. Um, well, first of all, I think most people are basically honest, so . . .
- Liz a. Oh, you've got a point there. 6.
 - b. Oh, I've never really thought of it that way.

After you watch

A Look at Exercise E of *While you watch* on page 23. Note the expressions to give views and organize ideas. Add at least two more expressions to each category.

Giving main ideas	Introducing a list of ideas	Responding to opinions
Well, basically	For two reasons. One	The second secon

B Check (✓) if you agree or disagree with each statement. Then choose three statements and write reasons for your opinions.

THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF TH	Agree	Disagree
1. Security cameras should be used in public places to reduce crime.		
2. Someone who gets more than one speeding ticket in a short time should get a serious punishment.		
3. There should be a law against driving and talking on a cell phone.		
4. The age for getting a driver's license should be raised.		
5. Shoplifters should always be arrested.		
6. Community service is a good punishment for most crimes.		

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C Work in small groups. Have conversations about your opinions. Use expressions from Exercise A.



"Basically, I don't think security cameras should be used in public places because they are an invasion of privacy."

Episode 3 The Big Move

Act 1

Before you watch

A Read the reported speech sentences. Write the direct speech.



1. Emma asked how many people he ha	nd invited.
2. Paula told Emma that she would be r	ight back.
3. Matt said that he was having a good	time.
4. Scott asked Mary if she had seen any	good movies recently.
5. Kathy asked Jim if he would give her	a ride home later.
B Read the sentences. Choose the exto the underlined word(s).	pression that is closest in meaning
_	ousy, not available e. throw out inish (something)
 Sorry, I can't see you this afternoon. OK, everyone! Let's <u>wrap</u> it <u>up</u>. Time Starting a company is a big investme I cleaned out my closet last night. I'm I'm willing to <u>take on</u> some extra wor 	to go home! nt, but it often <u>pays off</u> in the end n <u>getting rid of</u> a lot of my old clothes
C Match the sentences with the response	onses. Then practice with a partner.
 Where is Sam? The meeting starts at Why did Kate have to leave early toda The boss doesn't look happy today! Why didn't Ron come to the party las 	b. She might not have gotten the message. c. I don't know. He might have forgotten
5. Rosa never e-mailed me back	a. one made have had an appointment.

e. I'm not sure. He may have been sick.



VHS 28:06 -32:24

A Circle the correct answers.

1.	Liz and Yoko went t	o g	et
	a. coffee	b.	a truck
2.	Liz is moving to		_ •
	a. New York	b.	Los Angeles
3.	Last month, Liz		
	a. made a demo	b.	recorded an album
4.	The record compan	ум	ants Liz to
	a. make a demo	b.	sing in clubs
5.	Liz working	in	Web design.
	a. has stopped	b.	will continue

6.	David is	about Liz moving.
	a. worried	b. depressed
7.	Liz has more	than Yoko has
	a. time	b. stuff
8.	Yoko is moving _	town.
	a. out of	b. across
9.	All the friends w	illLiz a lot.
	a miss	h visit





B Circle the correct words. (You may need to watch the video more than once.) Then answer the question.

- 1. Why does Gio think Liz and Yoko are late? He's pretty certain that Liz and Yoko got tied up in traffic / lost.
- 2. What does he say about the truck? He thinks the truck may not have been running properly / ready.
- 3. What does David say about the situation? He thinks it's **suprising** / **rude** that they haven't called.
- 4. What does Alex say? He thinks it's possible that they forgot their **driver**'s licenses / cell phones.
- 5. Why else do you think Liz and Yoko might be late?

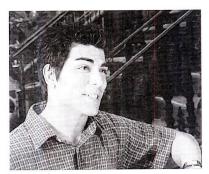


VHS 28:06 -32:24

C Who says these things? Watch the video and check (✓) the correct names.







	Alex	David	Gio
1. I never get up this early.			
2. Well, moving day can be pretty crazy.			
3. How did all this happen so fast?			
4. Anyway, suddenly, the next thing I hear she's moving out there!			
5. Do you know what she's doing about her Web design business?			
6. After all, this is a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity for her.			
7. I really hope this pays off for her in the end.			
8. All of her stuff is going into storage for now.			
9. Yoko must have been kind of upset when Liz told her she was leaving.			
10. But Yoko knows it's Liz's dream to record her own album.			
11. Where's the truck?			

D Check (✓) the words and expressions that are used to describe Liz.

DVD 35 VHS 29:50 -32:03

not taking on new work	□ tough	\square upset
☐ confident	☐ thinks before acting	\square can't afford the apartment
☐ determined	\square doesn't have much stuff	
☐ risky	☐ keeps everything	



DVD 36 VHS 29:20 -30:19

E Listen for these sentences. What does Gio say exactly? Circle the correct words.

- 1. Gio Basically, it did happen pretty fast. Liz told / was telling me that the record company called her a week after she got home. They asked / were asking her when she could come out to L.A. to record an album, and she told them that she could / she'd come right away.
- 2. Gio Yeah, and Liz told / was telling me that the company is getting her a manager and everything. Apparently / Evidently, they want her to start singing in clubs out there . . .
- 3. Gio Um, Yoko said / according to Yoko, Liz wrapped up all her projects last week. Apparently / Evidently, she's not taking on any new work for now.
- 4. Gio Uh-huh. She told / was telling me that she was determined to succeed.

What has happened to Liz recently? How is her life changing? ———————————————————————————————————	
2. Do you agree with David that Liz is taking a big risk? What would you do in Liz's p	positio
B Use the expressions in the box to report the following lines from the story. (You may or may not choose to "shift back" verb tenses.)	
David / Gio / Alex said David / Gio / Alex was saying According to David / Gio / Alex	
. David: "It all seems a little risky."	
David said it all seemed a little risky. OR According to David, it all seems a little risky.	
Gio: "Liz is not the impulsive type at all."	
. Alex: "Liz always thinks before she acts."	
. Gio: "All of Liz's stuff is going into storage for now."	
. Alex: "Yoko has to move across town."	
Write some things that people have recently told you about these topics. Then choose two pieces of news and tell a partner about them. Say why this information is interesting or important to you.	
Vrite some news about someone's	
. job: . plans:	
family:	
. possessions:	

for a new one. I'm a little worried that he won't be able to find one."

"Gina said that she was going to China this summer. I'm really excited for her."

Episode 3 The Big Move Act 2



Before you watch

Δ	Complete the sentence	s with the	words in	the box.

in the kitchen won't stop dripping! Can you help me I just got a new dresser, and I need a	✓ faucet	inspect	screwdriver	security deposit	showerhead	water damage
it carefully. You need to make sure that nothing is damaged. 4. I think our roof is leaking. There is some	2. I just got	a new dress	er, and I need a		to pu	t it together.
4. I think our roof is leaking. There is some						
is supposed to cut our water use in half. B But I like to take baths. If I rent this apartment, I have to pay the first month's rent and a						on the ceiling.
B But I like to take baths. If I rent this apartment, I have to pay the first month's rent and a	5. <i>A</i> This ne	ew		is supposed to	cut our water u	se in half.
a. They really need washing. b. Do you think the knob needs to be r. c. It really needs replacing. d. We need to get someone to fix them. f. These windows are very dirty. C Use the words in parentheses to complete each sentence with a past modal. I had a reservation for dinner tonight, but the restaurant said it was for next week. Someone wish have made (must / make) a mistake. I feel really bad because I yelled at my brother. I (should mangry at him. I not TV and VCR aren't working. a. They really need washing. b. Do you think the knob needs to be r. c. It really needs replacing. d. We need to get someone to fix them. e. Let's have someone paint it soon. f. I'm going to have it cleaned next week. Someone with a past modal.	B But I li	ke to take b	aths.			
a. They really need washing. b. Do you think the knob needs to be r. c. It really needs replacing. d. We need to get someone to fix them. f. The faucet won't stop dripping. f. These windows are very dirty. f. These words in parentheses to complete each sentence with a past modal. C. Use the words in parentheses to complete each sentence with a past modal. I had a reservation for dinner tonight, but the restaurant said it was for next week. Someone wust have wade (must / make) a mistake. I feel really bad because I yelled at my brother. I (should mangry at him. I got a bad grade on my test. I guess I (could / study) hard.	6. If I rent th	nis apartme	nt, I have to pay	the first month's re	nt and a	
b. Do you think the knob needs to be r. i. There's a stain on the carpet	B Match th	ne sentence	s.			
1. I had a reservation for dinner tonight, but the restaurant said it was for next week. Someone must-have make (must / make) a mistake. 2. I feel really bad because I yelled at my brother. I	2. My watch 3. There's a 4. I don't lik 5. The fauce 6. These win	strap is bro stain on the e the color o et won't stop ndows are v	oken e carpet of this room o dripping ery dirty	b. Do yo c. It read d. We no e. Let's l f. I'm go	ou think the knol lly needs replacing eed to get someon have someone pa ping to have it cle	b needs to be replaceding. ne to fix them. aint it soon. eaned next week.
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B. I got a bad grade on my test. I guess I (could / study) hard			ise I yelled at my	brother. I		(should not / get)
	0.		ny test. I guess I		(conf	d / study) harder for it
I. I was late for work this morning. I (should / leave) home						
5. Kathy said she would call me right back, but that was over an hour ago! I guess she						



DVD **37** VHS 32:29

A Number the scenes in the correct order.



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b



. ____



d.



f. ____



DVD 38 VHS 32:29 -37:12

B Watch the video and number the sentences in the correct order.

 Maybe I can fix it.
So, where do you want this

____ Is everything OK?

There was a bit of a mix-up.I should get that fixed before the landlord comes.

Ooh. What happened here?

... why don't we help you with your boxes?

____ I should have known that.

DVD 39 HS 32:29	

-37:12

C Circle all the correct answers. (One, t	o, or three answers are possible.)
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1. The rental company had	a reservation for the	·		
a. morning	b. afternoon	c. evening		
2. Liz got upset because sh	e was			
a. stressed	b. frustrated	c. tired		
3 can help in the a	fternoon.			
a. Alex	b. David	c. Gio		
4. They are going to move l	Liz's boxes			
a. into the living room	b. upstairs	c. downstairs		
5. There is on the f	loor.			
a. paint	b. a stain	c. water damage		
6. The light				
a. isn't turning on	b. was flickering	c. is too bright		
7. The in the bathr	oom needs to be fixed.			
a. sink	b. toilet	c. shower		
8. Yoko broke				
a. her nail	b. the picture	c. the lightbulb		
9. Alex didn't				
a. use a towel	b. turn off the water	c. try to fix anything		
D Watch the video and match the sentences with the things they refer to.				
(You will use some things	more than once.)			
1. The landlord got someon	ne to come in and fix it. $_$	a. the floor		
2. Yoko says the landlord should have it repaired		b. the knob on the faucet		
3. It needs to be screwed in tighter		c. the lightbulb		
4. It keeps dripping		d. the picture		
5. It might need to be replaced		e. the refrigerator		
6. It's loose		f. the showerhead		
7. Maybe it just needs tight	tening			
8. It needs to be taken dow	n			
_				
E Listen to this conversation. What do the characters say exactly?				
Cross out the extra letters	and words.			
Gio OK. Have you got th	at end?			
Yoko Just a second. Ow! T	hat hurt!			
Gio Are you OK?				
Yoko Yeah, I'm fine. I just	broke a nail.			
David Do you need help?				
Yoko No, I think we can h	nandle it. Thanks			

VHS 36:30 -36:53

VHS 34:05 -36:03

anyway. OK.

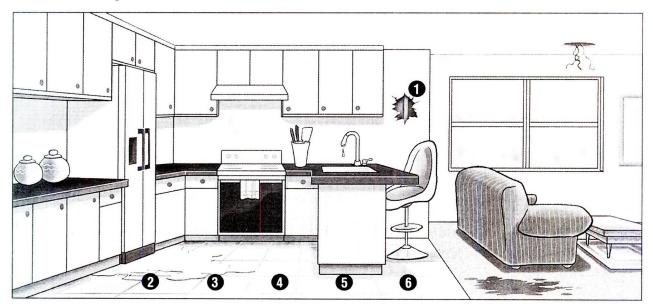
Gio Are you ready?

Yoko Let's try it again. Uh-huh.

Gio 1, 2, 3, lift.

A What can you remember? Answer the questions.

- 1. What repairs have been done in the apartment?
- 2. What does Yoko need to do before she moves out?
- 3. What should the landlord do?
- **B** Look at the picture. Write six sentences about what needs to be done.



	The hole in the wall needs fixing / to be fixed.
-	
-	
-	

C Write some sentences about things that need to be done in your home. Use your own ideas and the words in the box.

Tell a partner about what needs to be done. Which of the jobs above would you do yourself? Which would you have done?

[&]quot;The windows are dirty. They need to be washed. I'll probably do that myself."

[&]quot;The walls in the living room need painting. I'm going to hire someone to do that."

Episode 3 The Big Move Act 3

Before you watch

A Read the money tips. Underline the words and expressions related to money. Then put them in the chart.

Money tips from our readers

I always <u>have a monthly budget</u>, and I stick to it. I keep track of all my money. And I always make sure to put some money away for a rainy day.

Keesha, Phoenix, AZ

You should never borrow money from a friend. But if you do, always pay the loan back quickly!

- Ralph, Tampa, FL

If you're having money problems, it may help to give up some things. You don't want to get into debt – it's too hard to get out of it!

- Michael, Los Angeles, CA

Don't charge too much on your credit card. It's much better to pay in cash.

- Cindy, Denver, CO

Things you should do	Things you shouldn't do
have a monthly budget	
2	

B Match the sentences with the responses. Then practice with a partner.

- It's hard to stick to a budget sometimes. _____
 What did Lucy ask you? _____
- 3. I want to go on vacation, but I don't know if I can afford it. ____
- 4. I used to be more of a spender than a saver, but I'm trying to change my spending habits. _____
- 5. What did he say when you asked him to pay back the money? ____

- a. I had a similar experience. I had to learn how to keep track of my money.
- b. I know what you mean. It is hard.
- c. He was like, "No problem. I'll write you a check right now."
- d. That's like when I went to Italy. I didn't have a lot of money, so I stayed in youth hostels.
- e. She asked me if I was going to buy a new car soon.

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DVD 42 VHS 37:17 -41:38

A	Check (✓)	true or false.	Then try to correct	t the false sentences.
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1.	Yoko hates moving.	✓ True	☐ False
2.	She's moving into a one-bedroom apartment.	True	☐ False
3.	Yoko's parents are helping her.	True	☐ False
4.	David thinks it's easy to save money.	□True	☐ False
5.	Yoko will be living with a new roommate.	True	☐ False
6.	David has had trouble paying his bills before.	True	☐ False
7.	Gio had to give up a few things.	True	☐ False
8.	Yoko spends about eighteen dollars a month on coffee.	True	☐ False
9.	The friends are going out for coffee.	□True	□ False

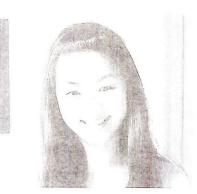


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B Who does or has done these things? Check (\checkmark) the correct people. For some answers, more than one person will be checked.







مرجع زبان ایرانیان ? Who	David	Gio	Yoko
1. needs / needed to buy things for a new apartment			
2. hasn't put enough money away for a rainy day			
3. is more of a spender than a saver			
4. tries to set aside money each month			
5. has / had a monthly budget			
6. got into debt			
7. was spending too much money			

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DVD 44 VHS 37:17 -41:38

C Listen for these sentences. Match the sentences with the responses.

1. Are you almost ready for your move? __a_ a. I guess so. 2. What's your new place like? ___ b. I hope so. 3. I don't know how I'm going to be able to afford c. I think so. d. Oh, uh, not really. everything. 4. So are you going to be OK – moneywise, I mean? _____ e. Sounds good. 5. I'm sure you'll be able to pay it back quickly. _____ f. That's like when I moved. g. Yeah, well, speaking of coffee . . . 6. Do you have, um, a monthly budget or h. Well, it's a studio apartment. anything? i. I had to change my spending 7. Oh, no. So, what did you do? ____ 8. So, you were saying . . . about giving things up? _____ habits. j. Wow! Yeah. Just from making 9. That's like, seventy dollars a month. ____ one small change. 10. It'll save us some time and money. ___ **D** Who says each sentence and what does it refer to? Circle the correct name and then match the sentence to its topic. 1. "But still, it was stressful!" (Gio)/ David / Yoko says this about ____. a. a monthly budget 2. "Oh, that's really generous of them." **Gio / David / Yoko** says this about ___ b. living and paying rent alone 3. "I wouldn't worry about it too much." **Gio / David / Yoko** says this about _____. c. moving 4. "It makes me a little nervous." **Gio / David / Yoko** says this about _____. d. taking money 5. "I had one in the past. . . . I just could never stick to it." **Gio / David / Yoko** says this about _____. e. loaning money **E** Listen to this conversation. What do Yoko, David, and Gio say exactly? Complete the sentences. David What did Gio say? VHS 39:23 -40:17_____ whether or not I had a monthly budget. Yoko He (1) And I don't. David Oh. Yeah, having a budget is (2) ______. I learned that a few years ago when I had some money problems. To make a long story short, I got into some real (3) _____ and had trouble paying my bills. Yoko Oh, no. So, what did you do? David I had to change my spending (4) ______ – learn how to _____ of my money. That kind of thing. Gio Exactly. I had a (6) ______ experience. When I moved here and went back to school, I realized I was (7) ______ too much money. So, I had to give up a few things.

A What can you remember? Answer the questions.

- 1. Why is Yoko worried about money?
- 2. What is Gio's advice to Yoko?
- 3. What are some other ways that Yoko can save money?
- **B** Work with a partner. Choose one of the situations and role-play a conversation.

Situation 1

Student A: You are a student. You don't have a budget, you spend a lot, and you charge a lot to a credit card. You don't think you need to worry about money right now – you can think about it after you graduate. Explain this to your friend – Student B.

Student B: You are a student. You keep track of money, pay your bills, and don't buy things you can't afford. You are worried about your friend – Student A. Give your friend advice about money and tell him / her to be more careful. Start like this: I'm worried about you. . . .

Situation 2

Student A: You have a budget and usually stick to it. You need to buy a car for a new job, but you can't quite afford it. A good friend – Student B – has a lot more money than you. You want to ask your friend to loan you the money to buy the car. Explain your plan to pay the money back. Start like this: I have a favor to ask you. . . .

Student B: Your friend – Student A – wants to borrow some money. You have enough to loan the money. Ask questions to find out how and when your friend will pay the money back. Then decide whether you will loan the money or not. irLanguage.com

C Work in small groups. Write down the I you about money. Then compare your adv	
	"My grandmother told me to put aside a little money every week. She said"



Episode 4 Follow Your Dream

Act 1



Before you watch

1. The media

A Complete the definitions with the words in the box.



bad press making a name ✓ media celebrity downhill producer dropped out of sight the headlines up-and-coming gig

TV, radio, newspapers, and the Internet.	
2. A person who is famous is often called a	
3. A person who provides money for a movie or a	recording is a
4. An informal word for a performance or a conc	ert is a
5. A person who is becoming well known is an _	star.
People often say this person is	for him or herself.
6. A person who is in the news a lot at the mome	
7. Someone who is not in the news any more has	3
8. A person who has unflattering things written	about him is getting
After that, his career might go	•
B Match the sentences and the tag questions.	
 It's a beautiful day,g 	a. do we?
It's not five o'clock already,	b. doesn't he?
3. Tom Richards lives in Hollywood,	c. doesn't she?
He got married last year,	d. didn't he?
5. You haven't seen his new movie yet,	e. didn't she?
6. Liz sings jazz,	f. is it?
7. She moved to Los Angeles,	g. isn't it?
8. We should get to the concert early,	h. have you?
9. We don't have enough time,	i. couldn't you?
10. You could call a taxi,	j. shouldn't we?

is a word used to describe



DVD 47 VHS 41:43 -46:41

A Circle the correct answers. For some items, both answers are correct.

- 1. Yoko hasn't talked to Liz because Liz / Yoko has been busy.
- 2. David is reading a celebrity magazine for **fun** / **research**.
- 3. Luke Richards is in the headlines / a new movie.
- 4. Before she moved to L.A., Liz was working as a **Web designer** / **singer**.
- 5. Liz has already **performed in some big clubs** / **recorded her first album**.
- 6. David and Gio say that Liz was discovered by a **producer** / **club owner**.
- 7. Liz has met some **up-and-coming stars** / **interesting musicians**.
- 8. Liz is looking for a new manager / new songs.



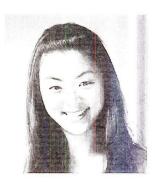
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B Who says these things? Check (\checkmark) the correct names.









مرجع زبان ایرانیان	Alex	David	Liz	Yoko
1. It's a little strange being here without Liz, though.				
2. Um, it's about how the media has changed the nature of fame.				
3. Whoa! Everybody come here a minute.				
4. Now Liz is living her dream.				
5. It sounds like her career is already taking off.				
6. Well, we're all at the park today, and we miss you so much!				
7. It says that you're an up-and-coming star				
8. But I'm a little concerned about next month.				
9. But, you know, nobody really knows who I am yet.				



C Watch the video. Then check (✓) Liz or Luke to answer the questions.

The second secon	Liz	Luke
1. Who is someone to watch?		
2. Who is doing a lot of volunteer work?		
3. Who was in the right place at the right time?		
4. Who has dropped out of sight?		
5. Who got a lot of bad press?		
6. Who is making a name for him / herself?		



D Listen for these sentences. Circle the ones you hear.

- 1. a. It's great to just hang out in the park, isn't it?
 - b. It's been great to just hang out in the park, hasn't it?
- 2. a. You must really miss her.
 - b. You really miss her, don't you?
- 3. a. He completely dropped out of sight for a while.
 - b. He kind of dropped out of sight for a while, didn't he?
- 4. a. You guys have seen it, haven't you?
 - b. You guys haven't seen it, have you?



- 5. a. The one in Wow Magazine?
 - b. That one in Wow Magazine, right?
- 6. a. So, everything's going OK?
 - b. So, everything's going OK, isn't it?
- 7. a. You should talk to your manager, don't you think?
 - b. You should talk to your manager, shouldn't you?
- 8. a. I mean, are you going to be recording your album soon?
 - b. I mean, you're going to be recording your album soon, aren't you?
- 9. a. I mean, can't you sing some of your old songs?
 - b. I mean, you could sing some of your old songs, couldn't you?





E Listen for these sentences. Match the sentences with the ones that follow them.

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1. How's she doing in Los Angeles? ____

2. What's happening in the celebrity world? _____

3. So, what's he up to these days? _____

4. What is it? ____ 5. It's amazing, isn't it? ___

6. It's not too early to call, is it? _____

7. Sounds pretty great, doesn't it? ___

8. He's supposed to get you gigs and get your name out there, right? _____

a. Oh, no!

b. There's something in here about Liz!

c. Yeah, it does!

d. I don't know!

e. Uh, not much.

f. I mean, it's pretty lucky that she was singing in the club that night.

g. Well, this article says he's doing a lot of volunteer work now.

h. Yeah. And he is.

A What can you remember? Answer the questions.



1	. What has Liz been doing in Los Angeles?
2	. What is she worried about?
3	. What do you think will happen?
	Add tag questions to complete the conversation. Then practice with a partner.
B A B A B A B A B A A B A B A B A B A B	Look at this Tom Richards has a new movie out. Tom Richards? He won an Oscar this year, (1)
	Complete the sentences with your own information. hen compare with a partner.
1.	If I had / hadn't met,
	I would / wouldn't have
2.	If I had / hadn't gone,
	I would / wouldn't have
3.	If I had / hadn't been,
	I would / wouldn't have irLanguage.com

Episode 4 Follow Your Dream Act 2



Before you watch

A	Match the	words in the l	oox with the definit	ons.		
a	ın analyst	contacts	a degree	a loan	a salary	
	-	a corporation		a résumé	worthwhile	
1	a large con	nnany: a cavi	poration			
	-	-	rizes your education			
_						
3	_		ity:			
			acts and gives an opi			
			nt:			
	•		and must be paid bac			
			or a job:			
			n help you find a job			
			ng the lives of other p			
10	. meaningfu	ul, useful, or va	aluable:			
Us	se correct ca	apitalization.	on with expressions			what we should do
•			what I mean what she's been doin		e job involves e really need	what we should do what you're saying
A	What do you	u think of hirii	ng Penny for the job?			
			iat's (1) the best th	ning to do	•	
	She's pretty					
A		u mean, exactl	v?			
	•				is that she's	a
			s only been at her cu			
	(3)			is so	meone with n	nore experience.
A						
			ho can grow with the			
	(5)			, it's	very similar t	0
	(6)			at he	er current job.	
В						
	else to man	age the project	t, but hire Penny for t	he assistan	t position.	
A	That makes	sense. (8)				is that we
	can give her	r a chance				

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VHS 46	6:46
-50):56

A Circle the correct answers.

1.	Gio has finished his		
	a. exams	b.	job search
2.	A company in is inte	eres	ted in Gio.
	a. town	b.	Chicago
3.	is more important to	G	io.
	a. Making a lot of money	b.	Doing something worthwhile
4.	Alex has heard of		
	a. the company in Chicago	b.	East Cliff Bank
5.	Henry Willets works as		
	a. an analyst	b.	a stockbroker
6.	After Gio sent his résumé, he	e fo	llowed up with
	a. a phone call	b.	an e-mail
7.	Alex's friend got a job by		_ a lot.
	a. interviewing	b.	calling
8.	Yoko knows Henry Willets be	eca	use
	a. he's a customer	b.	she uses East Cliff Bank
9.	Yoko says the next time she s	see	s Henry she'll
	a. talk to him	b.	call Gio



VHS 46:46 -50:56

B Who does these things? Check (✓) the correct names.









Who ?	Alex	David	Gio	Kim
1. hasn't said congratulations yet				
2. hasn't made any decisions yet				
3. asks Gio where he'd like to work				
4. asks if the bank won an award			M de la constante de la consta	
5. thinks Gio should go for it				
6. thinks Gio should talk to everyone he knows				
7. thinks companies don't like you to call them				
8. asks Yoko if she knows Henry Willets				
9. says it never hurts to ask friends for help				



C Watch the video and check (✓) the correct answers.

VHS 47:11 -48:47

Which company ?	Company in Chicago	East Cliff Bank
1. did Gio send a follow-up e-mail to		
2. does humanitarian work		
3. is a big corporation		
4. is interested in Gio		
5. gives small loans to poor people		
6. offers a great starting salary		



D Who says each sentence and what does it refer to? Circle the correct name. Then match the sentence to its topic.

l.	"Why don't we start anyway?"	
	Alex/ Gio says this about	a. East Cliff Bank
2.	"It feels pretty good to finally be done."	
	Alex / Gio says this about	b. getting a job at East Cliff Bank
3.	"I have a couple more to go."	
	Alex / Gio says this about	c. eating lunch
4.	"Isn't it here in town?"	
	Alex / Gio says this about	d. finishing exams
5.	"I think you should go for it."	
	Alex / Gio says this about	e. getting personal contacts
6.	"But I am not very comfortable asking	
	my friends for help like that."	
	Alex / Gio says this about	f. going on interviews

E Listen for these sentences. Match the two parts to complete them.

1. I guess what I'm saying is _____ 2. What his department does is _____ 3. I think what you should do is _____ 4. Something a friend of mine did was _____

5. I need to do more if I want the chance to _____

- a. talk to everyone you know.
 - b. give small loans to poor people all over the world.
 - c. work for Henry Willets.
 - d. interesting.
 - e. I want to use my business degree to do something worthwhile.

A What can you remember? Complete Gio's notes about the two jobs.

Company in Chicago One advantage: ___ One disadvantage: **East Cliff Bank** One advantage: One disadvantage: **B** What would you do if you wanted to work at a particular company? Rank each of these suggestions from 1 (very useful) to 5 (not useful at all). 1. do research about the company and the work that it does 2. call the company regularly to ask if there are any positions available 3. send an e-mail to ask if there are any positions open 4. send a résumé by e-mail 5. write a letter or e-mail saying why you would like to work for the company 6. contact the president or the CEO of the company directly 7. develop a personal contact at the company 8. volunteer to work at the company for free (an internship) **C** Give a friend advice about getting an interview at a particular company. Complete the sentences using the ideas in Exercise B and your own ideas. 1. The first thing you should do is _____ 2. The advantage of that is _____ 3. Another important thing is _____ 4. The main reason to do that is _____

D Work in small groups. Compare your answers to Exercises B and C above. Do you agree with the advice?

5. Something a friend of mine did was _____

6. What I would do is _____

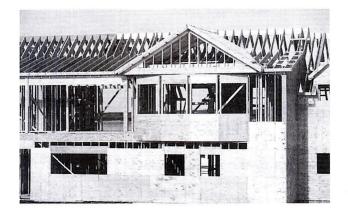
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Before you watch

A Match the words in the box with the definitions.

ban	gallery	mayor	quality of life		
✓ construction	livable	pollution	restless		
1. the process of p	outting up r	new building	gs and structures:	construction	
2. unable to relax	or stay in o	ne place:			
3. something that	. something that makes air or water dirty:				
4. a room or build	ling where a	art is shown	•		
5. the leader of a t	own or city	•			
6. the level of com	nfort and er	joyment of	a group of people	:	
7. to forbid somet	hing officia	ılly:			
8. enjoyable to liv	e in:				





B Use the words in parentheses to complete each sentence with the passive form of the present continuous or present perfect. (Pay attention to time words in the sentences.)

1. A	Four new apartment buildings have been built	(build) in the past year
B	Oh, that's good. People need more places to live.	
2. <i>A</i>	Hundreds of trees	(plant) around the city recently.
B	Oh, I've noticed. They look beautiful!	
3. <i>A</i>	The old City Hall	(tear down).
B	Oh, that's too bad. It was a historic building.	
4. A	Private cars	(ban) from the city center permanently.
B	Really? Has it helped with traffic?	
5. <i>A</i>	Several new office buildings	(put up) in the next year.
B	Oh, do we really need more office buildings?	
6. <i>A</i>	A new house	_ (build) next door to mine right now.
\mathbf{R}	That's nice	



DVD **58** VHS 51:01 -55:49

A What topics are mentioned? Circle the correct topic in each pair.



- 1. a. the mayor's plan
 - b. the mayor's election
- 2. a. building parks
 - b. planting trees
- 3. a. new construction
 - b. new city jobs
- 4. a. crime
 - b. pollution
- 5. a. writing a novel
 - b. shooting a movie

- 6. a. finding money
 - b. winning the lottery
- 7. a. opening a restaurant
 - b. opening a gym
- 8. a. learning a language
 - b. teaching art
- 9. a. running a company
 - b. running a gallery
- 10. a. good friends
 - b. a good job



DVD **59** VHS 51:36 -52:47

B Listen for these sentences. Match the two parts to complete them.

- 1. What I heard is that _____
- 2. Well, it'll be great to have more trees especially because ____
- 3. Even though all this new construction is good for the city, ____
- 4. The reason I ask is, you know, ____
- 5. Well, what I was going to say was _____
- 6. So instead of driving everywhere, ____

- a. a lot of older buildings have been destroyed.
- b. the noise and pollution are getting pretty bad.
- c. they want to plant fifty thousand new trees over the next five years.
- d. so many new buildings are being put up.
- e. people would use public transportation or walk.
- f. that part of the plan is to ban private cars from the city center on weekends.



VHS 51:01 -55:49

C Listen for these sentences. Match the underlined words and the things they refer to.

- 1. I wish there were more places like this in the city. _____ 2. It's supposed to help make the city more livable. ____ 3. It's a shame because some of those buildings were historic. ____ 4. See, I think that's great. _ 5. That sounds good, David, but, um, how are you going to pay your bills? ____ 6. But it may be hard. ____ 7. That'd be cool. ____ 8. <u>It was fun.</u>
- a. the mayor's plan
- b. banning cars
- c. the park
- d. writing a novel
- e. running a gallery
- f. destroying buildings
- g. going to the park
- h. owning a restaurant



D Watch the video and complete the conversations with the correct form of the verbs in the box. (You may need to add auxiliaries be or have.)

be	go back	run	work
change	graduate	teach	write



Kim	Do you know what you're going to do in ten years? Or even five years?
Gio	I don't even know what I'm doing tomorrow.
Kim	No, seriously. What do you guys think you'll be doing? Where do you think you'll

David In five years? To be honest, I have no idea. I suppose I'll (2) jobs again. You know how I get restless. Or maybe I'll have quit (3) and I'll (4) ______ a novel.



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Alex	And hopefully, in five years, I'll (5) _	with a degree in fine
	arts. So, maybe I'll (6)	art to kids, or
Kim	Or you might (7)	$_$ a gallery or something.
Alex	Yeah. That'd be cool!	
Gio	You want to go back to school, Alex?	That's funny. I will have finally graduate

ed, You want to go back to school, Alexand you'll (8) ______.

A What can you remember? What is one thing each person says about what he or she will be doing in five or ten years?









1.	David	Maybe he'll have changed jobs again.
2.	Gio	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
3.	Yoko	
4.	Alex	

B Think about a city or neighborhood you know well. Write three or four sentences about what is being done and what has been done to improve the city or neighborhood. Use the categories in the box to help you. Then compare answers.

apartment buildings bike trails	cars and traffic houses	public services roads and transportation	
buildings (old and new)	public areas	trees and parks	

"About fifty new trees have been planted in my neighborhood, and a new park has been created. A bike trail is being built to cross the city."

C Work in small groups. Discuss these questions.

- 1. What is something new you will be starting in the near future?
- 2. What is a project you'll be working on in the next six months?
- 3. What is something you will have finished in the next year?
- 4. What do you think you'll be doing in five years?
- 5. What is a dream you would like to have accomplished in ten or twenty years?



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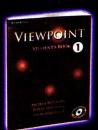
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