

**SECOND
EDITION**

Life

STUDENT'S BOOK | BEGINNER

 **NATIONAL
GEOGRAPHIC**
LEARNING

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Pronunciation	Listening	Reading	Speaking	Writing
word stress questions	introductions phone numbers	a description of two people an article about international phone calls from New York	introductions a quiz greeting people	text type: an identity card writing skill: capital letters (1)
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<i>th /ð/</i> linking with <i>can</i>	a description of Astana tourist information	describing places a description of two famous towers an article about time zones	locations famous places days and times	text type: a text message writing skill: <i>and</i>
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Unit	Grammar	Vocabulary	Real life
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Pronunciation	Listening	Reading	Speaking	Writing
intonation in questions sentence stress	a description of the Holi festival interviews about hobbies with friends	an article about a day in China an article about the seasons of the year	my partner and I a survey about hobbies activities in different seasons	text type: a profile writing skill: paragraphs
-s and -es verb endings <i>/s/ and /z/</i>	an interview about a man's job an interview about an unusual school	an article about jobs on the London Underground an article about a job in tiger conservation	jobs things we usually do animals	text type: an email writing skill: spelling: double letters
<i>there are</i> <i>I'd like, We'd like</i>	four people talking about travel a conversation about a trip to Cape Town	an article about things in people's suitcases an article about a trans-Siberian trip	things in my suitcase hotels travel tips	text type: travel advice writing skill: <i>because</i>
<i>was/were</i> weak forms sentence stress	a profile of Ayrton Senna a radio programme about people we remember	a quiz about 'firsts' in exploration an article about the first people in the American continents	dates and events people in my past who was he/she?	text type: an email writing skill: expressions in emails
-ed regular past simple verbs <i>did you ... ?</i> <i>didn't</i>	a story from Timbuktu, Mali an interview with a woman from New Orleans	an article about an unusual discovery a story about an adventure in Madagascar	true or false? last week and last year one day last week	text type: a life story writing skill: <i>when</i>
<i>going and doing</i> <i>would you ... ?</i>	three people talk about weekend activities a description of a family in Indonesia	a short message about next weekend an article about helping people at the weekend	my photos next weekend a special weekend	text type: a thank you note writing skill: spelling: verb endings

Life around the world – in 12 videos

Unit 10 Old computers



Find out about computers from the 1980s.

Unit 6 At the market



Meet people at a market in an English city.

Unit 8 The London Tube

Meet a Tube driver at work.

Unit 3 Chinese New Year in London

Find out about street celebrations.

Unit 4 Where's that?

A video quiz about four cities.

Unit 12 A day in the life of a lighthouse keeper



At the lighthouse at Cabo Polonio, Uruguay.

Unit 9 The people of the reindeer



Find out about the life of the Sami people.

Unit 11 True stories

Four people tell their stories. Are they true or false?

Unit 5 What's your favourite gadget?

Two people talk about their favourite gadget.

Unit 1 My top ten photos

A photographer talks about his favourite photos.

Unit 7 The elephants of Samburu



Find out about elephants in the Samburu National Park.

Unit 2 A holiday in Australia



On holiday with two friends.

**UNIT 1
HELLO**



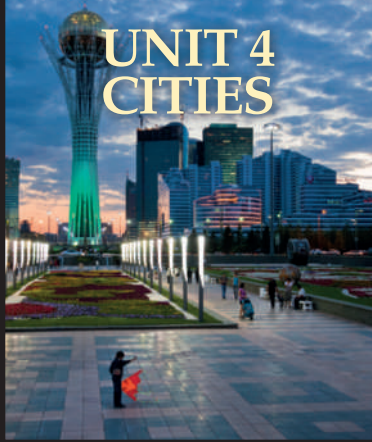
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HOLIDAYS**



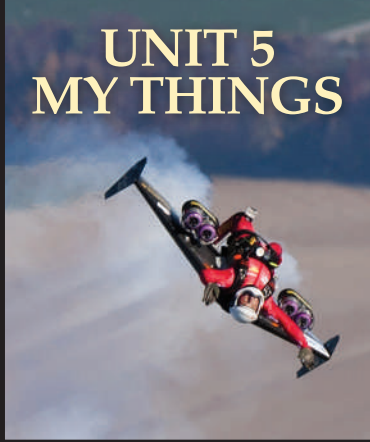
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FAMILY AND
FRIENDS**



**UNIT 4
CITIES**



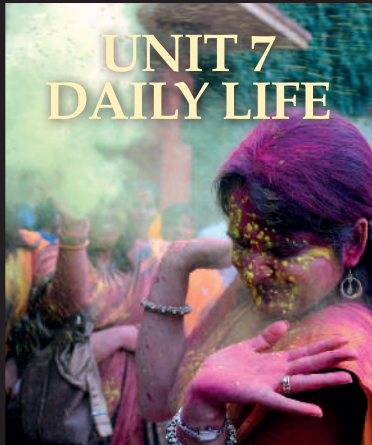
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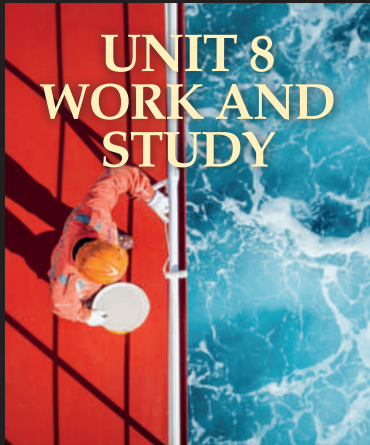
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WE LOVE IT!**



**UNIT 7
DAILY LIFE**



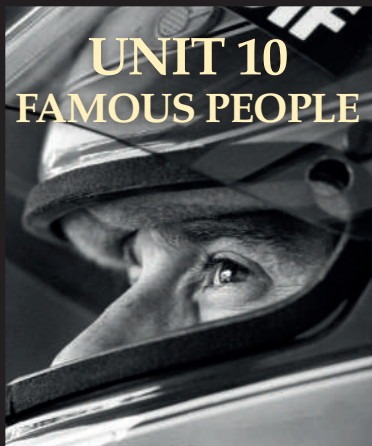
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WORK AND
STUDY**



**UNIT 9
TRAVEL**



**UNIT 10
FAMOUS PEOPLE**



**UNIT 11
TRUE STORIES**



**UNIT 12
THE WEEKEND**



David Doubilet in the Pacific Ocean, Australia



FEATURES

10 People

People from National Geographic

12 People and places

Photos from National Geographic

14 Phone calls from New York

Phone calls from New York

18 My top ten photos

A video about National Geographic photos

1 ▶ **1** Look at the photo. Listen and read.

Hello! I'm David.

2 ▶ **1** Listen again and repeat.

3 Say your name.

Hello! I'm

4 Work in pairs.

Hello! I'm Dani.

Hello! I'm Lee.

1a People

Listening

1  2 Listen and read.

1

D: Hello. I'm David.
M: Hi. I'm Mireya.
D: Mireya Mayor?
M: Yes.

2

D: Hi! I'm David Doubilet.
M: Hello.
D: Oh! You're Mireya!
M: Yes. I'm Mireya Mayor.

3

D: Hello. I'm David Doubilet.
M: I'm Mireya.
D: Mireya?
M: Yes. M-I-R-E-Y-A.
D: Hi. Nice to meet you.

NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC PEOPLE

David Doubilet



Mireya Mayor



Vocabulary the alphabet

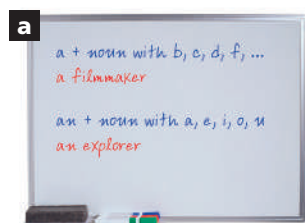
2 ▶ 3 Listen and repeat.

Aa Bb Cc Dd Ee Ff Gg
 Hh Ii Jj Kk Ll Mm Nn
 Oo Pp Qq Rr Ss Tt Uu
 Vv Ww Xx Yy Zz

3 ▶ 4 Say the letters. Listen. Write the letters.

A	B	F	I	O	Q	R
H	C	L				
	D					

4 ▶ 5 Listen and repeat.



board



book



chair



desk



door



window

5 Work in pairs.
 Student A: Say the letters.
 Student B: Say the word.

C-H-A-I-R

chair

yes

6 ▶ 6 Listen. Write the names.

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4

7 Work in pairs.
 Student A: Spell your name.
 Student B: Write the name.

Grammar be: I + am, you + are

▶ BE: I + AM, YOU + ARE

I'm | Alex.
 You're | Mireya.

(I'm = I am, You're = You are)

Now look at page 158.

8 Write I or You.

S: Hello.'m Sandra.

K: Hi!

S: Oh!'re Kim!

K: Yes,'m Kim Smith.

Speaking my life

9 ▶ 7 Listen and read. Speak to other students.

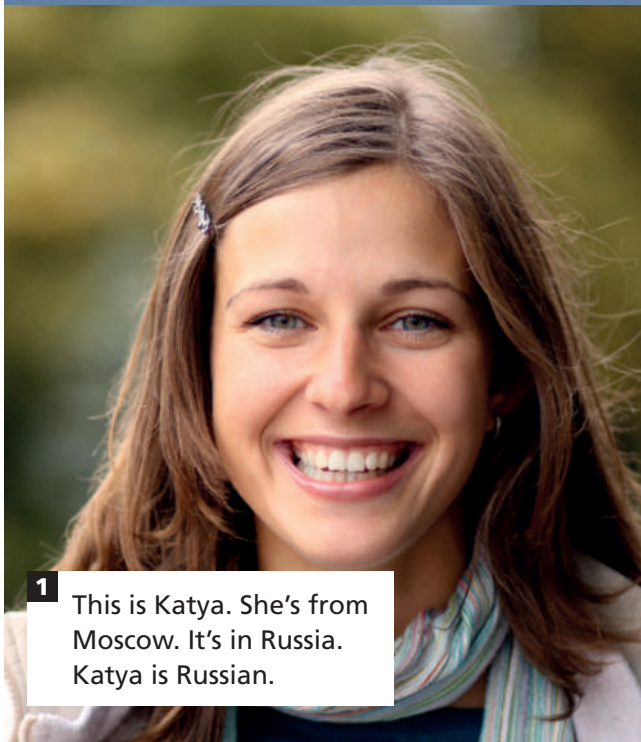
Hi, I'm Carlos.

Hello. I'm Sonia. Nice to meet you, Carlos.

Nice to meet you, Sonia.

1b People and places

PEOPLE AND PLACES



1 This is Katya. She's from Moscow. It's in Russia. Katya is Russian.



2 This is Lukas. He's from Cape Town. It's in South Africa. Lukas is South African.

Reading

1 ▶ **8** Read and listen.

2 Write the words in the table.

	Photo 1	Photo 2
Name	Katya	
Country		
Nationality		South African

Vocabulary countries and nationalities

3 ▶ **9** Write the words in the table. Listen and check.

Egyptian Mexico Spanish
the United States

	Country	Nationality
1	Brazil	Brazilian
2	Egypt
3	Italy	Italian
4	Mexican
5	Russia	Russian
6	South Africa	South African
7	Spain
8	the United Kingdom	British
9	American
10	Vietnam	Vietnamese

4 Pronunciation word stress

▶ **10** Listen and repeat the countries. Copy the stress.

• •
Brazil

• • •
Mexico

Grammar be: he/she/it + is

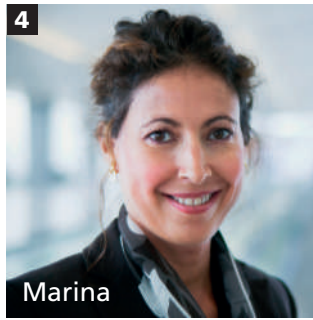
▶ BE: HE/SHE/IT + IS

He		from Russia.
She	is	Russian.
It		in Russia.

(He's, She's, It's = He is, She is, It is)

Now look at page 158.

5 Look at the photos. Write *He is*, *She is* or *It is*.



- 1 Tran is from Hanoi. _____ in Vietnam. _____ Vietnamese.
- 2 Juan is from Seville. _____ in Spain. _____ Spanish.
- 3 Krishnan is from Chicago. _____ in the United States. _____ American.
- 4 Marina is from Milan. _____ in Italy. _____ Italian.

6 Write the information. Show your partner.

	You
Name	
Place	
Country	
Nationality	

7 Tell the class about your partner.

This is Kira. She's from France. She's French.

Vocabulary numbers 1–10

8 ▶ 11 Write the numbers (1–10). Listen and repeat.

- | | | |
|--------|-------|-------|
| 0 zero | four | eight |
| one | five | nine |
| two | six | ten |
| three | seven | |

9 ▶ 12 Look at the table in Exercise 3. Listen. Say the country.

'seven' *Spain*

10 ▶ 13 Look at the table in Exercise 3. Listen. Say the number.

'Spain' *seven*

Speaking *my life*

11 ▶ 14 Work in pairs. Do the quiz. Listen and check.

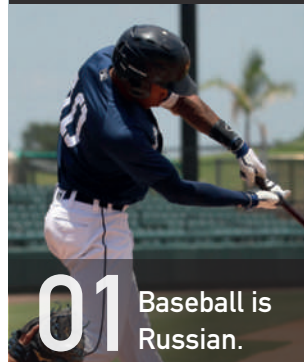
Baseball is Russian.

False. It's American.

QUIZ

TRUE OR FALSE?

around the world



01 Baseball is Russian.



02 Pasta is from South Africa.



03 Jaguar is British.



04 Flamenco is from Italy.

12 Work in pairs. Write an 'Around the world' quiz. Write four sentences. Test the class.

1c Phone calls from New York

Reading

- 1 Read *Phone calls from New York* on page 15. Underline four countries.
- 2 Read again. Write the names.
 - 1 is a teacher.
 - 2 is Mexican.
 - 3 is from Canada.
 - 4 is Indian.

Listening

- 3 ▶ 15 Listen to Anne-Marie. Tick (✓) the phone number (a or b).

a 718 730 7121 b 718 760 7101
- 4 ▶ 16 Listen to Nelson. Write.
 - 1 work phone number
 - 2 home phone number

Grammar my, your

▶ MY, YOUR

What's **your** phone number?
My phone number is 718 760 7101.

Now look at page 158.

- 5 Write *my* or *your*.

R: Hi. ¹ name's Ramon.
 N: Hello. I'm Nelson.
 ...
 N: Ramon, what's ² phone number?
 R: ³ work number is 917 275 6975.
 N: Thanks. What's ⁴ mobile number?
 R: It's 917 398 9763.
 N: Thanks.

- 6 Work in pairs. Ask and answer questions.



mobile number







work number



home number

Vocabulary greetings

- 7 ▶ 17 Write the expressions in the correct places. Listen and repeat.

Bye Hello	
	 Good morning.
Hi. 1	 Good afternoon.
	 Good evening.

Goodnight. 	
Goodbye. 2	See you later.

- 8 ▶ 18 Listen to two conversations. Write the numbers (1 or 2).

Bye, Anne-Marie.
 Fine, thanks. And you?
 Good morning, Ramon.
 How are you?
 I'm OK.
 Goodnight, Ramon.

- 9 ▶ 19 Listen and repeat the conversations.

Speaking my life

- 10 Practise the conversations in Exercise 8 with your class.

Good afternoon, Vicente. How are you?



PHONE CALLS FROM NEW YORK - THE TOP TEN COUNTRIES

▶ 20



My name's Nina. I'm a student. I'm in New York. My family is in India. I'm Indian.



My name's Anne-Marie. I'm in New York. I'm a student. I'm Canadian. My family is in Canada. Canada is the number 1 country for international phone calls from New York.



My name's Ramon. I'm a doctor. I'm in New York. I'm Mexican. My family is in Mexico.



My name's Nelson. I'm Brazilian. I'm a teacher. I'm in New York. My family is in Brazil.

1d What's this in English?

Vocabulary in the classroom

1 ▶ 21 Listen. Write the words.

1



2



3



4



5



6



7



8



2 ▶ 22 Listen to the words from Exercise 1 and repeat.

3 Work in pairs. Point to a photo in Exercise 1. Ask and answer questions.

What's this in English?

It's a

Can you spell it?

Yes.

Thanks.

Real life classroom language

4 ▶ 23 Listen. Look at the classroom language box.

5 ▶ 23 Listen again. Write T (teacher) or S (student).

▶ CLASSROOM LANGUAGE

Good afternoon, everyone. *T*
 Sit down, please.
 Open your books.
 Look at page six.
 Sorry I'm late.
 Can you repeat that, please?
 I don't understand.
 Can you spell it, please?
 What's this in English?
 Do Exercise seven at home.
 See you next time.

6 Pronunciation questions

a ▶ 24 Listen and repeat the questions from the classroom language box.

b Look at the audioscript on page 182. Practise conversations 4, 6 and 7.

7 Work in pairs. Write the words. Practise the conversations.

1 T: Good morning. I'm late.
 S: That's OK. Sit down,

2 S: Can you that, please?
 T: Yes. Look at ten.

3 T: Look at the photo.
 S: I don't

1e My ID

Writing an identity card

1 Look at the ID card and find:

- 1 the name of the company
- 2 the name of the visitor



2 Writing skill capital letters (1)

a Underline the capital letters on the ID card.

b Write these words in the table.

Brazil	Nelson Pires
Brazilian	Rio de Janeiro
Portuguese	

a city	London
a country	the United Kingdom
a language	English
a name	Alex Treadway
a nationality	British

c Rewrite the sentences with the correct capital letters.

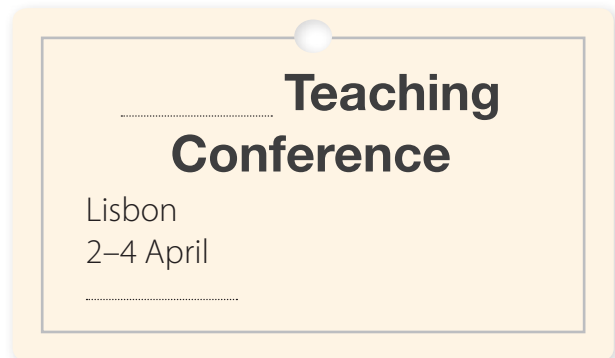
- 1 santiago is in chile.
- 2 maya davis is a teacher.
- 3 I'm chinese.
- 4 He's from tokyo.
- 5 She's from canada.
- 6 I speak french.

3 Complete the ID cards with the information. Use capital letters.

1 dublin
sean booth



2 american
cathy johnson



3 paris bangkok sydney
jan sastre



4 Write your ID card.

5 Work in pairs. Check your partner's card. Check the capital letters.