

ELEMENTARY UNIT 6

6.1 Dates and time phrases

1 Write the months of the year in the correct order.

- 1 January
- 2 _____
- 3 _____
- 4 _____
- 5 _____
- 6 _____
- 7 _____
- 8 _____
- 9 _____
- 10 _____
- 11 _____
- 12 _____

2 Put the letters in the correct order to make six important dates.

- 1 schamrtis dya _____
- 2 wne ryea's ayd _____
- 3 eitnlvane's yad _____
- 4 leneohawl _____
- 5 nietanatnlroi enwom's yda _____
- 6 ddcpneneinee dya _____

3 Write the number in brackets in words.

- 1 My birthday is on the _____ (5th) of January.
- 2 His office is on the _____ (20th) floor of the building.
- 3 The _____ (3rd) bedroom is very small.
- 4 She got a car for her _____ (21st) birthday.
- 5 Americans celebrate independence on the _____ (4th) of July.
- 6 _____ (12th) Night comes twelve days after Christmas.
- 7 The party is on the _____ (15th) of December.
- 8 The last day of June is the _____ (30th).

4 Underline the correct alternatives.

- 1 Ago/Last weekend I went to the beach.
- 2 What are you doing on/in Saturday?
- 3 I met my husband six years ago/yesterday.
- 4 I usually have my holiday on/in July.
- 5 Where did you go last/yesterday week?
- 6 Mother's Day is in/on the 8th May this year.
- 7 I went to Greece six months ago/in.
- 8 On/Last month we went to France.

6.2 Life story collocations

5 Complete the conversations with the words in the box. Use each word once.

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- 1 **A:** Where did you _____ your husband?
B: At a friend's party.
- 2 **A:** When do you _____ your new job?
B: Next week. I'm really excited about it.
- 3 **A:** What company do you _____ for now?
B: Google. It's a really interesting job.
- 4 **A:** When I was young, I really wanted to _____ a singer.
B: Did you? Do you sing well then?
- 5 **A:** What age do people _____ to university in your country?
B: Eighteen or nineteen usually.
- 6 **A:** What do you think is the best age to _____ married?
B: Maybe twenty-eight?

6.3 Activities

6 Complete each group of sentences a)–c) with the same verb.

- 1 **a)** Don't ring me at work, just _____ a text.
b) Most days I _____ about 100 emails!
c) I _____ to my sister every week. She loves getting letters.
- 2 **a)** Do you want to _____ a film tonight?
b) I usually _____ my friends on Saturday night.
c) On Christmas Day I try to _____ my whole family.
- 3 **a)** I must _____ my English homework tonight.
b) How long does it take you to _____ the housework?
c) You _____ nothing to help in the house.
- 4 **a)** When I _____ to the gym, I always have a swim.
b) Would you like to _____ for a walk along the seafront?
c) We have no food in the cupboards, I must _____ shopping.

Other vocabulary

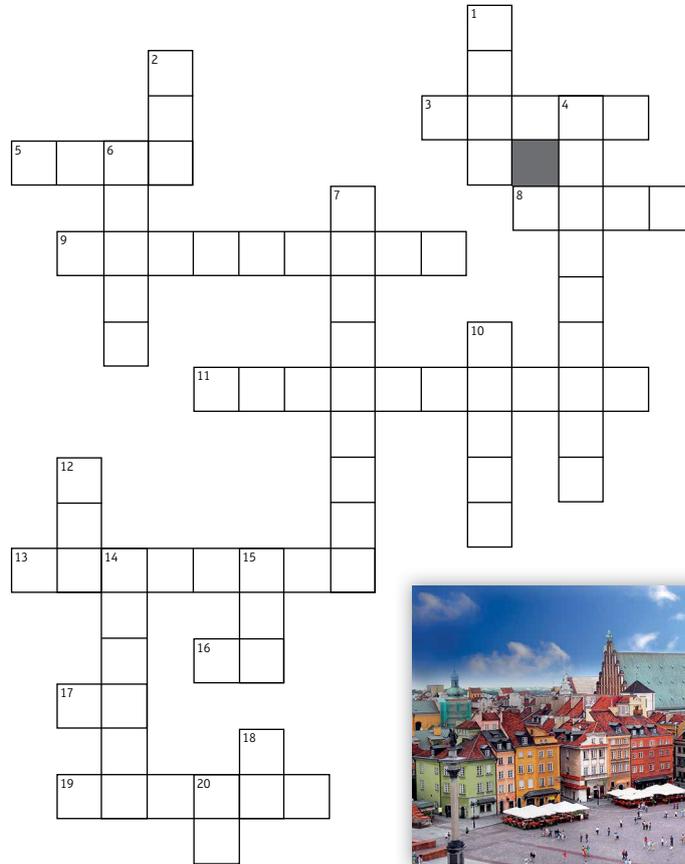
7 Match words 1–8 with their meanings a)–h).

- 1 millionaire
- 2 app
- 3 poor
- 4 perfect
- 5 shy
- 6 terrible
- 7 violence
- 8 motorbike

- a) the opposite of rich
- b) a kind of computer program
- c) not having any mistakes or problems
- d) someone who is very rich
- e) a vehicle with two wheels and an engine
- f) very bad
- g) hurting someone else physically
- h) finding it difficult to meet or speak to people

Crossword

8 Use the clues to complete the crossword with words and phrases from Unit 6.



Across

- 3 Can you _____ me an email? (5)
- 5 _____ weekend we went on a tour of the city. (4)
- 8 **A:** How did you _____ your wife? (4)
B: Through friends.
- 9 People celebrate _____ on the 31st October. (9)
- 11 I always send my boyfriend a card on _____ Day. (10)
- 13 _____ is the second month of the year. (8)
- 16 Let's _____ for a walk. (2)
- 17 Can you help me _____ the housework? (2)
- 19 Maria has two sons. Her first son is called Josh, her _____ son is called Danny.

Down

- 1 I _____ as a waitress. I don't get much money, but I do get tips. (5)
- 2 I love you! Let's _____ married! (3)
- 4 My office is on the nineteenth floor of the building. The next floor up is the _____. (9)
- 6 He's leaving his job because he's going to _____ his own company. (5)
- 7 The day before today is called _____. (9)
- 10 If the week begins on Monday, Friday is the _____ day. (5)
- 12 Sorry, I can't work this weekend. I'm going to _____ my family. (3)
- 14 You need to work hard if you want to _____ a chef. (6)
- 15 I lived in Poland a few years _____. (3)
- 18 I usually go skiing _____ January. (2)
- 20 I'm going to the opera _____ Sunday night. (2)