

Unit 26

Vocabulary

1 Circle the odd one out.

- 1 cotton denim jeans plastic
- 2 fashionable stylish smart scruffy
- 3 bargain outfit clothes accessories
- 4 article letter sale advert
- 5 bracelet belt earrings chain

2 Complete.

- 1 Leather comes from animal skins.
- 2 T-shirts are usually made of c _____.
- 3 Shop assistants often give customers p _____ bags.
- 4 Jewellery is often made of g _____ and s _____.
- 5 Expensive scarves are often made of s _____.
- 6 D _____ clothes are tough – and usually blue.

Reading

3 Read the article. Circle the correct answers.

We took our two lucky competition winners to the London Fashion Show last week, with £500 each to spend! Here's what they say about it!

Alicia

It was a fantastic experience, although I must say, I wouldn't actually wear most of the clothes that were modelled. I mean, some of the skirts were much too short, and others were too long – some of them looked really silly. One of the models was wearing a paper dress, and another one had a plastic T-shirt. Imagine that! It would be much too hot inside it! I'd hate to be a model. They have to wear horrible things sometimes. But there were still lots of things that I loved. In fact, almost too many to choose from (although I managed!). I had enough money to buy several really fantastic outfits. The trouble is, they're too special to wear!

Alan

I thought it might be all girls there, but in fact there were lots of men there, too, and most of the designers were men. I chose a jacket and a couple of silk shirts. I've never spent so much money on clothes before.

It was too much, really. I mean, the shirts are silk, so I suppose the price was OK, but £400 for a jacket, that's crazy money, isn't it! I might never be brave enough to wear it, because I'll be frightened of ruining it. I'm glad I won the competition, and now I think I might like to be a fashion designer myself.



- 1 Alicia
 - a) loved all the clothes.
 - b) loved some of the clothes.
 - c) thought all the clothes were horrible.
- 2 Alicia
 - a) wants to be a model.
 - b) feels sorry for the models.
 - c) thinks the models are silly.
- 3 Alan thought
 - a) the prices were OK.
 - b) the shirts were too expensive.
 - c) the jacket was too expensive.
- 4 Alan might never wear his jacket because
 - a) he doesn't like it.
 - b) he is embarrassed.
 - c) it cost too much money.
- 5 Alan is probably
 - a) more interested in fashion than Alicia.
 - b) as interested in fashion as Alicia.
 - c) not very interested in fashion.

Grammar: *too, (not) enough*

4a Put the words in the correct order. Write sentences.

- 1 go / too / swimming / cold / to / it's
It's too cold to go swimming.
- 2 bed / not / to / tired / I'm / enough / go / to
_____.
- 3 to / a / you / fit / mountain / enough / are / climb
_____?
- 4 that / to / film / they / young / are / see / too
_____.
- 5 band / weren't / we / to / see / the / too / late
_____.

4b Read the situations and write sentences. Use the words in brackets.

- 1 Sam wants to buy a CD. It costs £15, but he's only got £5. (expensive / buy)
The CD is too expensive to buy.
- 2 Liane lives a long way from school. She has to get a bus. (far / walk)
It's _____.
- 3 Frank is speaking, but I can't hear him. (loudly / hear)
He _____.
- 4 It's David's birthday tomorrow. He's very excited. He can't sleep. (excited / sleep)
He _____.
- 5 Jane is trying to lift a heavy box, but she can't. (strong / lift)
She _____ it.

Use of English: key word transformation

5 Complete the second sentence. Use the word given.

- 1 Perhaps I will buy some new shoes.
might
I might buy some new shoes.
- 2 We're too late to get tickets.
enough
We _____ tickets.
- 3 I'd love to have some new clothes.
wish
I _____ new clothes.
- 4 She is dressed too formally to go to school.
casually
She _____ to go to school.
- 5 I like casual clothes more than formal clothes.
prefer
I _____ formal clothes.
- 6 I'm not rich enough to buy a car.
afford
I _____ a car.
- 7 He isn't old enough to get a job.
too
He _____ a job.
- 8 There is water all round us.
surrounded
We _____ water.

Language diary

too, (not) enough

too + adjective / adverb (+ infinitive)

I feel too tired to work.

We played too badly to win.

(not) + adjective / adverb + enough (+ infinitive)

Some people are not rich enough to buy clothes all the time.

She doesn't sing well enough to be in a band.

Right or wrong?

Right

✓ You aren't good enough to be in the team.

Wrong

✗ You aren't enough good to be in the team.

Unit 27

Vocabulary

1 Complete. Use these verbs.

get go x 2 look x 3 set work

- When did you set **up** your business?
- If you want to do well, you must really **for** it.
- 'Do you **on** well with your brother?' 'Yes, we're good friends.'
- When did they decide to **into** business?
- Who will **after** the shop for us?
- 'Does business **good**?' 'Yes, it's going really well!'
- What's the company's name? I'm going to **for** their website.
- This new design isn't very good. It doesn't **well**.

2 Complete.

- The Morris twins started their own company.
- More and more c s are buying their clothes
- They have to work hard and quickly - they are often under p .
- When you use the Internet, you must first go o .
- Ted is very good at Art. He has an e for colour.

Grammar: adverbs

3a Complete the table.

Adjective	Adverb	Comparative
bad	badly	<u>worse</u>
_____	_____	more carefully
early	_____	_____
_____	enthusiastically	_____
_____	_____	faster
_____	well	_____
happy	_____	_____
hard	_____	_____
_____	horribly	_____
late	_____	_____
_____	_____	more logically
_____	noisily	_____
practical	_____	_____
_____	_____	more quickly
safe	_____	_____
successful	_____	_____
_____	_____	more terribly
tragic	_____	_____

3b Complete the sentences so that they mean the same.

- Jane is a better dancer than Sally.
Jane dances better than Sally.
- George doesn't get up as early as David.
David gets up than George.
- I am a harder worker than my brother.
I work than my brother.
- Kate is a slower runner than Paul.
Kate runs than Paul.
- Lucy wears smarter clothes than Claire.
Lucy dresses than Claire.
- Tom is a more successful tennis player than Frank.
Tom plays tennis than Frank.
- Jack doesn't sing as badly as I do.
I sing than Jack.
- Alan is a faster cyclist than Harry.
Alan cycles than Harry.

Use of English: word formation

4 Complete with the correct form of the words.

- They made their plans **CARE**
very carefully.
- He made a _____ to **DECIDE**
go to university.
- He visits England **REGULAR**
_____.
- I hope the customers **SATISFY**
will be _____.
- The plan was very **SUCCEED**
_____.
- It has been designed **GOOD**
very _____.
- She looked _____ **PROUD**
at her son's work.
- He draws _____ **BRILLIANT**

Writing

- 5 Look at Tom and Marie's answers to a questionnaire. Write a paragraph comparing Tom with Marie.



What kind of person are you? Give yourself a mark from 1-5. (5 = brilliant, 0 = terrible)

Name	Tom	Marie
How well can you speak English?	4	1
How well can you cook?	0	2
How well can you dance?	5	3
How easily do you make friends?	4	5
What time do you usually go to bed?	10.30	11.30
What time do you usually get up?	6.30	8.00
How many hours' homework do you usually do every day?	0	3

Tom can speak English better than Marie but Marie can cook better than Tom.

Tom goes to bed earlier ...

Language diary

Adverbs

Adjective	Adverb	Comparative
slow	slowly	more slowly
active	actively	more actively
beautiful	beautifully	more beautifully
tragic	tragically	more tragically
good	well	better
bad	badly	worse
early	early	earlier
late	late	later
fast	fast	faster
hard	hard	harder

Sheila talks about the business **proudly**.
Ted can design **well**.
He can design **better** clothes **than** Sheila.
Today Ted and Sheila came to work **earlier than** usual.

Unit 28

Vocabulary

1 Complete. Use these words.

away back by ~~down~~ for up

- The engine **broke** down so Aza couldn't go home.
- He wanted to **get** _____ to his own planet quickly.
- He needed to **get** _____ from his enemies.
- A lot of time **went** _____ while he waited.
- He **made** _____ a tree and sat down under it.
- Aza **made** _____ a story, but it wasn't really true.

2 Complete.

- He or she works with engines.
technician
- It beats inside you.
h_____
- There are sixty of these in an hour.
m_____
- You make this sound when you're terrified.
s_____
- The opposite of *attractive*.
d_____

Reading

3 Read the text. Tick ✓ true and cross X false.

Enemies, but why?

Fifty years before Aza was born, the people of the two planets had been great friends. The Brodian people loved visiting Aylia because there were wonderful lakes and beaches, and beautiful mountain scenery, too. It was so relaxing, and the Aylians were so friendly, that many Brodians went to Aylia for their holidays. In those days, green-skinned Aylian children and orange-skinned Brodian children played happily together while their parents chatted under the trees.

The Brodians were great explorers and they had discovered several new planets. Soon they became the rulers of these planets. Over the years, they had become so rich that the Aylians began to be jealous. The Brodians could afford long holidays and so, while the Aylians were working, the Brodians were enjoying Aylia.

Then one day, a Brodian spaceship crashed into an Aylian one. Both the pilots were killed. It was an accident, but the Aylians were so angry that they sent war rockets to Brod. The war had started.

- The Brodians liked Aylia
- Brodian children used to play with Aylian children.
- The Aylians became richer than the Brodians.
- Aylian people worked hard.
- The Brodian pilot started the war deliberately.

Grammar: *so* + adjective / adverb + *that*

4a Join the sentences.

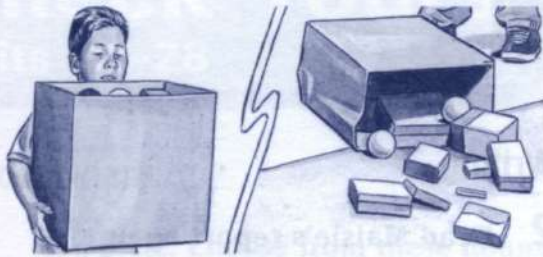
- He was bored. He fell asleep.
He was so bored that he fell asleep.
- She ran fast. She won the race.

- They sang loudly. I complained.

- He trained hard. He was picked for the team.

- She is clever. She wins all the prizes.

4b Look at the pictures. Write sentences with **so ... that ...**



(heavy/drop)

1 The box was so heavy that he
dropped it



(slowly/miss)

2 They walked _____



(delicious/eat)

3 The cake _____



(well/win)

4 They played _____



(tired/fall asleep)

5 She was _____

Use of English: multiple choice

5 Circle the correct words.

Stanley climbed into the spaceship and took ¹ _____. They were making ² _____ Earth when, suddenly, the space depot ³ _____ him.

'There's a ⁴ _____ with one of your engines. Be careful,' ⁵ _____ his commander.

The journey ⁶ _____ three days.

Nothing unusual happened.

'Perhaps he was making it ⁷ _____,' thought Stanley.

Then the sound of the engines stopped, and for a ⁸ _____ time everything was quiet.

'We're going to crash!' thought Stanley.

His heart was ⁹ _____ wildly.

He opened the emergency door, and

¹⁰ _____.

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|---|------------|-------------|
| 1 a) <input checked="" type="radio"/> off | b) out | c) away |
| 2 a) at | b) for | c) to |
| 3 a) shouted | b) cried | c) called |
| 4 a) trouble | b) problem | c) matter |
| 5 a) spoke | b) told | c) said |
| 6 a) took | b) spent | c) made |
| 7 a) on | b) up | c) off |
| 8 a) large | b) great | c) long |
| 9 a) hitting | b) beating | c) knocking |
| 10 a) fell | b) dropped | c) jumped |

Language diary

so + adjective / adverb + that

*The child was **so miserable that** she started to cry.*

*The children were shouting **so loudly that** they woke me up.*

Skills Special 7

Reading

1 Read Maisie's report about computer games. Put each heading in the correct place.

- a) Conclusion
- b) General Information
- c) Introduction
- d) Staff and Service
- e) Stock and Cost

1 c

More and more people play computer games these days, but they can be expensive, so I've been comparing two places to buy them.

2

justclickit.com is the latest games website. It's very successful, and I can see why. I've also just paid a visit to Ricky's Software Store. They've just opened a big shop in the High Street.

3

Ricky's has a very wide variety of games and the prices aren't too bad, although, of course, there's a lot more to choose from and you can get things more cheaply from *justclickit.com*.

4

The really good thing about Ricky's is that the shop assistants know a lot about computers and they are always happy to give advice. They're really friendly and helpful.

I tried asking *justclickit.com* for some advice, and after two days I got an e-mail that just told me to look at their website again. However, if you know what you want, *justclickit.com* are cheap and efficient.

5

Personally, I prefer Ricky's, although I think that for people who don't live in town, and for people who know what they want, *justclickit.com* is probably better. Really, you need to try them both for yourselves!

Writing

2 Read Maisie's report again. Write down two places to buy books or videos (e.g. shops or websites).

Write a report comparing them.

There are lots of places to buy books/videos. Here is some information about just two of them.

Paragraph 1 Introduction

Paragraph 2 General Information

Paragraph 3 Stock and Cost

Paragraph 4 Staff and Service

Paragraph 5 Conclusion

(say which one you prefer and why)
