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The first five pages of the unit help you build your language skills and knowledge. These pages include speaking, listening, reading, writing, grammar and vocabulary activities. They also include **Classroom language** and **Sounds and spelling** activities. They are followed by a **Target activity** which will help you put together what you have learned.





Then there is a **Keyword** section, which looks at the most common and useful words in English. This is followed by an **Explore speaking** or **Explore writing** task, and an **Across cultures** activity. These sections give you extra language and skills work, all aiming to help you become a better communicator in English and a more effective learner.



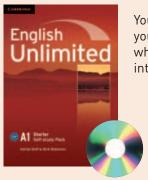
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- talk about your daily routine
- o say where and when you have meals
- ø describe transport in towns \odot ask and say how to get to places
- say how you go to work or school
- ask about daily routinesask about weekends and holidays

Target activity

Talk about things you do every day

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Let's ... , Could you ...

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- **EXPLOREWriting** o give reasons and explanations
- o join ideas using so/because

Across cultures

Journeys



Last week

- talk about things you did or saw
- say what you often do at the weekend
- say what you did last weekend ask and say where people were
- o say where you were
- o talk about a film or a book
- o talk about a place you know

Target activity

Talk about things you did or saw

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/3:/./3"/

Keyword

see, look at, watch

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- make requests
- o reply to requests

Across cultures

Housework



Places

- o talk about a place you visited
- say what you saw and did
- o sav what you didn't see or do
- talk about holiday activities
- o ask people what they did
- o talk about months and weather
- o say when to visit a place ask about a holiday or business trip

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EXPLOREWriting

write about a sequence of events

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- ask what people are doing
- talk about arrangements
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- o decide what to do and where to go o make suggestions

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Invite someone to go out

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Keyword that

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reply to questions **Across cultures**

Family weekend



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- talk about your life
- say when people were born and died
- o say when people did things
- say what people did in their lives
 talk about important events in your life
- o tell someone's life story
- say when things happened o talk about your past
- ask about someone's past **Target activity** Talk about your life

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EXPLOREWriting write when things

happened**Across cultures**

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