

WORKBOOK • ANSWER KEY

UNIT 7

7.1

- 1
2 focus on
3 hard at
4 get better
5 high achiever
6 believe in
3
1 DK 2 T 3 F 4 T 5 F 6 F

- 4
1 e 2 b 3 c 4 a 5 f 6 d

- 5
1 've / have been going
2 've / have been waiting
3 haven't been sleeping
4 's / has been crying
5 've / have known
6 've / have been skiing
7 have ... been living
8 Have ... been watching, have ... enjoyed / been enjoying

- 6
1 has been happening
2 haven't had
3 have been staying
4 has been working
5 've / have been thinking
6 haven't decided
7 've / have been looking
8 have found
9 've / have been working
10 's / has been studying

7A

- 1 depend on
2 succeed in
3 pay attention to
4 rely on
5 pick up on
6 have a talent for
7 think about
8 have access to

B

- 1 think about
2 pay attention to
3 depends on
4 pick up on
5 have a talent for
6 have access to
7 succeed in
8 rely on

7.2

- 1A
1 c 2 a 3 b 4 c 5 a 6 b 7 a 8 c

B

- 1 hopeless, useless
2 gifted, talented

- 3 skilful
4 expert
5 have a lot of ability, have an aptitude for
2
1 couldn't 2 manage 3 remember
4 was 5 could 6 to 7 wasn't 8 managed

3

Not possible:

- 1 didn't manage
2 do able to
3 could
4 can
5 are manage to
6 didn't able to
7 'm not manage to
8 could to
9 Do you can
10 Could you

4A

- 1 ✓
2 a 6 syllables, b 5 syllables
3 ✓
4 a 6 syllables, b 7 syllables

5B

- A When Sidis was seven months, he pointed at the moon and said 'moon'.
B At eighteen months, he could read *The New York Times*.
C At six, he could speak Russian, French, German and Hebrew.
D Aged nine, he gave a lecture on mathematics at Harvard University.
E Journalists followed him around and wrote articles about him but he didn't achieve much as an adult.
F He died in 1944, aged 46.

C

- 1 His parents were from Russia. They moved to New York.
2 William's first word was 'door'.
3 William was six when he could speak Russian, French, German and Hebrew.
4 When he was nine, he gave a lecture on mathematics at Harvard University.
5 Two years later, he began attending Harvard University.
6 Journalists 'followed him around'.
7 His sister said he knew all the languages of the world and that he could learn a language in a day.
8 For most of his adult life, Sidis was 'running away' from fame.

6A

- 1 **Mistakes:** His first word was *door*, not *moon*. He took one day to learn a language, not one week.
2 **Exact words:** Journalists followed him around and wrote articles about this young genius. Not all childhood geniuses will produce great things as adults

B

- 1 Uni (university), yrs (years)
2 &
3 close 2 him
4 THE LIFE OF WILLIAM SIDIS
5 Background
6 leave people alone

7.3

I

- 1 an MA
2 face-to-face learning
3 an apprenticeship
4 qualifications
5 a certificate
6 a degree
7 a PhD
8 an online course
9 distance learning
10 a driving licence

2A

- 1 b 2 c 3 c

B

- 1 a 2 b 3 b 4 b 5 a 6 b 7 b 8 a
9 a 10 b

UNIT 8

8.1

- 1
2 Can I **ask a favour**?
3 Whenever they're arguing, I prefer to mind **my own** business.
4 Hayley has invited **us over** for dinner at her house.
5 Those neighbours are **a nuisance** – they're always ...
6 She got **to know** her neighbours immediately.
7 Please don't **disturb me**.
8 One thing that gets **on my** nerves is when ...
9 Xun hasn't made **friends with** her neighbours yet ...
10 I keep myself **to myself**.
2
2 Have you received **the** letter I sent you?
3 ✓
4 Do you have **a** pen I can borrow?
5 ✓
6 Is there **an** airport in the city?
7 I'm going to Germany **in the** morning.
8 We live **by the** Pacific Ocean.
9 My brother is **an** actor.
10 ✓
11 ✓
12 Did you see **the** film I told you about?
13 I live **in the** United States.
14 She's **the** nicest woman I know.
15 ✓

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- 3
 2 b vi There are plenty of good restaurants in the town, especially if you like French food.
 3 f iii I don't know much about this city, but I like the architecture.
 4 a v All of us love this place because it's so friendly.
 5 g vii If you have enough time, go to the museum – it's great.
 6 c viii There are too many cars in most big cities – I hate traffic!
 7 e i I've got lots of friends in this community.
 8 h ii I spent a bit of time in Poland when I was younger.

- 4
 3 but 4 of 5 ✓ 6 ✓ 7 ✓ 8 to (money)
 9 small 10 ✓ 11 a (five hours) 12 more
 13 ✓ 14 all 15 ✓ 16 ✓ 17 a

- 5A
 1 Elise's neighbours are her parents and her brother's family. Marc's neighbours are 'a couple of cows' / a farmer.
 2 Elise likes this situation because they 'help each other'. Marc likes the situation because they 'just love the peace and quiet'.
 3 Elise sees her neighbours every day. They work together and they all eat together once or twice a week. Marc never sees his neighbours, apart from the cows.
 4 Elise has lived there all her life. Marc has lived there for ten years.

- B
 1 perfect 2 family 3 eleven 4 Sunday
 5 normal 6 husband 7 ten 8 Paris
 9 transport 10 farmhouse 11 online
 12 first

- C
 1 a 2 b 3 b 4 b 5 b 6 a

- 6A
 2 high street
 3 housing estate
 4 sports centre
 5 industrial estate
 6 car park
 7 supermarket
 8 language school
 9 shopping centre
 10 one-way street
 11 terraced houses
 12 outdoor market
 13 gift shop
 14 primary school

- 7
 1 housing estate
 2 language school
 3 primary school

- 4 one-way street
 5 sports centre
 6 terraced houses
 7 traffic lights
 8 car park
 9 supermarket
 10 gift shop
 11 outdoor market
 12 industrial estate
 13 high street
 14 shopping centre

8.2

- 1
 2 j 3 f 4 k 5 b 6 l 7 i 8 e 9 h 10 c
 11 d 12 g

- 2
 3 a 4 b 5 b 6 a 7 b 8 a

- 3
 1 clothing that
 2 place where
 3 person who
 4 name that
 5 which has
 6 thing that
 7 who behaves
 8 a place

- 4
 1 a 2 a 3 b 4 a 5 b

- 5A
 A CouchSurfer is a traveller who arranges to stay on a stranger's couch.

- B
 1 He had nowhere to sleep.
 2 He wrote to 1,500 students in Reykjavik, and he had dozens of replies inviting him to stay.
 3 The website says CouchSurfing focuses on cross-cultural sharing.
 4 1 You type the name of the city. 2 You look at the profiles of people there and choose someone. 3 You contact them to see if they are free. 4 They may ask you to meet for a coffee first before inviting you to their home.
 5 You can read what other CouchSurfers say about this person, and there is also a system of 'vouching', in which other people promise that your host has a good character.

- C
 1 e 2 c 3 b 4 a 5 d

- 6A
 1 feature 2 like 3 would 4 best

- B
 1 B 2 A 3 D 4 C

8.3

- 1A
 1 Help yourself

- 2 Excuse the mess
 3 Make yourself at home
 4 Be my guest
 5 Have a seat
 6 Put your feet up

- B
 A 2 B 5 C 1 D 3 E 4 F 6

- 2
 1 a 2 b 3 a 4 b 5 b 6 b 7 a 8 b 9 b
 10 a

- 3
 1 It's no problem.
 2 Not at all.
 3 That's all right.
 4 It's fine.
 5 It's nothing.
 6 You really don't have to.
 7 We can sort it out.

UNIT 9

9.1

- 1A
 1 revolution
 2 turning point
 3 development
 4 spread
 5 advance
 6 movement
 7 invention
 8 foundation
 9 discovery
 10 progress

T	U	R	N	I	N	G	P	O	I	N	T
D	A	E	B	P	R	O	G	R	E	S	S
E	C	V	D	E	R	I	O	M	E	I	P
V	F	O	U	N	D	A	T	I	O	N	T
E	E	L	U	F	C	S	S	G	J	V	E
L	S	U	A	V	U	A	P	L	I	E	D
O	W	T	V	A	P	D	R	A	G	N	E
P	D	I	S	C	O	V	E	R	Y	T	X
M	E	O	R	E	K	A	A	E	I	I	H
E	D	N	I	U	F	N	D	O	E	O	O
N	C	I	N	T	I	C	F	R	S	N	E
T	M	O	V	E	M	E	N	T	C	L	F

- B
 1 discovery
 2 spread
 3 development
 4 progress
 5 advances
 6 movement
 7 revolution
 8 invention
 2
 1 c 2 c 3 b 4 a 5 b 6 c 7 a 8 a

- 3
 2 If Archduke Ferdinand hadn't been assassinated, World War I wouldn't have started.

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- If people from Sumer hadn't needed permanent records, they wouldn't have invented writing.
- If World War II hadn't happened, the United Nations wouldn't have (been) formed in 1945.
- If William the Conqueror hadn't invaded England in 1066, the English language wouldn't have changed.
- If Charles Darwin hadn't travelled to South America, he wouldn't have developed the theory of evolution.
- If sailors on the Titanic had seen the iceberg, 1,595 people wouldn't have died.
- If Captain James Cook hadn't sailed to Australia, it wouldn't have become a British colony.

4A

- If I'd known you were coming, I **would've** waited.
- If I'd waited, I **would've** been late.
- If I'd been late, I **would've** missed the show.
- If I'd missed the show I **would've** wasted my money.
- If I'd wasted my money, I **would've** been angry.

5A

- Ancient Greece, over 3,000
- China, over 2,000
- Ancient Greece / Korea, over 2,000
- Egypt / Persia (Iran), more than 2,000

B

- Ancient Greek toothpaste used oyster shells.
- Hannibal used snakes as a biological weapon.
- The Inuit played a type of football.
- A rich English banker installed central heating in his house so he could grow grapes.
- In ancient sculptures from Egypt and Persia, only kings or very important people had umbrellas.

C

a enemy b symbol c installed d infected e crushed

6A

b The History of Writing

B

- In 3200 BC, Sumerians invented writing.
- While
- As a result

9.2

IA/B

I grew up in a big old house with a big old family. The house had four floors,

one floor for each generation. The bottom floor was where my maternal grandparents lived. **They were given** the bottom floor so that they didn't have to climb any steps – that's the story I was told anyway. But in reality, I think it's because my grandmother escaped the house at 4a.m. every morning to go for walks and we didn't want **to be woken up**. Mum and Dad's room was on the second floor, and us children **were put** on the third floor, out of the way. At the very top of the steps there was an attic where my great-grandfather was hidden away, out of sight. He was as mad as a box of frogs. He used to play operas on an ancient gramophone and sing Puccini at the top of his voice. When he died, I was given that gramophone and all his records. Amazingly, forty years later, it still works. The house **has been rebuilt** many times since those days and the garden, where we used to climb trees and run wild, has been covered with concrete. I read recently that the house **will be sold** again. It won't be bought by me, though. My memories are enough.

2A

- One day a cure for cancer will be discovered.
- The files were stolen last year.
- These famous photos were taken at the end of the war.
- The President hasn't been told about the plan.
- The missing people have been found.
- All flights going out of Paris were cancelled.
- The paintings are cleaned once a year.

B

The auxiliary verbs are, were, has(n't) been and have been are contracted (said in a shortened version).

3

- over a quarter-century
- just over a century ago
- millennium
- over seven decades
- the generation
- just over a fortnight
- half a century

4A

- have a good time
- make progress
- give a talk
- come naturally
- have a break
- have a dream
- come first
- give instructions
- give directions
- have trouble

- come back
- make a mess
- give me a call
- make a profit
- come by car
- make a decision

B

- having trouble, have a break
- made a decision, made a profit
- give me a call, give me directions
- come naturally, came first
- give a talk, give instructions

5A

- around 1880–1895
- 1945 to about 1960
- A novel: *Generation X: Tales for an Accelerated Culture*
- Rebelling against their parents' values, not wanting to work for the same company their whole life, listening to 'grunge' music, playing video games between 1980s and 1990s
- Love of technology, amazing networkers, constantly online, great multi-taskers

B

- Socrates say (about the younger generation)
- begin naming each generation
- people were killed in World War I after the Second World War (from 1945–1960)
- wrote *Millennials Rising: The Next Great Generation* / first described Generation Y in detail
- people used the internet in 2010

C

1 e 2 d 3 c 4 a 5 b 6 f

9.3

I

- brave 2 charismatic 3 exemplary 4 influential 5 inspirational 6 creative 7 original 8 innovative

2

1 a 2 b 3 b 4 a 5 b 6 a 7 b 8 a

3A

- Did 2 That 3 Was 4 Doesn't 5 say 6 Do 7 remember 8 Haven't 9 didn't 10 Will

UNIT 10

10.1

IA

- on standby
- double glazed
- processed
- insulated
- organic

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- 6 pre-prepared
- 7 packaging
- 8 energy-saving
- 9 recycled
- 10 second-hand

B

- 1 organic
- 2 second-hand
- 3 double glazed
- 4 energy-saving
- 5 pre-prepared
- 6 processed
- 7 recycled
- 8 standby
- 9 packaging
- 10 insulated

2A

- 1 lights 2 Eiffel Tower 3 Pyramids 4 Sydney
5 change 6 different

3A

- 1 F (2.2 million people)
- 2 T
- 3 T
- 4 F (Some people think the event is meaningless.)
- 5 T
- 6 F (He doesn't think the event helps people to change their behaviour.)

B

- 1 stand 2 global 3 part 4 plunged
5 attention 6 raise 7 waste

4

- 1 didn't 2 were 3 had 4 her 5 next
6 his 7 would 8 they

5A

- A: I want to go to Spain, because I've never been there before.
T: How are you planning to travel?
A: I'm thinking of going by plane.
T: Have you thought about taking the train instead?
A: No, I haven't, but it's a good idea.
T: It's cheaper than flying. I'll show you some of the train routes.
A: OK.
T: Have you decided where you want to stay?
A: No, I haven't. Could you show me what accommodation is available?
T: There's an eco-farm near Valencia where you can stay for free, if you help the farmer pick his olives.
A: That sounds great!

B

- 2 asked her, was planning
- 3 she was thinking
- 4 she'd thought
- 5 she hadn't, it was
- 6 would show her
- 7 had decided, she wanted
- 8 she hadn't
- 9 could stay, helped
- 10 sounded great

6

- 1 misunderstood
- 2 disobey
- 3 reuse
- 4 unusual
- 5 underestimated
- 6 disappeared
- 7 untidy
- 8 renew
- 9 unethical
- 10 disagree

10.2

I

- 1 c 2 b 3 a 4 c 5 a 6 b 7 c

2A

- A 4 B 5 C 2 D 1 E 3

3

- 1 Jorge 2 Irene 3 Claire 4 Claire
5 Mariella 6 Irene

4

- 1 pleasant
- 2 water
- 3 yellow middle
- 4 soft; liquid
- 5 pasta
- 6 sad because you haven't got

5

- 2 suggested spending
- 3 invited us to stay
- 4 offered to take
- 5 explained that it would be / explained that it was
- 6 recommended that we travel / recommended travelling
- 7 agreed to choose
- 8 warned us not to go
- 9 promise to write

6A

- 1 refused to come
- 2 promised to call
- 3 decided to go
- 4 agreed not to go
- 5 warned us that
- 6 invited James to go
- 7 explained that the children
- 8 recommended buying

B

unstressed

7A

The writer doesn't recommend the restaurant because they thought the atmosphere was uninviting, the service was poor and the food was not great, either.

B

- a so 2
- b Although 4
- c unless 5
- d such, that 3
- e While 1

8A

- 1 no information given
- 2 no information given
- 3 ✓
- 4 ✓
- 5 ✓

10.3

I

- 1 passport
- 2 check in
- 3 aisle
- 4 boarding card
- 5 X-ray machine
- 6 board
- 7 priority boarding
- 8 proceed to gate number
- 9 hand luggage

2

- 1 b 2 c 3 a 4 b 5 c 6 a 7 b 8 a

3

- 1 c 2 a 3 f 4 d 5 e 6 b