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Unit 1

Present continuous: *The mice are playing the piano. I'm not singing. Is the fat mouse jumping on the cushion? Yes, it is./No, it isn't.*

Wh questions + present continuous: *What are the mice doing? Where is the music coming from? Who is making the mess?*

Prepositions: *in, on, under*

Functional language: *May I have..., please? Here's your..., This way, please.*

Objects in the house: *curtain, cushion, flowerpot, mirror, picture, plant, rug, sofa*

Rooms and places: *bedroom, classroom, dining room, garden, kitchen, living room, park*

Musical instruments: *drum, flute, guitar, maracas, piano, recorder, tambourine, triangle, trumpet, violin, xylophone*

Craft materials: *bottle, can, crayon, glue, paint, paintbrush, rice, rubber band, tape*

Adjectives: *baby, fat, old, tall, thin, short*

Verbs: *carry, clap, dance, eat, have fun, jump, look, play, read, run, sing, sit, sleep, watch TV, work*

Unit 2

Present simple: *I work in a school.*

You work in a shopping centre. He/She works in a school.

We work in a toy factory. They make lunch.

He/She doesn't work in a cafe. They don't cook the food.

Do you work every day? Yes, I do./No, I don't. Does he/she read comics? Yes, he/she does./No, he/she doesn't.

Functional language: *What's the matter? It doesn't work. (My shoulder) hurts. That's better!*

Body parts: *ankle, arm, elbow, feet, foot, hand, head, hip, knee, leg, neck, shoulder, wrist*

Verbs: *clean, cut, dance, draw, eat, give, go, have, help, jump, like, listen to, make, paint, play, read, ride, run, see, sell, serve, sleep, watch, wear, work*

Professions: *bus driver, cleaner, dancer, dentist, doctor, nurse, police officer, salesperson, secretary, toy maker, vet, waiter*

Places: *bookshop, cafe, clinic, office, shop, shopping centre*

Unit 3

Present simple: *In the summer, he cuts the grass. We walk through the forest.*

Wh questions + present simple: *Who does Dan play with? What do they buy? Where do they live? Why do they get sick? When do they go to the shop?*

There is/are: *There's a fish in the river. There are four birds in the sky.*

Giving and following directions: *Go over the bridge. Go around the rocks.*

Functional language: *Can I help you? I'd like (a plant) for (my mum). Which one would you like? That/This one. The (big) one, please.*

Objects in nature: *bridge, bush, cactus, forest, grass, hill, lake, mountain, path, pinecone, river, rock, tree, valley, waterfall*

Verbs: *buy, climb, collect, cut, drink, get sick, go, live, plant, play, walk, want, work*

Animals: *bird, duck, fish, horse, mouse, rabbit*

Prepositions: *across, around, down, over, through, under, up*

Parts of plants and trees: *acorn, branch, flower, fruit, leaf-leaves, root, seed, stem, trunk*

Unit 4

Present simple: *Zebra eats the bush.*

Where do elephants live? Elephants live in grasslands.

Like + gerund: *I like swimming. They like sleeping.*

Can/can't: *I can/can't climb trees. Can baby lions see? Yes, they can./No, they can't. Can it fly? Yes, it can./No, it can't. Can you speak English? Yes, I can./No, I can't.*

Possessive 's: *the lion's mane*

Connectors: *and, but*

Functional language: *What is it? What's your favourite wild animal?*

Animals: *chimpanzee, crocodile, duck, eagle, elephant, flamingo, giraffe, gorilla, hippo, horse, lion, monkey, orangutan, ostrich, parrot, snake, tiger, zebra*

Animal body parts: *beak, body, claw, coat, ear, feather, head, leg, mane, skin, tail, tongue, wing*

Verbs: *clean, climb, dive, do, drink, eat, hear, lift, make, paint, play, read, run, see, sing, sleep, speak, splash, stand, swim, turn on, understand, use, walk, write*

Unit 5

There is/are: *There is a watermelon.*

There is some rice. There are some potatoes.

Is there any water? Are there any trees?

There isn't any milk. There aren't any biscuits.

Functional language: *Have you got any (carrots)? How much is that? Here you are.*

Food: *broccoli, carrot, cheese, grape, juice, milk, oil, onion, orange, pasta, pea, peach, pineapple, potato, rice, sugar, tomato, water, watermelon*

Water words: *cloud, ice, lake, rain, rainbow, raindrop, snow, steam*

Containers and measures: *bag, bottle, box, bunch, carton, litre, packet*

Verbs: *brush your teeth, dissolve, evaporate, float, flush the toilet, have a shower, sell, wash your hands*

Grammar and language

Vocabulary

Verb to be, present tense: *My mother's in the attic. Are you in the hall? Yes, I am./No, I'm not.*

Present simple: *I cut the grass. Harry makes the beds. He/She lives in a tent. He/She doesn't live in a house. Do you wash the dishes? Yes, I do./No, I don't.*

Present continuous: *What's Harry doing? He's washing the beds. Harry isn't cutting the grass.*

Adverbs of frequency: *always, sometimes, usually, rarely, never: Nina always plays football. She never washes the car.*

Contrasting present simple and continuous: *Do you...?/Are you...?*

Functional language: *What time is it? It's time to (wake up). It's (six) o'clock.*

Home: *flat, house, houseboat, tent*

Rooms: *attic, balcony, basement, bathroom, bedroom, dining room, garage, hall, kitchen, living room, stairs*

Family: *aunt, brother, cousin, father, grandad, mother, sister, uncle*

Daily activities: *do homework, eat breakfast/lunch, get up, go shopping/swimming, go to bed/school, have a shower, play, visit, wake up, walk the dog, watch TV*

Chores: *clean the kitchen, cook the food, cut the grass, make the beds, sweep the floor, take out the rubbish, wash the dishes/clothes/car*

Time: *(ten) o'clock, quarter past (ten), half past (ten), quarter to (ten)*



Verb to be, past form: *He was lazy. They were small. He wasn't ugly. They weren't tall. Was Creb eleven years old? Yes, he was./No, he wasn't. Were the people cold? Yes, they were./No, they weren't.*

There was/were: *There was a school. There weren't any houses.*

How + adjective: *How tall was the diplodocus? How long is your foot? How wide is his hand?*

Functional language: *How old are you? What's your address? What's your telephone number? How many teeth have you got?*

Adjectives: *angry, bad, big, bored, careful, cold, crazy, excited, fat, frustrated, handsome, happy, hot, important, lazy, long, pretty, responsible, sad, short, small, strong, surprised, tall, thin, ugly, weak, wide, worried*

Numbers: *20–100*

Family members: *aunt, brother, cousin, father, mother, sister, uncle*

Continents: *Africa, Antarctica, Asia, Europe, America, Oceania*

Oceans: *Arctic, Atlantic, Indian, Pacific*

Time expressions: *a long time ago, last week, now, today, yesterday*



Past simple: *David wrote a diary. He made maps. I went to the cinema. I didn't write a letter. He didn't go alone. She didn't see a river. Did he meet the Emperor of China? Yes, he did./No, he didn't. Did they give them some food? Yes, they did./No, they didn't. Did you make your bed? Yes, I did./No, I didn't.*

Functional language: *It's my turn. Here's the dice. Throw the dice. I'm the winner.*

Verbs: *buy, carry, cross, do, eat, give, go, have, live, make, meet, run, say, see, sing, sleep, start, take, travel, visit, walk, write*

Places: *beach, desert, mountain*

Food: *ice cream, pasta, pizza, rice, soup*

Professions: *clown, doctor, inventor, musician, sailor*

Animals: *camel, dog, dolphin, eagle, horse, kangaroo, penguin, rat, snake, tiger*

Other words: *bandit, book, diary, fork, guard, kite, letter, map, palace, postcard, sandcastle, shepherd, silk, silkworm*

Time expressions: *every day, every week, every weekend, every year, last week, last weekend, last year, today, yesterday*



Past simple (regular verbs): *I sailed on a ship. He cooked his food. They didn't work. He didn't listen. Did the captain shout for his lunch? Did the pirates jump into the river?*

Past simple (Wh questions): *What did you call your ship? Where did the pirates travel? What did you do?*

Functional language: *What does it mean? Come on! Hurray! Look!*

Regular verbs: *attack, capture, clean, climb, cook, escape, jump, live, paint, rob, sail, shout, study, travel, walk, want, wash, watch, work*

Irregular verbs: *become, drink, eat, go, have, ride, sleep, wear*

Pirate words: *captain, earring, eye patch, flag, gold, parrot, pirate, pistol, ship, silver, sword, treasure chest/map, wooden leg*

Countries: *Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Colombia, Dominican Republic, Egypt, England, France, India, Italy, Japan, Peru, Russia, Spain*

Words for physical description: *beard, black, blonde, brown, long, moustache, red, short, strong, tall*

