Having Fun

Warm-up p.6

A. Charley: 2

Mike: 1

Larry: 3

Listening 1 p.7

A. weekend, tomorrow, next day spend, clean up, heard, enjoyed movie

free, great, long

Q: c

B. 1. F

2. T

3. T

4. F

Listening 2 p.8

A. b

B. 1. d

2. d

Movie Time p.9

B. nephew

passage

travel

crater

beneath

Dictation p.10

A.

This is the story of a <u>German</u> professor,
Professor Lindenbrock and his nephew Axel.
Professor Lindenbrock is reading some stories
from Iceland that are over a <u>thousand</u> years
old. He reads something written in <u>code</u>. He
does find out what the code reads in Latin,
but it <u>still</u> makes no sense. His nephew Axel
discovers what the code says, and tells the

professor. The message talks about a <u>passage</u> to the center of the Earth. The passage begins in the <u>crater</u> of a mountain in Iceland called the Snow Mountain Glacier.

В.

Professor Lindenbrock and Axel <u>travel to</u>
Iceland. As they <u>go deeper and deeper</u> under the surface of the earth they have many scary things happen to them. They also see some wonderful and unusual things. <u>They find themselves in</u> a huge cavern that is <u>lit by</u> a strange electric gas. They find ancient trees and mushrooms that are <u>much taller than</u> houses. They discover an underground ocean. While beneath the center of the Earth, they have traveled from Iceland to Italy.

Speaking Time p.11

- 1. cave
- 2. headlamps
- 3. light
- 4. handle

Descriptive Summary p.12

B.

We are in a <u>laboratory</u>. A guy is poking an instrument into a stainless <u>steel</u> container. He's wearing heavy gloves and a <u>shield</u> over his face for <u>protection</u>. The look on his face tells us he is being very <u>careful</u> about what he is doing. A steel <u>tray</u> is in front of the container. Towards the back of the room are several steel tanks. They probably contain a gas such as oxygen.

- 1. a
- 2. c
- 3. c
- 4. b
- 5. d
- 6. d

Numbers

Warm-up p.14

A. Stacey: 1

Angie: 3

Susan: 2

Listening 1 p.15

A. happy, surprised change, pocket, jar pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters cents, bills

Q: d

B. 1. F

2. T

3. F

4. T

Listening 2 p.16

A. a

B. 1. c

2. c

Movie Time p.17

B. Rebecca

way

Shopaholics

stop

clothes

Dictation p.18

A.

Rebecca loves to go shopping. She has a <u>closet</u> full of clothes and <u>accessories</u>. Her shopping has caused her to go deeply into <u>debt</u>. On her way to a magazine company she wants to work for, she stops to <u>buy</u> a green scarf. But one of her credit cards is rejected and she is \$20 short. So she goes to a hot dog stand and offers to buy all the hot dogs

with a <u>check</u>. In return, she wants the seller to give her back change in <u>cash</u>. The salesmen will not take her check. A man, thinking Rebecca is <u>hungry</u>, gives her \$20. She uses it to buy the scarf.

В.

Then she goes to the <u>magazine company</u>. The man who talks to her about working there is Luke. He is the man who gave Rebecca the \$20. Her roommate tells Rebecca she should go to Shopaholics Anonymous. That is a group of people who <u>try to help</u> those who <u>cannot stop</u> shopping. Rebecca is told to give some of her clothes to charity. She also sells <u>most of her clothes</u> so she can <u>pay off</u> all her debt.

Speaking Time p.19

1. rack

2. shoes

3. excited

4. pair

Descriptive Summary p.20

B.

We are in a <u>bridal</u> shop. A woman is buying her <u>wedding</u> dress. She has put it <u>on</u> to see how it looks and <u>fits</u>. The lady standing <u>behind</u> her is very happy with the <u>way</u> the woman looks. She is <u>holding</u> up a part of the dress and she is laughing. There are several other dresses on <u>hangers</u>. The red haired woman sitting on the sofa is a friend of the woman buying the dress.

Unit Test p.21

1. b

2. a

3. b

4. a

5. b

6. c

Directions

Warm-up p.22

A. Alice: 3

Susan: 2

Carla: 1

Listening 1 p.23

A. garbage, recycle container, plastic bins

green, blue, black

paper, bottles, glass, cans

Q: b

B. 1. T

2. T

3. F

4. F

Listening 2 p.24

A. d

B. 1. c

2. c

Movie Time p.25

B. released

friend

back

cheated

vault

Dictation p.26

A.

Danny Ocean has just been released from <u>prison</u>. He travels to Los Angeles to <u>meet</u> his old friend, Rusty. Danny has a <u>plan</u> to get some money. Rusty <u>agrees</u> with the plan. They both go to Las Vegas to meet their old friend Reuben, who knows a lot about how casinos <u>protect</u> their money. The plan is to <u>rob</u> Bellagio, Mirage, and MGM Grand casinos.

Reuben wants to get back at Terry Benedict, the <u>owner</u> of the three casinos. Terry <u>cheated</u> Reuben out of a great deal of money at one time.

В.

Reuben agrees to provide the money it will take to <u>carry out their plan</u>. They plan to <u>break into</u> the Bellagio's vault where the money for all three casinos is kept. They believe there is <u>at least</u> \$150 million dollars in the vault. Danny and Rusty hire eight former friends, most of whom are criminals, to help steal the money. The team <u>cuts off</u> the electric power to the casino for just a few seconds. It is long enough for three of them to get into the vault without <u>setting off the alarm</u>.

Speaking Time p.27

- 1. casino
- 2. above
- 3. headphone
- 4. push

Descriptive Summary p.28

B.

Someone must have called the <u>police</u>. A <u>SWAT</u> team has been sent to the casino. The van is parked at the <u>entrance</u>. Its red and blue lights are <u>flashing</u>. People who are visiting the casino are standing and watching to <u>see</u> what is going to happen. They do not know why the SWAT team is there. Two men wearing red <u>jackets</u> have their <u>backs</u> to the van. They <u>work</u> for the casino.

- 1. b
- 2. c
- 3. c
- 4. b
- 5. a
- 6. c

Weather

Warm-up p.30

A. Cindy: 1

Susie: 3

Carol: 2

Listening 1 p.31

A. storm, wind

blow, sleep, fall, cut down

scared, worried

dog, yard, housed, cars

Q: a

B. 1. T

2. F

3. F

4. F

Listening 2 p.32

A. c

B. 1. b

2. c

Movie Time p.33

B. 1991

owner

crew

poor

Massachusetts

Dictation p.34

A.

The Perfect Storm is a true story about a fishing boat, the Andrea Gail, that is caught in the Perfect Storm of 1991. The owner of the boat, Captain Billy Tyne, has just returned to the harbor with a poor catch of fish. It is getting too late in the season to go back out into the Atlantic Ocean. It is the time of the winter storms. Captain Tyne talks his crew into

going out one more time. This time they have very good fishing.

В.

The ice machine on their boat <u>breaks</u> <u>down</u>, however. They will have to <u>get back to</u> the harbor before their catch of fish <u>begins to spoil</u>. The problem is that there is a storm between them and the harbor in Gloucester, Massachusetts. Should they wait for the storm to <u>pass by</u>, or should they try to <u>sail through it</u>? They decide to sail through it. What they do not know is that two very powerful storms are coming together. What makes things <u>even worse</u> is that a hurricane is also coming in their direction.

Speaking Time p.35

1. weather

2. coast

3. hurricane

4. worried

Descriptive Summary p.36

В.

Several men are on the <u>deck</u> of a fishing boat. A large fish has just been <u>caught</u> and taken aboard. It takes two of the men to <u>carry</u> the fish. Two other men are working with the heavy <u>wires</u> used to catch the fish. The deck is quite red with <u>blood</u> from the fish that have already been caught. The men are wearing nylon <u>gear</u> designed to help keep them <u>dry</u>. The deck can be very <u>slippery</u> if the boat is moving.

Unit Test p.37

1. c

2. b

3. c

4. a

5. d

Feelings

Warm-up p.38

A. Carol: 3

Tess: 1

Sandra: 2

Listening 1 p.39

A. exciting, unreal, crazy match, championship win, scored, goal, lose
 2nd half, crowd, corner kick

Q: c

B. 1. T

2. F

3. T

4. T

Listening 2 p.40

A. a

B. 1. c

2. c

Movie Time p.41

B. 2,500

belonged

nephew

take

throw

Dictation p.42

A.

Bilbo Baggins, a Hobbit who lives in Middle Earth, <u>finds</u> a ring that has been <u>lost</u> in a river for 2,500 years. The ring once <u>belonged</u> to the Dark Lord Sauron, who although <u>dead</u>, still lives in the ring. The ring has <u>evil</u> powers. Years later, Bilbo gives the ring to his nephew, Frodo. The <u>forces</u> of the Dark Lord Sauron learn that the ring has been found. The

wizard Gandalf, knowing the forces of Sauron are coming for the ring, tells Frodo and his friend Sam to take the ring and <u>leave</u> the place where they live.

В.

Frodo and Sam are joined by Merry and Pippin, and later by the ranger Aragorn, who hides them from Sauron's evil forces. Frodo is hurt during a battle with the evil forces, but escapes and gets well. Frodo then learns he has been chosen to destroy the evil ring. The travelers form the Fellowship of The Ring. Their goal is to throw the ring into the fires of Mount Doom to destroy it.

Speaking Time p.43

- 1. find out
- 2. globe
- 3. top
- 4. beard

Descriptive Summary p.44

В.

An old man is sitting in a chair <u>beside</u> the bed. He is smoking a pipe that has a long <u>stem</u>. A young boy is <u>lying</u> in the bed. He is not awake. He may be sick or <u>hurt</u>. The man is not saying anything to the boy. He is just watching him and waiting for him to <u>wake</u> up. The room has many <u>decorations</u>. The bed's headboard has a <u>carved</u> angel. The angel is looking <u>down</u> towards the boy.

- 1. a
- 2. c
- 3. c
- 4. d
- 5. a
- 6. d

Famous People

Warm-up p.46

A. Cathy: 3
Paula: 1
Carrie: 2

Listening 1 p.47

A. person, cartoonist wrote, books, read smart, easy, fun college, United States, England Q: a
B. 1. F

2. F

3. F

4. T

Listening 2 p.48

A.

Kate Middleton worked for a clothing store. She wanted to be a photographer. Now she's married to the Prince of England. She looked very beautiful in her wedding dress. She has become a princess. Princess Kate has a sister named Pippa. Pippa went to the royal wedding in a white dress.

Movie Time p.49

B. during officer meeting bomb kill

Dictation p.50

Α.

Valkyrie is a true story about an officer in the German army during World War II. The officer is Colonel Claus von Stauffenberg. He is badly wounded while serving with the German army in Tunisia, losing an eye and one hand. He is sent home to Germany. Another officer, General von Tresckow tries to kill Adolf Hitler, but does not succeed. He then asks Col. von

Stauffenberg to kill Hitler. Stauffenberg joins the resistance movement and offers to carry out the attempt.

В.

The group decides to use Hitler's own emergency plan known as Operation Valkyrie to <u>carry out</u> their plan. Stauffenberg goes to a meeting Hitler is having <u>with his staff</u>. He brings a briefcase to the meeting. It has a bomb in it. He places the briefcase under the table where Hitler and his staff are looking at some papers. <u>Moments later</u> the bomb explodes. Hitler is <u>saved by</u> the table leg. He is hurt, but has not been killed as was hoped. Stauffenberg and the others are arrested and later killed.

Speaking Time p.51

1. hospital

2. injured

3. bandage

4. uniform

Descriptive Summary p.52

В.

A man in uniform has just <u>entered</u> the room. It is a <u>dining</u> hall. The man is an officer in the German army. He is standing at <u>attention</u> as if he is talking to someone who has a higher <u>rank</u> than he does. A woman is pushing a <u>cart</u>. She works in the <u>kitchen</u>. She wears a <u>net</u> in her hair. There are coffee pots on the cart. There are two large <u>flags</u> on the wall. They each have a swastika.

Unit Test p.53

1. c

2. b

3. b

4. c

- 5. He's a magician. Maybe a rabbit is about to come out of the hat.
- 6. The women are wearing a colorful dress. They're holding the ends of their dress up with both of their hands.

Health

Warm-up p.54

A. Clara: 2

Jean: 3

Denise: 1

Listening 1 p.55

A. softball, volleyball

glove

sports, active, fun

healthy, weight

Q: b

B. 1. F

2. F

3. T

4. T

Listening 2 p.56

A. c

B. 1. b

2. b

Movie Time p.57

B. future

fighting

energy

pods

Neo

Dictation p.58

A.

It is nearly 200 years in the future. Humans are fighting a war <u>against</u> intelligent computers. The computers began to use humans as their <u>source</u> of energy. They <u>grew</u> people in pods and used the people's <u>internal</u> energy as a power source. People who are <u>connected</u> to the computer are a part of the Matrix. They think that they are a part of the

<u>real</u> world, but they are not. Free humans, led by a man named Morpheus, try to <u>unplug</u> the humans from the pods to <u>free</u> them from being a part of the Matrix.

В.

A <u>computer hacker</u>, Thomas Anderson, who uses the name Neo, is part of the <u>rescue</u> <u>team</u>. He was once in a pod himself, and part of the Matrix, but was rescued by Morpheus. Neo has a socket in his skull. It was placed there when he was in the pod. He can <u>upload information through the socket</u>. Agents of the Matrix chase Neo and try to kill him. However, he now knows how to fight and destroy the Matrix.

Speaking Time p.59

- 1. agents
- 2. tied
- 3. needle
- 4. threatening

Descriptive Summary p.60

В.

Three people are seated in chairs. The chairs look like the ones seen in a spacecraft. All three people have their eyes closed. They may be asleep. Or, they may be in a spacecraft taking them from one place to another. The men are not wearing uniforms. They do not seem to be strapped into their seats. There is a great deal of electronic equipment near them. These people do not look like astronauts.

- 1. d
- 2. c
- 3. a
- 4. a
- 5. c
- 6. b

Sports

Warm-up p.62

A. Tom: 3

Jerry: 1

Eric: 2

Listening 1 p.63

A. question, boys, girls enough, different, fun rules, defense, position players, batters, pitcher, person

Q: a

B. 1. F

2. T

3. T

4. T

Listening 2 p.64

A. d

B. 1. a

2. c

Movie Time p.65

B. 1962

new

fence

in

autograph

Dictation p.66

A.

The Sandlot is about a <u>bunch</u> of young boys playing baseball in 1962. A <u>new</u> boy in the <u>neighborhood</u>, Scotty, joins them, although he has <u>never</u> played much baseball. He makes many <u>mistakes</u>, and the other boys make fun of him. Scotty <u>leaves</u> the sandlot, but the best player of all the boys <u>asks</u> him to come back. Scotty becomes a <u>better</u> player.

В.

One day when they're playing a game, the baseball comes apart. Scotty runs to his house and gets a ball his stepfather owns. The game continues. The baseball has Babe Ruth's autograph on it, so it is very valuable. One of the players hits it over the fence. After several tries to get the ball back, Scotty decides to go in after it. He thinks he can outrun The Beast, a 300 pound dog. He gets the ball, but The Beast chases him through the town. During the chase a fence falls on The Beast, hurting it. Scotty gets the dog free, and the dog becomes friendly with him.

Speaking Time p.67

- 1. sandlot
- 2. bat
- 3. angry
- 4. hit

Descriptive Summary p.68

В.

The boys are sitting and waiting for something. They must be planning on having a sandlot baseball game. They each have their baseball glove with them. A baseball bat is leaning against a box. One of the boys has another baseball bat with him. All but two of the boys are wearing a baseball cap. The caps are not all the same. There is a car behind the boys. It looks like a car you would see in the 1960's.

- 1. c
- 2. c
- 3. a
- 4. c
- 5. d
- 6. a

Advertisements

Warm-up p.70

A. Amy: 1

Reina: 3

Susie: 2

Listening 1 p.71

A. make, eat, wear, use

quilt, squares

enough, easy

video, online, watch

Q: d

B. 1. F

2. T

3. F

4. F

Listening 2 p.72

A. b

B. 1. She's sitting in the back of a car.

2. She's putting on makeup.

Movie Time p.73

B. architect

store

universal

control

skip

Dictation p.74

A.

Michael Newman is an overworked <u>architect</u>. He becomes easily <u>upset</u> and one day becomes angry with all the <u>remotes</u> around his house. He decides to buy a <u>universal</u> remote that can be used for the TV and all of the other <u>electronic</u> equipment in his house. He goes to a store called "Bed, Bath and Beyond" in search of such a remote. A clerk

named Morty hands him the universal remote. Morty tells Michael he can have the remote, but can never return it.

В.

Michael finds that he can control everything with this remote. He can fast forward to skip over unpleasant events, like fights with his wife. He can skip ahead in time. He is told he might be the chairman of his company in ten years time. He skips ahead to that time. He finds he has become fat, his wife has left him, he lives alone, and his children hate him. Michael suddenly wakes up in Bed, Bath and Beyond. He has been given a second chance to live a better life. Michael throws the universal remote away.

Speaking Time p.75

- 1. find
- 2. stacked
- 3. pillows
- 4. signs

Descriptive Summary p.76

B.

The person on the television monitor looks very pleased. It says "Architect of the Year" on the <u>screen</u>. He must feel very <u>important</u>. Several people are <u>watching</u> him on the monitor. We are at an architecture <u>show</u>. It is in a very <u>modern</u> building. There are quite a few things on <u>display</u>. Some people are looking at the displays, others are sitting and talking. Most of the men are wearing suits.

- 1. b
- 2. a
- 3. b
- 4. c
- 5. She's riding a merry-go-round.
- 6. She's arranging some flowers.

Unit 10 Spiders

Warm-up p.78

- A. 1. Spiders use silk to make webs.
 - 2. The spider is catching its meal.
 - 3. The spiders are going down a string.

Listening 1 p.79

A. spiders, web, tarantula afraid, dangerous bite, hurt, bother pets, pictures

Q: b

B. 1. F

2. T

3. F

4. T

Listening 2 p.80

A. d

B. 1. c

2. b

Movie Time p.81

B. lives

visit

Peter

kill

work

Dictation p.82

A.

High school student Peter Parker lives in New York City. During a visit to a scientific laboratory, Peter is bitten by a spider. The next morning he discovers that he sees things more clearly, is much stronger and quicker, and can make web-like strings come from his wrists. Peter practices his new powers by climbing over high walls, jumping from

<u>rooftop</u> to rooftop, and swinging on web-like strings through the city. Peter takes on the identity of Spider-Man, and decides to spend his life fighting crime.

B.

No one knows that Spider-Man and Peter Parker are one and the same. Dr. Osborn is the father of Peter's friend. He drinks a liquid that is designed to make people stronger. It does so, but also makes him an evil person. Dr. Osborn takes on the name the "Green Goblin." The Green Goblin wants Spider-Man to work with him, but Spider-Man says no. The Green Goblin then tries to kill Spider-Man, but Spider-Man wins, and the Green Goblin is killed.

Speaking Time p.83

- 1. webs
- 2. listening
- 3. sheet
- 4. reflection

Descriptive Summary p.84

B.

There is a <u>fire</u>. It is still <u>burning</u>, and the firemen are there. Spider-Man is there, too. He is holding a small <u>bundle</u>. He is holding it very <u>carefully</u>. It must be a small baby. Spider-Man has just <u>rescued</u> the baby from the building that is on fire. He probably used the spider <u>webs</u> he can make to get to where the baby was. Those webs are very <u>strong</u>. He can <u>swing</u> from building to building, just as a spider can.

- 1. c
- 2. a
- 3. c
- 4. a
- 5. b
- 6. c

Unit 11 Culture

Warm-up p.86

A. Pedro: 2

Amy: 1

Stacey: 3

Listening 1 p.87

A. Ireland, Irish
wonderful, friendly
customs, traditions, superstitions
unlucky, bad luck

Q: a

B. 1. T

2. F

3. T

4. F

Listening 2 p.88

A. b

B. 1. a

2. d

Movie Time p.89

B. husband

money

London

control

breaks

Dictation p.90

A.

Lady Ashley wants her husband to <u>sell</u> their Australian <u>cattle</u> station because it's not making <u>money</u>. She travels from London to talk to him about selling it. Before she can get there, her husband is <u>murdered</u>. The killer is thought to be a <u>native</u> of Australia, an aborigine. Fletcher, the <u>manager</u> of the cattle station, tries to get control of the cattle

station. A young boy, Nullah, who is half aborigine, tells Lady Ashley that her cattle are being stolen. Lady Ashley <u>fires</u> Fletcher and tries to run the station herself.

В.

Drover, who took Lady Ashley from the boat to the cattle station, agrees to take her cattle to the port city of Darwin for sale. They take 1,500 cattle to Darwin. Fletcher again tries to take control of Lady Ashley's cattle station. It is discovered that it was Fletcher who killed Lady Ashley's husband, and not an aborigine. In the meantime World War II breaks out, and Japanese airplanes bomb Darwin.

Speaking Time p.91

- 1. telescope
- 2. three
- 3. sitting
- 4. food

Descriptive Summary p.92

В.

The cattle are <u>crossing</u> a river. The river does not appear to be very <u>deep</u>. The man on <u>horseback</u> is quite dark-skinned. He is wearing a cap with a visor on his head. Behind him is another man. He is driving a <u>wagon</u>. It is being pulled by two horses. This man is wearing a <u>broad</u>-brimmed hat. The wagon is loaded down with <u>supplies</u>. There are pots and pans on the side, and <u>suitcases</u> piled on top. It must be a long journey.

- 1. d
- 2. b
- 3. a
- 4. d
- 5. b
- 6. c

Unit 12 Technology

Warm-up p.94

A. Connie: 3

Susie: 2

Karen: 1

Listening 1 p.95

- A. science fair, display, gadgets far-out, new, useful, amazing smart phones, iPods, cameras spy, hack, computer, cell phone
- Q: c
- B. 1. T
 - 2. T
 - 3. F
 - 4. T

Listening 2 p.96

- A. 1. She asks him to go to the supermarket.
 - 2. He needs to take out \$40.
 - 3. Someone with a special gadget was able to read people's debit card numbers and their codes
- B. 1. d
 - 2. c

Movie Time p.97

B. home

bad

seek

rebuild

battles

Dictation p.98

A.

Cybertron, the home world of the Autobots has been <u>destroyed</u> by the Decepticons. The Autobots are the good guys and the Decepticons are the bad guys. Both are <u>seeking</u> the AllSpark. If the Autobots find the AllSpark they can rebuild their home,

Cybertron. The Decepticons want the AllSpark so they can destroy the Autobots and <u>control</u> the <u>universe</u>. The AllSpark that has <u>landed</u> on Earth is buried safely beneath Hoover Dam.

В.

The Decepticons land on earth in disguise, trying to find the AllSpark. They try to hack computer codes used by a secret base in Qatar. A Decepticon named Frenzy sneaks into Air Force One but is caught when trying to hack into the plane's computers. After many battles, the Autobots and their human friends manage to defeat most of the Decepticons. They dump the bodies of the bad transformers into the deepest part of the ocean.

Speaking Time p.99

- 1. transformer
- 2. natural
- 3. clever
- 4. pain

Descriptive Summary p.100

В.

At least two, if not more, <u>military</u> men have been killed. Their <u>bodies</u> are in flag-draped <u>caskets</u>. One of the caskets is being <u>carried</u> by five men. Two others, in the background, are <u>saluting</u> as the casket passes by them. The men are from the different <u>branches</u> of the military. One of them is in the Air Force.

Behind him is an Army <u>soldier</u>. The man wearing a white cap is a <u>sailor</u> in the Navy. You also see a Marine.

- 1. a
- 2. b
- 3. c
- 4. b
- 5. The horns are between $2\sim3$ feet long.
- 6. It makes a sound much louder.