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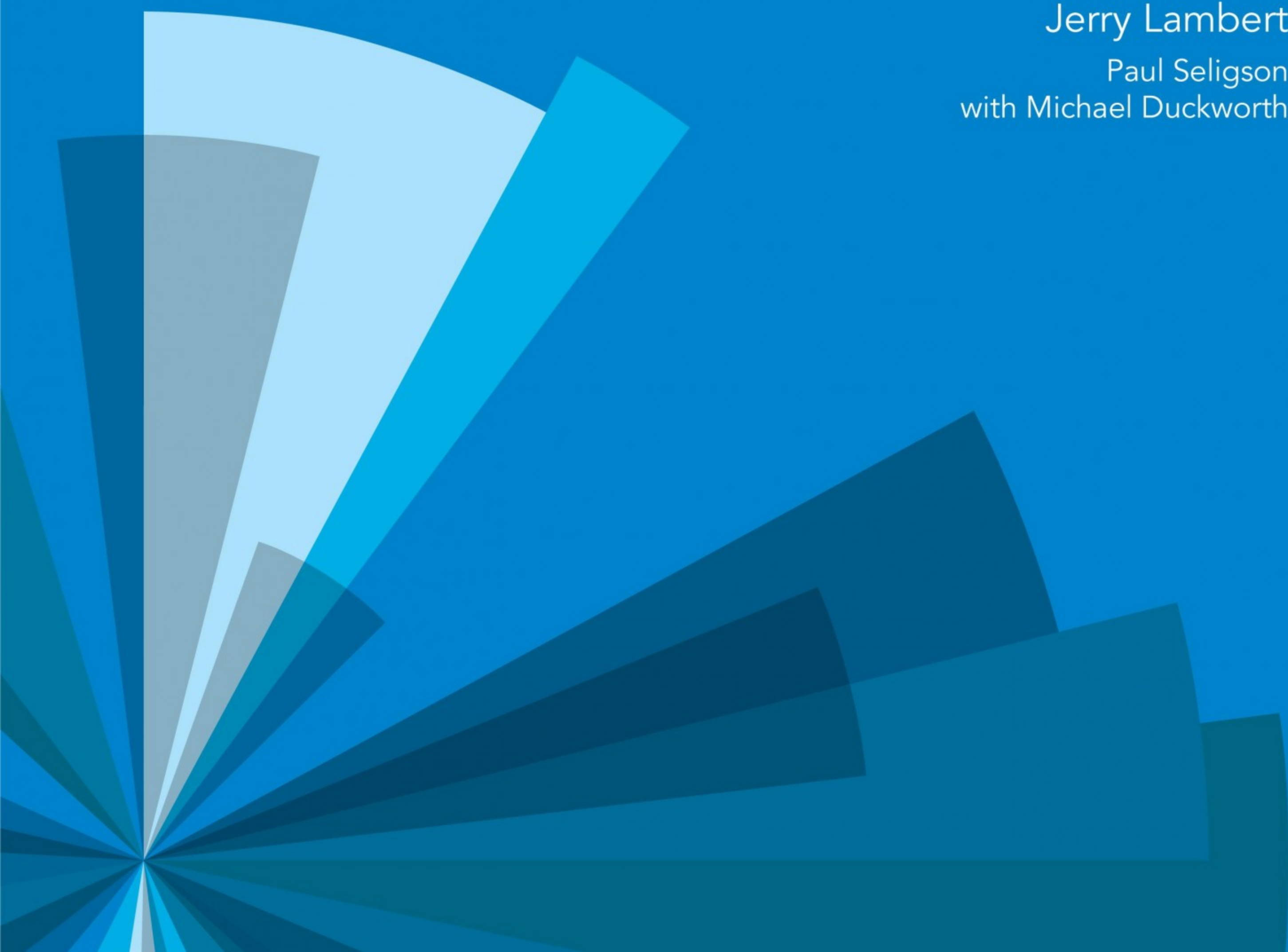
# English File

Pre-intermediate  
Workbook

e-book

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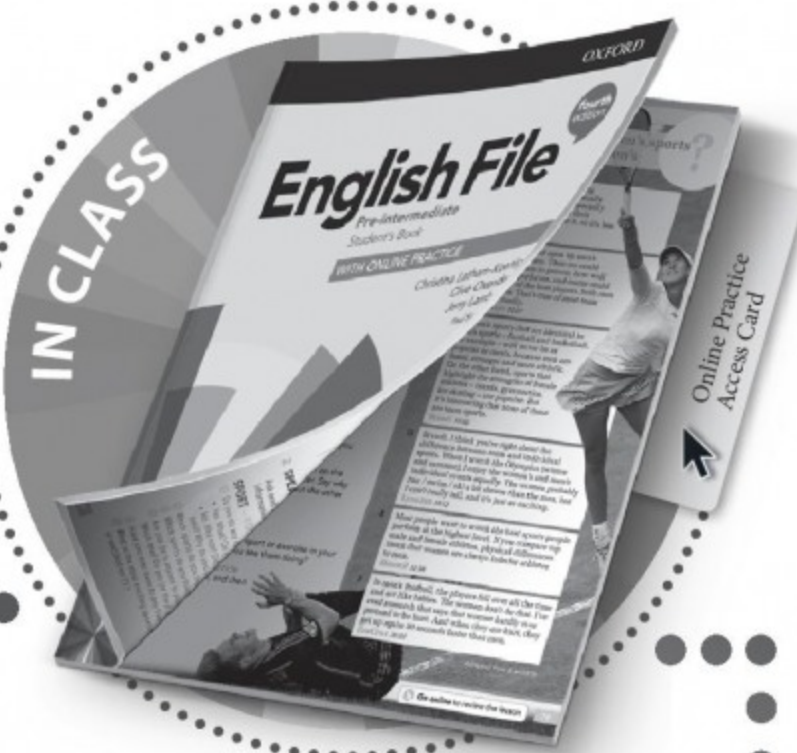


# How to use your Workbook and Online Practice

## English File<sup>fourth edition</sup>

### Student's Book

Use your Student's Book in class with your teacher.



ACTIVITIES AUDIO VIDEO RESOURCES



ONLINE

Go to **englishfileonline.com** and use the code on your Access Card to log into the Online Practice.

### Workbook

Practise **Grammar, Vocabulary**, and **Pronunciation** for every lesson.

Practise the **Practical English** for every episode.

Do the **Can you remember...?** exercises to check that you remember the Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation every two Files.

### Online Practice

Look again at the Grammar, Vocabulary, and Pronunciation from the Student's Book before you do the Workbook exercises.

Listen to the audio for the Pronunciation exercises.

Use the Sound Bank videos to practise English sounds.

Watch the Practical English videos before you do the exercises.

Use the interactive video for more Practical English practice.

Look again at the Grammar, Vocabulary and Pronunciation if you have any problems.

Practise Reading, Listening, Speaking and Writing.














- c Write questions in the present or past simple.
- Where do you live \_\_\_\_\_?  
(you / live)
  - What \_\_\_\_\_?  
(you / do last night)
  - What \_\_\_\_\_?  
(TV series / you / watch)
  - When \_\_\_\_\_?  
(your birthday)
  - Where \_\_\_\_\_?  
(you / from)
  - Where \_\_\_\_\_?  
(you / go / on holiday last year)
  - What kind of books \_\_\_\_\_?  
(you / read)




- d Answer the questions in c about you.
- \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_.

### 3 PRONUNCIATION the alphabet

a Circle the letter with a different vowel sound.

 train	1 A K <u>E</u>
 tree	2 G V R
 egg	3 N B F
 train	4 H P J
 egg	5 X S K
 tree	6 M C D
 boot	7 Q I U

- b  1.1 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the letters.
- c Complete the alphabet quiz.

# Alphabet

## QUIZ

Which letter of the alphabet sounds like...?

A	I	O	P	U	Y
1 my	___				
2 play	___				
3 you	___				
4 see	___				
5 go	___				
6 why	___				



## 1 VOCABULARY describing people

a Cross out the word which can't be used with the **bold** noun.

- 1 **hair** red curly straight tall  
 2 **eyes** blonde big blue brown  
 3 **man** thin short long overweight  
 4 **woman** medium height slim beautiful bald

b Order the letters to make words that complete the sentences.

- 1 Thanks for paying for dinner – that was very generous (enersuog).  
 2 Sarah's really \_\_\_\_\_ (nynfu). She makes me laugh.  
 3 Sam's very \_\_\_\_\_ (rdfylnei). Everybody likes him.  
 4 John never does his homework. He's very \_\_\_\_\_ (alzy).  
 5 Imogen is a \_\_\_\_\_ (eervlc) girl. She'll do well in her exams.  
 6 That was a very \_\_\_\_\_ (dinukn) thing to say.  
 7 David is quite intelligent, but sometimes he says really \_\_\_\_\_ (updlits) things.  
 8 Paula is really \_\_\_\_\_ (hsy) – she doesn't like meeting new people.  
 9 Laura's usually very \_\_\_\_\_ (iuetq) – she doesn't talk very much.

c Complete the sentences.

- 1 Does your boyfriend have brown eyes or blue eyes?  
 2 Tanya's dad doesn't have any hair. He's b\_\_\_\_\_.  
 3 Jamie's new girlfriend is really e\_\_\_\_\_ – she loves meeting new people.  
 4 My dad never shaves. He has a b\_\_\_\_\_ and a m\_\_\_\_\_.  
 5 What does your sister look l\_\_\_\_\_? Is she tall and blonde, too?  
 6 When Jake was young, he was very th\_\_\_\_\_, but now he's a bit o\_\_\_\_\_.  
 7 My dad is really h\_\_\_\_\_ -w\_\_\_\_\_ – he starts work at 7.00 and gets home at 6.00.  
 8 I'm not l\_\_\_\_\_ my sister. I don't say much, but she's very t\_\_\_\_\_ – in fact she never stops talking.  
 9 George is a very s\_\_\_\_\_ student – he works hard and wants to do well.  
 10 Dan is really m\_\_\_\_\_ – he never pays for anything.

## 2 GRAMMAR present simple

a Complete the conversation with the present simple form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 A Do your parents live together? (live)  
 B No, they don't. They're divorced now.
- 2 A \_\_\_\_\_ Louisa \_\_\_\_\_ to marry her boyfriend? (want)  
 B In a few years perhaps.
- 3 A What's the weather like where you live?  
 B It rains a lot in the winter, but it \_\_\_\_\_ often \_\_\_\_\_ in the summer. (not rain)
- 4 A What does José do in the evenings?  
 B He \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of TV. (watch)
- 5 A \_\_\_\_\_ your sister \_\_\_\_\_ Spanish? (speak)  
 B No, but she speaks English and Italian.
- 6 A \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ Monday to Friday? (work)  
 B Yes, and I usually work on Saturdays, too.
- 7 A How often do you play tennis in winter?  
 B We \_\_\_\_\_ very often because it's cold and wet. (not play)
- 8 A Does your sister like living in Italy?  
 B Yes, she \_\_\_\_\_ it. (love)



**b** Rewrite the sentences with the words in brackets in the correct place. Use contractions where possible.

- 1 My dad lives alone and he does not go out. (often)  
My dad lives alone and he doesn't often go out.
- 2 You are too old to get married. (never)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Candice sees her boyfriend. (every day)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 Alice meets people on the internet. (sometimes)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 5 It is fun to go on a date. (always)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 6 I see my wife these days. (hardly ever)  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- 7 I go out during the week. (never)  
\_\_\_\_\_.

**c** Complete the text with the correct form of the words from the list.

earn get on have live not come not like not see  
prefer share study want work



## My boyfriend Jamie

I'm very different from my boyfriend, Jamie. Jamie <sup>1</sup>works as a vet, and he <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ quite a lot of money. I'm a student, and I <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ music at university. I <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ to be a music teacher when I finish.

Jamie <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ alone in a small house in the country, and I <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ a flat with some friends in the city centre. We often <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ parties in our flat, but Jamie <sup>8</sup>\_\_\_\_\_. He's quite shy, so he <sup>9</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ being with other people. I'm quite extrovert, so I <sup>10</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ being in a group.

I <sup>11</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ Jamie very often because he's usually busy. But when we're together, we always <sup>12</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ really well. Some people say that opposites attract, and for Jamie and me, it's true.

**d** Write questions about you and your best friend, Anna.

- 1 **a** What / you / do?  
What do you do?
- b** What / Anna / do?  
What does Anna do?
- 2 **a** Where / you / live?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b** Where / Anna / live?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 3 **a** Who / you live / with?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b** Who / Anna / live with?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 4 **a** you / like going to parties?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b** Anna / like going to parties?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- 5 **a** you / be shy or extrovert?  
\_\_\_\_\_?
- b** Anna / be shy or extrovert?  
\_\_\_\_\_?

**e** Think about a good friend. Write a paragraph about the differences between you. Use the text in **c** and the questions in **d** to help you.

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## 3 PRONUNCIATION final -s and -es

**a** Circle the verb with a different final sound.

				/IZ/	/IZ/
1 snake	2 snake	3 zebra	4 zebra	5	6
works laughs <u>watches</u>	lives thinks drinks	knows rains likes	runs starts goes	leaves dresses washes	teaches cooks uses

**b** 1.2 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.



**G** present continuous **V** clothes, prepositions of place **P** /ə/ and /ɜ:/

## 1 VOCABULARY clothes, prepositions of place

a Complete the words.



1 r\_i\_ng



2 l\_gg\_ngs



3 tr\_s\_rs



4 sh\_rt



5 c\_p



6 tr\_cks\_t



7 tr\_n\_rs



8 b\_lt



9 c\_t



10 dr\_ss



11 t\_



12 sh\_rts

b Match descriptions 1–10 to a–j.

- 1 They keep your hands warm. e
- 2 This is like a shirt, but for women.
- 3 They keep your feet warm.
- 4 This keeps your neck warm.
- 5 You wear this on your head.
- 6 You wear these in your ears.
- 7 People often wear this to a job interview.
- 8 You wear these when you go to bed.
- 9 You wear this under your trousers and top.
- 10 People wear these shoes to the beach.

- |              |             |
|--------------|-------------|
| a blouse     | f hat       |
| b suit       | g pyjamas   |
| c earrings   | h scarf     |
| d flip-flops | i socks     |
| e gloves     | j underwear |



c Look at the photo, a remake of van Gogh's painting *The bedroom*. Complete the sentences with a preposition from the list.

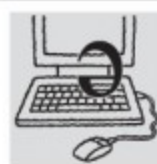
above behind between in front of  
next to on on the left under

- 1 There's a painting of a man on the left of the painting of the woman.
- 2 There are some clothes under the bed.
- 3 There's a chair between the bed and the table.
- 4 There's a small cup on the two jugs on the table.
- 5 The two pillows on the bed are next to each other.
- 6 There's a mirror on the wall the table.
- 7 The chair by the bed is in front of the window.

## 2 PRONUNCIATION /ə/ and /ɜ:/

a Write the words in the chart.

cardigan fashion prefer sandals shirt skirt  
sweater third trainers trousers T-shirt world



computer

cardigan



bird

prefer

b 1.3 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.