CAMBRIDGE

Cambridge University Press
978-1-108-81813-1 — Cambridge English American Empower Starter/A1 Student's Book with eBook
Adrian Doff, Craig Thaine, Herbert Puchta, Jeff Stranks, Peter Lewis-Jones
Table of Contents
More Information

CONTENTS

Lesson and objective	Grammar	Vocabulary	Pronunciation	Everyday English
Unit 1 Hello!				
Getting started Talk about countries and flags				
1A Say your name and country	*be*: *I* / *you* / *we*	Countries	Sound and spelling: *I'm*, *we're*	
1B Talk about people you know	*be*: *he* / *she* / *they*	Nationalities; *this* / *these*	Syllables and word stress	
1C Meet and greet new people			Syllables and word stress; Stressed words; Intonation	Greeting people; Meeting new people
Unit 2 All about me				
Getting started Talk about objects				
2A Talk about your hometown	*be*: *it's* / *it's not*; Possessive adjectives	Common adjectives; *in* / *near*	Sound and spelling: /h/ and /w/	
2B Talk about possessions and common objects	Plural nouns; *I have* / *you have*; *a* / *an*	Common objects 1; Numbers 1	Sound and spelling: /s/, /z/, /ɪz/; *Do you … ?*	
2C Ask for and give personal information			Stressed parts in questions; Intonation in questions	Asking for and giving personal information
Unit 3 Food and drink				
Getting started Talk about the food in a shopping cart				
3A Say what you eat and drink	Simple present: *I* / *you* / *we* / *they*	Food 1	Syllables and word stress; Sound and spelling: /i/, /ɪ/, and /ɑɪ/	
3B Talk about food and meals	Adverbs of frequency	Food 2; Time; *What time* / *When … ?*	Sound and spelling: /æ/ and /ɔ/	
3C Order and pay in a café			Syllable stress; Stressed and unstressed words	Ordering and paying in a café
Unit 4 My life and my family				
Getting started Talk about who people are and what they do				
4A Talk about your life and ask about others'	Simple present: *Wh-* questions	Common verbs; *study*	Stressed words	
4B Talk about your family	Simple present: *he* / *she* / *it* affirmative	Family and people; Numbers 2; *How old … ?*	Sound and spelling: /ð/	
4C Ask and talk about photos			Sound and spelling: /ʧ/ and /ʤ/	Asking and talking about photos
Unit 5 Places				
Getting started Talk about an unusual museum				
5A Describe a town	*there is* / *there are*: affirmative	Places in a town; *a few*, *a lot of*	*there's* / *there are*; Sound and spelling: /u/ and /ʌ/	
5B Talk about hotels and hostels	*there is* / *there are*: negative and questions	Hotels	Sound and spelling: /ʃ/; Stressed syllables	
5C Ask about and say where places are			Emphasizing what you say 1	Asking and saying where places are
Unit 6 Work and routines				
Getting started Talk about a job				
6A Talk about people's jobs	Simple present: *he* / *she* / *it* negative	Jobs; *work* / *job*	Main stress in compound nouns; Sound and spelling: /ʃ/ and /ʧ/	
6B Talk about daily routines and habits	Simple present: *he* / *she* / *it* questions	Daily routine; *for*, *from … to … , until*	Consonant clusters; Sentence stress	
6C Make and accept offers			*would*; Emphasizing what you say 2	Making and accepting offers

© in this web service Cambridge University Press www.cambridge.org

CAMBRIDGE

Cambridge University Press
978-1-108-81813-1 — Cambridge English American Empower Starter/A1 Student's Book with eBook
Adrian Doff, Craig Thaine, Herbert Puchta, Jeff Stranks, Peter Lewis-Jones
Table of Contents
More Information

Listening	Reading	Speaking	Writing
A conversation about who you are	Three conversations meeting other students	Who you are and where you're from	
A conversation about people in pictures		People in a picture	
First day at work	An online profile	Greeting and meeting new people	A personal profile; Capital letters and periods Unit Progress Test
Three conversations about hometowns	Three posts: *Our Homes*	Homes and hometowns	My hometown; A friend's home
A conversation at the airport		Possessions; What's in the bag?	
Finding a new apartment	A personal information form	Asking for and giving personal information	A personal information form; Spelling Unit Progress Test
A conversation about food likes and dislikes	Three families' weekly food: *Food for One Week*	Food likes and dislikes	
Three conversations about dinner	An article: *The Number One Breakfast in ...*	Saying the time; Meal times and what you eat	
In a café	A text message	Ordering and paying in a café	A text message; Contractions Unit Progress Test
A conversation about work and travel to work	A blog: *Breakfast in Málaga and Lunch in London*	Work, home, and study	About you
Photos of famous people and their families	Photo captions; *An International Family*	Your family	
Talking about family photos	A photo caption	Photos	Photo captions; Word order Unit Progress Test
A conversation about places in a town	An article: *Very hot! Very cold!*	A street in your town	On my street
A conversation at a hostel reception	A hostel review	Hotels and hostels	Questions about a town
Looking for a café	An email	Places in a town	About your town; *and* and *but* Unit Progress Test
Four people talk about their jobs	A website: *Jobs International*	People's jobs	Questions about jobs
A conversation about taking photos at night	An article: *A Good Night's Sleep*	People's daily routines and habits	Questions about daily routines
A friend's birthday	An email about daily life	Offering to pay for food and drink	An email about daily life; *because* and *also* Unit Progress Test

© in this web service Cambridge University Press www.cambridge.org

Lesson and objective		Grammar	Vocabulary	Pronunciation	Everyday English
Unit 7 **Shopping and fashion**					
Getting started Talk about the clothes in a market stall					
7A	Talk about things you want to buy	*this*, *that*, *these*, *those*	Common objects 2; Prices	Sound and spelling: /b/, /p/, /g/, and /k/ Sound and spelling: *this*, *that*, *these*, and *those*	
7B	Talk about the clothes that people wear	Possessive *'s*; Review of adverbs	Clothes; Colors; *dark* / *light*	Sound and spelling: /ʃ/ and /dʒ/	
7C	Ask about and pay for things in a store			Connecting sounds	Going shopping
Unit 8 **Past events**					
Getting started Talk about your last New Year's Eve					
8A	Talk about past events	Simple past: *be*	Past time expressions	*was* / *were*	
8B	Describe events in the past	Simple past: affirmative	Free time activities	Sound and spelling: /t/ and /d/	
8C	Make and respond to suggestions			Sentence stress and intonation	Making and responding to suggestions
Unit 9 **Vacations**					
Getting started Talk about an interesting vacation					
9A	Talk about travel and vacation experiences	Simple past: negative	Transportation; *go*	Sound and spelling: the letter *a*; Sentence stress	
9B	Talk about past vacations	Simple past: questions	The seasons; The weather; *like*	Sound and spelling: the letter *o*	
9C	Make and respond to requests			Syllables and spelling	Making and responding to requests
Unit 10 **Here and now**					
Getting started Talk about communicating online					
10A	Talk about your home	Present continuous: affirmative	The home; *in* / *on*	Sound and spelling: /tʃ/ and /θ/; Sentence stress	
10B	Ask where people are and what they're doing	Present continuous: negative and questions	Place phrases with prepositions	Sound and spelling: /ə/; Main stress in questions	
10C	Ask for travel information			Sound and spelling: /ɪə/ and /eə/	Asking for travel information
Unit 11 **Achievers**					
Getting started Talk about a climber's experience					
11A	Talk about people's lives	Object pronouns	Life events; Years	Sound and spelling: Numbers	
11B	Talk about things you know how to do	*can* for ability	Abilities; (*very* / *pretty*) *well*	*can* / *can't*	
11C	Talk about opinions			Stressed words; Consonant clusters	Talking about opinions
Unit 12 **Plans**					
Getting started Talk about a family vacation					
12A	Talk about future plans	*be going to*: affirmative and negative	Months and future time expressions; Ordinal numbers; The date	Sentence stress; *be going to*	
12B	Ask and answer about future plans	*be going to*: questions	Common verbs and collocations	Sound and spelling: /v/ and /w/	
12C	Make and accept invitations			Sound and spelling: *oo*	Making and accepting invitations

Phonemic symbols and Irregular verbs p. 103 | **Communication Plus** p. 104 | **Grammar Focus** p. 116 | **Vocabulary Focus** p. 136

© in this web service Cambridge University Press www.cambridge.org

Cambridge University Press
978-1-108-81813-1 — Cambridge English American Empower Starter/A1 Student's Book with eBook
Adrian Doff, Craig Thaine, Herbert Puchta, Jeff Stranks, Peter Lewis-Jones
Table of Contents
More Information

Contents

Listening	Reading	Speaking	Writing
A conversation at a home store	Places to go shopping	At a home store	
A conversation about old clothes	An article: *They Make Colorful Clothes ...*	The clothes you wear	A question about clothes
In a store	An advertisement and an email	Going shopping	An email reply to an advertisement; Commas, exclamation points, and question marks Unit Progress Test
Three conversations about past events	People who travel for work	Past events	Sentences about past events
Conversations about animal stories	A website: *WILD Stories!*	Yesterday's activities	Sentences about free time activities
Monday morning at work	A thank you note	Making plans	A thank you note; Writing short emails, notes, and texts Unit Progress Test
A conversation about a trip to Colombia	A website: *Backyard Camping*	A past travel experience	Sentences about your last vacation
A conversation about summer vacations	A blog post: *New Year's Fun in the Big Apple*	A past vacation	Questions about a past vacation
A trip to Mexico	An online post	Asking for help and responding	An online post about a trip; Making the order clear Unit Progress Test
A monologue about an apartment	Text messages	Present activities	A text message to a friend
Five phone conversations about present activities	A message board: *How much do you use your phone?*	A phone conversation to make plans	A message board comment
At the train station	A message to a friend	A conversation about travel information	A message asking for information; Word order in questions Unit Progress Test
A conversation about Valentina Tereshkova	An article: *They Were the First!*	Past life events	Sentences about past life events
A conversation about a job description	An article: *Amazing Humans*	Your abilities	Questions about abilities
Out for dinner	An email to a friend	Interesting places to visit in a town / city	An email to a friend; Pronouns Unit Progress Test
Three conversations about summer vacation plans	A TV show review: *Danger Zone*	Your next vacation	Notes about vacation plans and everyday activities
Two conversations about weekend plans	An article: *Only 4,000 Weekends in Your Life!*	Your future plans	Questions about future plans
Making plans with a friend	Invitations and replies	Inviting a friend	An invitation and a reply; Paragraphs Unit Progress Test
Writing Plus p. 158			

© in this web service Cambridge University Press www.cambridge.org