

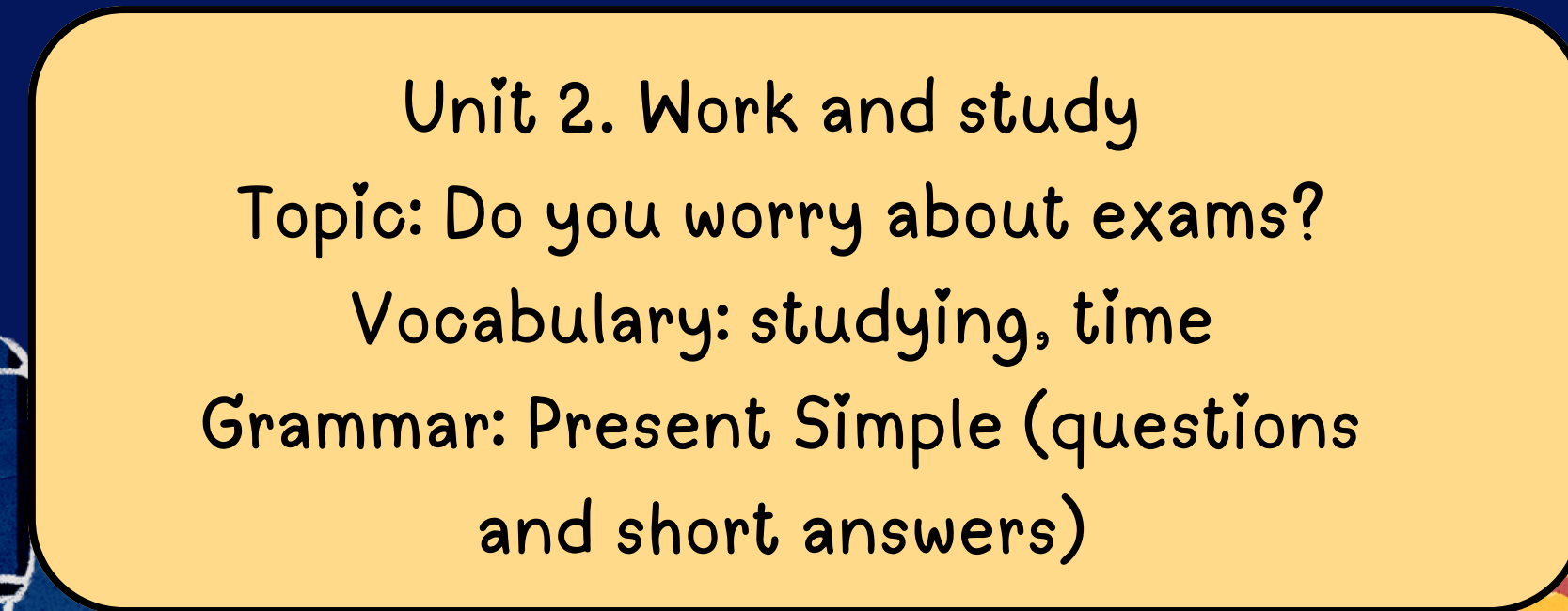
Lesson 12

Unit 2. Work and study

Topic: Do you worry about exams?

Vocabulary: studying, time

Grammar: Present Simple (questions and short answers)



2B Do you worry about exams?

Learn to talk about study habits

G Present simple: questions and short answers


V Studying; Time

1 READING

a  Ask and answer the questions.

- 1 Are you good at exams?
- 2 Do you worry about exams and tests?
- 3 Do you study a lot for an exam or test?

b Read comments 1–3 on the *Unichat* forum and match them with pictures a–c.

c  Read the comments again and answer the questions with a partner.

- 1 Which study habits are:
 - useful
 - funny?
- 2 Put the study habits in the order you want to try them from 1 (really want to try) to 3 (don't want to try).

2 VOCABULARY Studying

a Look at the underlined words in questions 1–7. Match them with pictures a–g below.

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- 2 Do you have a timetable for your study routine?
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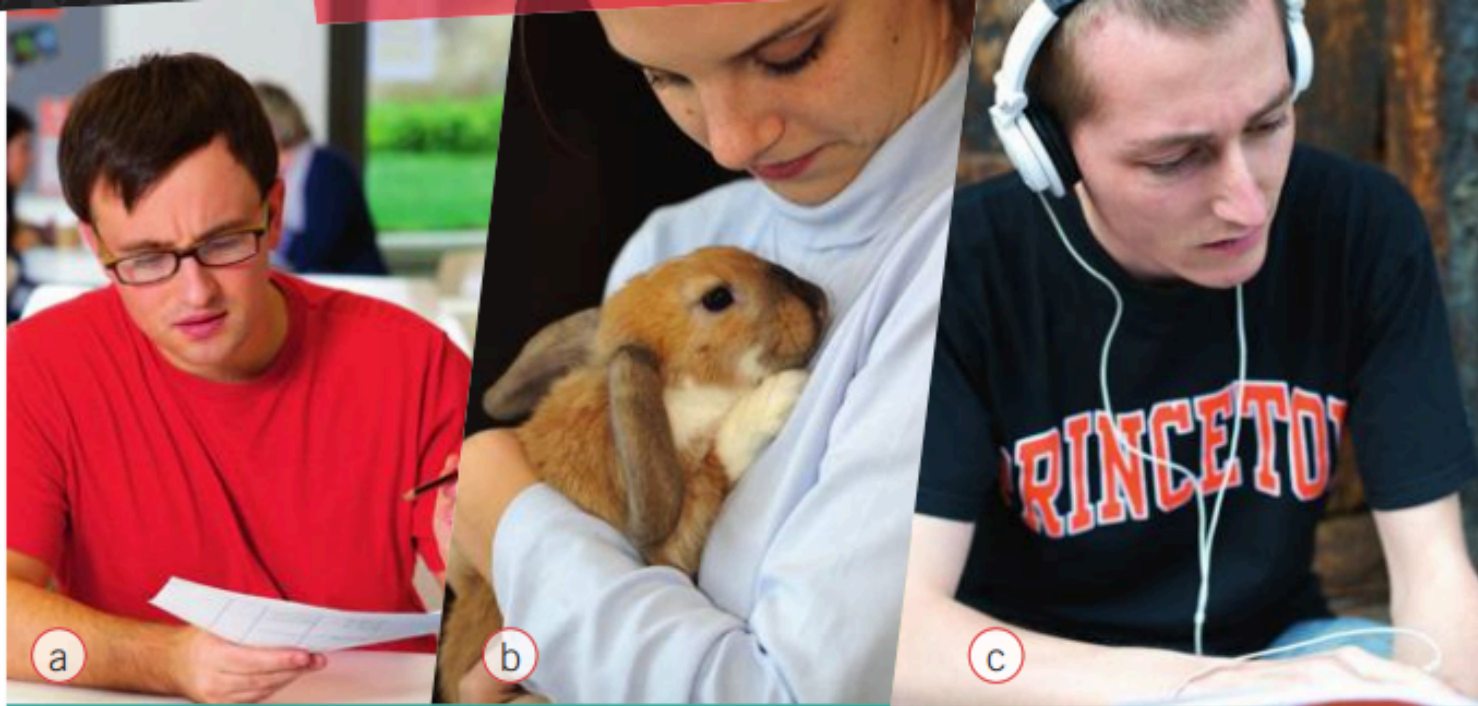
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| 2 marks | 4 a test |

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Reading



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Home Forums Articles Revision

Exam stress!

Hi guys! I have a big exam on Friday. It's really hard to study. I read my study notes for an hour and then I watch really bad TV programmes! What about you? Do you worry about exams? What are your study habits? **MIMI23**

1 Yeah I hate tests. They're really difficult and I can't always remember everything. I need to study every day and make lots of notes. It's not easy but it helps to listen to R&B music – really loud! It helps me think. **SOUL BOY2**

REPLY

2 I agree – exams and tests are really, really hard. In my study breaks I play with my pet rabbit. Some people say that animals stop stress and relax people. I think it's true, well, for me it is! Everybody needs a rabbit (or maybe a cat!) to help them study! **BUNNY LOVERS5**

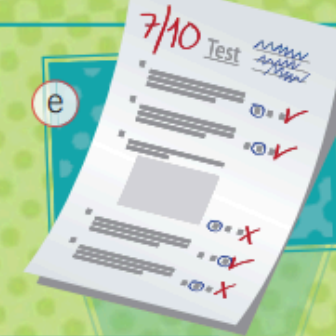
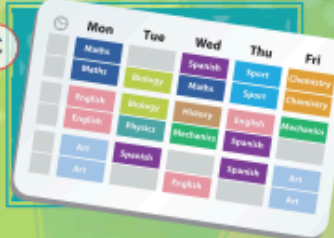
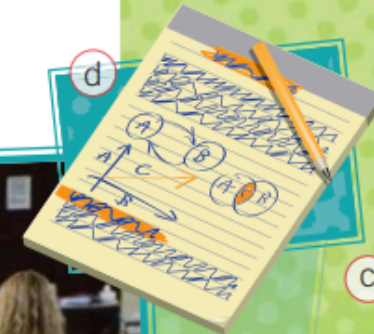
REPLY

3 I think it helps to have a good study routine. I make a study timetable and that helps me to pass my exams. I always plan lots of breaks and have a cup of tea and something small to eat. I don't want to get tired when I study! But the breaks are only short – about five or ten minutes. Then I go back to studying hard for one or two hours. Good marks come from lots of hard work! **SWOTTIES**


REPLY

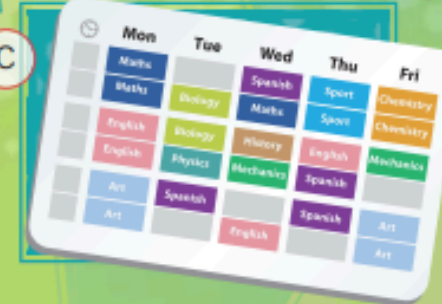
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3 LISTENING

a 1.44 Jack (SWOTTIE 8's real name) talks to Tania about her study habits. Listen and tick (✓) the things they talk about.

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| 1 <input type="checkbox"/> places to study | 3 <input type="checkbox"/> exams |
| 2 <input type="checkbox"/> hours of study | 4 <input type="checkbox"/> free time |

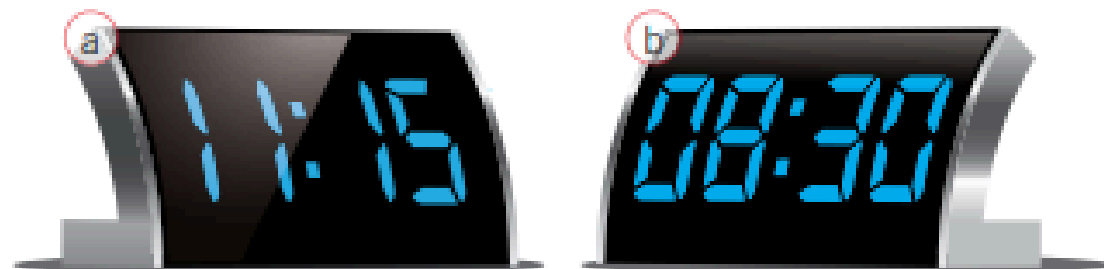
b 1.44 Listen again. Complete the information about Tania's studies.

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| • Part-time or full-time studies? | • When? |
| • Hours a week? | • Where? |

4 VOCABULARY Time

a Match the times that Tania talks about with the clocks.

- Usually at **half past eight** ...
- ... last night at **quarter past eleven**.



b Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

to past o'clock half

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| 1 four _____ | 3 (a) quarter _____ four |
| 2 _____ past four | 4 (a) quarter _____ five |

c Now go to Vocabulary Focus 2B on p.162 for more practice with Time

Numbers 2B Time

a 1.45 Match the sentences with the times below. Listen and check.

- It's (a) quarter past four. *or* It's four fifteen.
- It's half past four. *or* It's four thirty.
- It's (a) quarter to five. *or* It's four forty-five.
- It's twenty past four. *or* It's four twenty.
- It's ten to five. *or* It's four fifty.
- It's five past four. *or* It's four oh five.
- It's twenty-five to five. *or* It's four thirty-five.
- It's four minutes to five. *or* It's four fifty-six.
- It's seven minutes past four. *or* It's four oh seven.



b Write down five different times in numbers. Ask your partner to say your times.

c Now go back to p.23

5 GRAMMAR Present simple: questions

a 1.46 Look at the questions. Which is correct? Listen and check.

- You study full-time or part-time?
- Do you study full-time or part-time?
- Study you full-time or part-time?

b Complete the questions with one word.

- _____ ... you study part-time?
 _____ ... they like tests?

c 1.47 Jack asks Tania about her daughter, Ellie. Listen and complete the information about Ellie's studies.

- Hours a week?
- When?
- Where?

d Read the question Jack asks Tania.

Does she study more before an exam?

Look at the questions in 5b. How are they different? Why?

e Now go to Grammar Focus 2B on p.138

f 1.49 Put the questions in the correct order. Listen and check.

- a week / do you study / hours / how many?
- study grammar / or vocabulary / do you?
- you / when / study / do?
- study / do / where / you?

g 1.49 **Pronunciation** Notice the pronunciation of *do you* in each question. Can you hear both words clearly?



How to tell the time



1. What's the word?

Write the word under the pictures.

pizza five o'clock quarter past five half past five quarter to six five past six
 twenty past six twenty-five past six twenty-five to seven twenty to seven ten to seven five to seven

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| | pizza | | | | |
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2. Fill it in!

Watch the video. Write the missing words in the sentences.

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| o'clock | time | quarter past | hours | minutes | fives | quarter to | half past |
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- Emily is learning how to tell the time.
- The little hand shows us the _____.
- The big hand shows us the _____.
- When the big hand is pointing to the twelve, we say it's _____.
- When the big hand is pointing to the three, we say it's _____.
- When the big hand is pointing to the six, we say it's _____.
- When the big hand is pointing to the nine, we say it's _____.
- For other times, we count the minutes in _____.

3. What's the order?

Watch the video. Put the sentences in the correct order.

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It's quarter past five.

It's twenty past six.

It's five o'clock.

It's ten to seven.

It's twenty-five to seven.

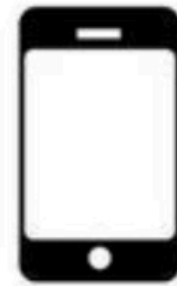
It's quarter to six.

It's five past six.

It's half past five.

8 Simple Ways to

STUDY MORE EFFECTIVELY



NO PHONE



PLAN



PRIORITISE



WAKE UP
EARLIER



HARDEST TASK
FIRST



40 MIN STUDY
SESSIONS

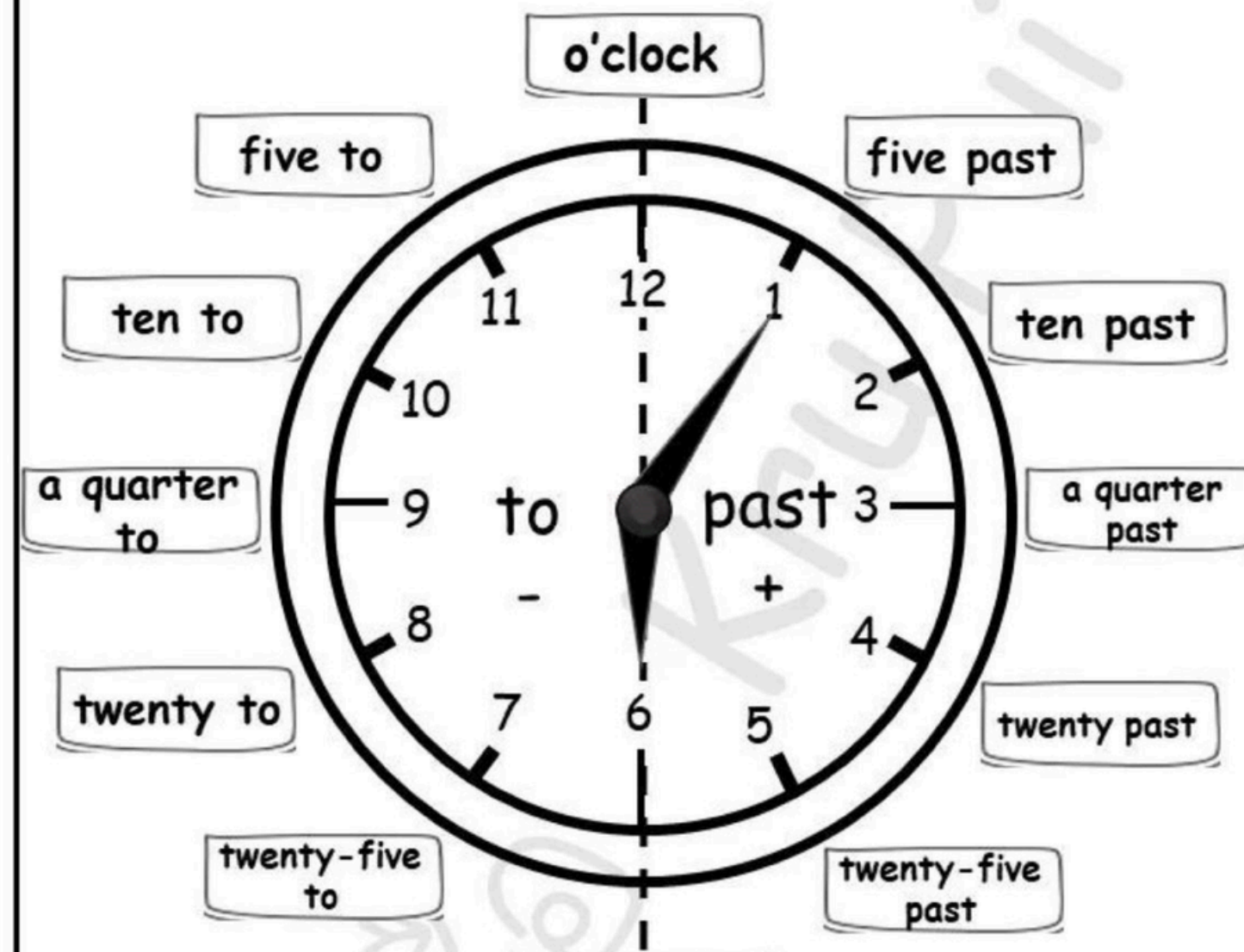


LOOK AFTER
YOURSELF



REWARD
YOURSELF

Telling the time



It's half past three.



It's four o'clock.



It's a quarter to seven.