In Unit 7 you will...

**READ**
- holiday advertisements
- a webpage with new year’s resolutions
- a horoscope for teenagers

**PRACTISE COLLOCATIONS & VOCABULARY RELATED TO**
- airports, stations, summer courses, sightseeing
- star signs

**PRACTISE THE USE OF**
- Present Continuous for future arrangements
- ‘Be going to’ future
- Future Simple

**WRITE**
- an e-mail to a friend about your holiday plans
- a funny horoscope for a competition
Match the advertisements (A-C) with the details of the holidays they offer (1-2). There’s an extra advertisement you don’t need to use.

1 When you are travelling with children, family holidays need planning. We organise clubs, activities and supervision for children of all ages. As a result, they have a great time and you don’t have to worry about a thing. Children love our holidays, and we love having them along. All our childcare staff are English speaking and have a great number of fun ways to keep children happy. During the morning and afternoon they organise nature walks, face painting, singing sessions and games on the beach. Older children learn how to sail, snorkel, try their hand at windsurfing, practise football, or learn to play volleyball.

2 With over 30 years’ experience in the Alps, we know what makes a great holiday. We choose the best Alpine resorts, with lots of snow for you to enjoy. Our hotels are warm, welcoming places that combine hotel-style comforts with the relaxed atmosphere of a chalet. Some hotels are for adults, while others also offer childcare. You’ll find good food, wine and company at all hotels.
Travel plans!

2 Read the brochure again and write which holiday (1-2) the following questions refer to.

1. What time do activities for kids start every morning? ..................................................
2. Do we need to bring our own skiis? .................................................................
3. What other languages do nannies speak? ............................................................
4. Are there any vegetarian dishes? .................................................................
5. Can 7-year-olds go snowboarding? .................................................................

3 Write the words from the box on the right picture.

- college          statues           campus            exhibits         museums
- lessons          placement test            temples

4 Write the words in the correct column.

- On a summer course
- Going sightseeing

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Lesson 1

5. Complete the sentences with one word.

1. This summer I’m doing an English language ............... at a college in Reading.

2. We’re taking a ....................... test on Monday.

3. Tomorrow we’re visiting a huge amusement .........................

4. The marbles of the Parthenon are one of the most important .................. of the British museum.

5. Let’s spend the ....................... day sightseeing.

6. I’ve got great .......................! We have no lessons tomorrow.

7. Where’s Alex? He’s ....................... a week in England.

8. Is he staying at a hotel? No. He’s staying at the college ......................

Tick the right sentences.

We use the Present Continuous to talk about

1. □ an action we are doing right now
2. □ habits and states
3. □ what people are doing in a photo
4. □ an action in the past
5. □ personal arrangements or fixed plans for the future
Match the following sentences with the uses of Present Continuous in task 6.

a. In this photo we are having a picnic in the forest.

b. Terry is flying to Rome tomorrow morning.

c. I’m sending a text message to my friend.

d. I’m sitting with my best friend today.

e. We’re spending our holidays in Spain this summer.

f. Tina’s watching a new film at the moment.

A friend of yours is planning to start a language course. You want to know more about her plans. Use the words to make questions.

(which school/attend) .................................................................?

(when/meet your classmates) .......................................................?

(study English) ..............................................................................?

(take any exams) ...........................................................................?

Your parents are planning a family holiday and they have just shown you this advertisement. You think it is interesting. Use your notes to write an e-mail to your friend to tell him/her

- about this holiday
  - where it is and
  - when you are leaving
- what you plan to do there
  - activities, sports you’re planning to do
  - facilities you’re planning to use
- ask him/her if s/he would like to join you with their family

The International School.
Next Monday.
No. German.
Yes. At the end of the term.
I’ve just seen this amazing holiday advertisement and my family have decided to go.
Lesson 2  Good intentions!

Reading

New Year's Resolutions for Teens

1. Read this webpage. Who is the article for?
   a. teenagers  
   b. parents

Happiness and success in life come easier to teens who have a positive self-image, healthy habits, and supportive parents in their lives. In order to help our teenagers focus on positive, healthy behaviours, our website offers the following New Year’s Resolutions for your teens:

NEW YEAR’S RESOLUTIONS FOR TEENS

1. I’m going to present myself in a positive way.
2. I’m going to spend more time with people.
3. I’m going to learn how to say “No” to things that are not good for me.
4. I’m going to make small, healthy changes in my eating habits every day.
5. I’m going to take better care of myself.
6. I’m going to help someone else.
7. I’m going to be more honest with my parents about my problems.
8. I’m going to try new, healthy ways to deal with anger or stress.
9. I’m going to give and ask for respect in my relationships.
10. I’m going to find something to be thankful for every day.

Read the webpage more carefully now and match the resolutions (1-10) with the sentences (a-j).

a. For example, I’m going to volunteer for causes I care about or I’m going to make dinner for the family without being asked.

b. I’m going to spend less time on my cell phone or computer.

c. I’m not going to eat out so often.

d. I’m not going to let others treat me badly (either emotionally or physically).

e. They really do want what’s best for me and can help me even if they are angry or disappointed.

f. I’m not going to look or feel stupid about myself.

g. For example, I’m going to get more sleep, exercise, and listen to my body.

h. Being healthy and having good friends are things that can make you happy, aren’t they?

i. I’m going to ask an adult when I have to make difficult choices.

j. I’m going to talk to a friend, write in a diary, or exercise (instead of doing things that are bad like skipping school, drinking alcohol or smoking).
Lesson 2

Collocations

Match the words 1-8 with a-h to form collocations.

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Use the collocations in task 3 to complete the sentences. You may need to change the form of the words.

1. Sometimes teenagers don’t ………. ……… about themselves.
2. Why are you ………………………………? Look! There has been an accident!
3. Stop ………………………………….! It’s a very bad habit!
4. My dad always ………………………… when he rides his motorbike.
5. You should …………………………. Staring at the screen for hours is bad for your eyes.
6. Remember to …………………………. when you drive!
7. Terry doesn’t …………………………. lately. He often fights with other children.
8. She’s full of …………………………. but that doesn’t help much. She must study harder!

Choose 3 collocations from the text on page 108 in your student’s book and write sentences about you.
Good intentions!

**Grammar Link**

_**Match 1-2 with a-b to complete the rules.**_  

1. We use the Present Continuous to talk about ...  
2. We use ‘be going to’ to talk about ...  
   
a. our general plans and intentions  
b. fixed plans for the future

**Write the verbs in brackets in the ‘be going to’ tense and complete the sentences.**  

1. I ......................................... (think) more about people in need.  
2. Tom ...................................... (not/use) his dad’s laptop without asking him first.  
3. My friends and I ...................................(listen) to the radio more often.  
4. Our grandparents .............................. (take) us on holiday with them this year.  
5. I ............................................. (eat) less junk food.

**Use ‘be going to’ and the words in brackets to ask questions in the following situations.**  

1. Your friend has decided to go shopping. (what/buy)  
   ..................................................................................................................  
2. Your mum is getting dressed. (who/meet)  
   ..................................................................................................................
Lesson 2  

Good intentions!

3. Your friend is holding a cinema ticket. (what/see)

4. Your granny has just bought a new vase. (where/put)

5. Your teacher is holding your tests. (when/give)

Correct the incorrect sentences. There is one correct sentence!

1. I’m going to meeting Tina at eight o’clock tomorrow morning.

2. We’re fly to Amsterdam tomorrow.

3. My cousin going to buy a new mobile soon.

4. Are you to watch the concert on TV tonight?

5. I’m going not to eat this cheese pie. It smells horrible.

6. My sister is getting married next month.
### W E E K L Y  T E E N S C O P E

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<td>Aries, calm down and get things straight in your head. Think about your future and make a strong decision. Listen to your teachers on Friday. Sunday’s for friends.</td>
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<td><strong>TAURUS</strong></td>
<td>Taurus, it’s time to get close. If there’s someone for you, go out and enjoy yourself. If you’re on your own, keep your eyes open. A friend might do something crazy. You might come up with a bright new idea.</td>
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<td><strong>GEMINI</strong></td>
<td>Get on with your work, Gemini. Look after yourself. Someone’s taking an interest! That’s for sure! There could be a development in your romantic life. Talk with a friend on Sunday.</td>
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<td><strong>CANCER</strong></td>
<td>Problems with homework. Someone or something is putting the pressure on. You may feel like getting out for fun. You can do that for a bit. Take care with safety on Friday. Enjoy friendship or romance on Saturday.</td>
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<td><strong>LEO</strong></td>
<td>Hang close with the family, Leo. You’ve got something new as you come into the midweek. It could be romance. It could be a new activity or project. Watch yourself if you’re doing sports on Friday.</td>
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<td><strong>VIRGO</strong></td>
<td>You’ll be busy as the week begins. There may be changes in your home life. There’ll be exciting activities on Saturday but there may be work for you on Sunday.</td>
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<td><strong>LIBRA</strong></td>
<td>Organise your money at the beginning of the week, Libra. School or training schedules might change on Friday. Family will be important in the weeks ahead. Sunday’s a fun day for you.</td>
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<td><strong>SCORPIO</strong></td>
<td>Scorpio, you’re ready for anything as the week begins! Don’t do anything silly with your money on Friday. There could be someone new in your neighbourhood. Sunday’s a family day. Relax at home!</td>
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<td><strong>SAGITTARIUS</strong></td>
<td>Start slow, Sagittarius! But you can go faster as the week unfolds. It’s still your time and there’s a New Moon in your sign on Saturday. New image! New directions! New romance! You choose when to put the new ‘you’ into action.</td>
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<td><strong>CAPRICORN</strong></td>
<td>Friends are here, Capricorn. It’s time for crazy talk and a bit of crazy action. Not too much but just enough to loosen up! There’s something going on deep inside you at the moment. Let yourself dream for a while.</td>
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<td><strong>AQUARIUS</strong></td>
<td>You’ll be making friends in the weeks ahead but, for now, you’ll just have to follow the rules and do what you’re told. There could be a change in your life. Slow down on Friday and Saturday. You’re ready to have the time of your life on Sunday!</td>
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<td><strong>PISCES</strong></td>
<td>You’ll want more freedom as the week begins. You’ll want to talk a lot and do things. But life has other plans for you. Don’t fight it, Pisces. The best way to do this is to listen to others and do what they ask you to do. Saturday is for friends and fun!</td>
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1. ................... ’ll have to work on Sunday.
2. ................... and ................ must be careful because they may have an accident on Friday.
3. ................... ’ll meet a new person in the middle of the week.
4. ...................must be careful with money on Friday.
5. ................... and ................ ’ll have fun on Sunday.
Lesson 3

Vocabulary Link

Star signs

2 Match the star signs with the drawings a-l.

Aries (21/3 - 20/4)  Taurus (21/4 - 21/5)  Gemini (22/5 - 21/6)
Cancer (22/6 - 23/7)  Leo (24/7 - 23/8)  Virgo (24/8 - 23/9)
Libra (24/9 - 23/10)  Scorpio (24/10 - 22/11)  Sagittarius (23/11 - 22/12)
Capricorn (23/12 - 20/1)  Aquarius (21/1 - 19/2)  Pisces (20/2 - 20/3)

Collocations

3 Match the collocations 1-10 with a-j.

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<td>8. dance</td>
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<td>9. at the same</td>
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<td>10. worry about</td>
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In the year 2525!

Use the words from the box to complete the sentences.

1. Can you ................................ this tune? It’s one of the latest hits, isn’t it?
2. Look at the boats ................................ down the river! Aren’t they beautiful?
3. New TV programmes for children are often ......................... and children take active part in them by helping the main character.
4. Parents are always worried about the ......................... of their children.
5. We didn’t ......................... the beach until after midday.
6. We’ll meet you ......................... after school.

Choose six words/phrases from tasks 3 and 4 and write sentences of your own.

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| Negative |
| Full Form |
| I/you/he/she/it/we/they ......................... not need a car. |
| Short Form |
| I/you/he/she/it/we/they ......................... a car. |

| Interrogative | Short Answers |
| Full Form |
| ......................... I/you/he/she/it/we/they enjoy the sun all year round? |
| Short Answers |
| Yes, I/you/he/she/it/we/they ......................... |
| No, I/you/he/she/it/we/they won’t. |
Lesson 3

7 Tick the right sentences.

We use the Future Simple
1. ☐ to talk about what we think will happen
2. ☐ to guess what will happen
3. ☐ to describe what people are doing at the moment
4. ☐ with words/expressions like: I think, I hope, perhaps

8 Look at the pictures and write predictions about your partner.

1. ........................................
2. ........................................
3. ........................................
4. ........................................
In the year 2525!

Answer the questions and make predictions about your future.

1. Will you study psychology when you finish school?

2. Will you travel around the world? Where?

3. Will you work as a musician?

4. Will you have a sports car?

5. Will you live with your parents until you are thirty years old? Why?

A Teen magazine is organising a horoscope writing competition. Read the advertisement and write your friend’s horoscope and send it to the magazine.

THE FUNNIEST HOROSCOPE COMPETITION

HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT OF WRITING YOUR FRIENDS’ HOROSCOPE?

Here’s your chance! Take part in our competition and win amazing prizes! Write your best friend’s horoscope.

Think of funny things that will happen to him/her this week

- at home
- at school
- on holiday

Our readers will vote for the funniest horoscope!

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