# 5 A Perfect Day

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- 5.1 perfect (adj) /'pɜːfɪkt/ the best for a certain thing ● It's a perfect day to go swimming. >> perfection (n)
- 5.2 iguana (n) /ɪ'gwaːnə/ a large tropical lizard ● Iguanas amazing lizards and they've got a third eye on top of their heads!
- 5.3 fish (v) /fɪʃ/ catch a fish with a net or hook ● The sign says you can't fish in this river. We have to protect the fish. ➤ fishing (n)

### Reading

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- journey (n) /'dʒɜːni/ a trip from one place to another • We're going on a long journey by train from Paris to Istanbul.
- build (v) /bɪld/
  make sth by putting things together They're
  building a new hotel near my favourite beach.
   building, builder (n)
- 5.6 snowman (n) /'snəʊmæn/ a shape like a person that sb makes from snow ● There was a lot of snow last Saturday and the children had fun making a snowman in the park.
- 5.7 toboggan (n) /tə'bɒgən/
  sth made to carry sb/sth over snow and ice
  Dad made a toboggan for us to ride down the hill in the snow. ➤ toboggan (v)
  Syn: sledge
- 5.8 seaweed (n) /'sixwixd/
  a plant that grows in the sea I don't like
  walking into the sea where there's lots of
  seaweed near the beach.
- whale (n) /weɪl/
  a very large sea animal that looks like a fish
  Sarah watched the whales swimming in the ocean and one was blowing water from the top of its head.
- 5.10 Dubai (n) /dux'baɪ/

#### **Word Focus**

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- 5.11 slide (v) /slaɪd/
  move easily across sth wet or icy, etc.
  I wanted to learn to ice skate, but my feet began to slide and I fell down. ➤ slide (n)
- **5.12 bridesmaid** (n) /'braɪdzmeɪd/ a girl or woman who walks together with the bride during a wedding • Louise's three best friends were her bridesmaids at her wedding.

- turquoise (n) /'tɜːkwɔɪz/
   a green-blue colour Under the sun and the blue sky, the sea looked turquoise.
   turquoise (adj)
- 5.14 lighthouse (n) /'laɪthaʊs/
  a tall building near the sea with a bright light
  on top to show sailors where the coast is or
  where rocks are At the end of the harbour
  wall, there's an old lighthouse so that ships
  can find the way in.
- 5.15 waterslide (n) /'wɔːtəˌslaɪd/
  a slide with water going down for sb to slide
  down into a pool Luke's mum looked worried
  when he went on a really high waterslide at
  the swimming pool.
- slide (n) /slaɪd/
  a structure that is high at one side and reaches
  the ground at the other so that sb can sit on
  the top and slide down The children laughed
  as they slid down the slide in the playground.

  > slide (v)
- 5.17 waterpark (n) /'wɔːtəˌpaːk/ a park with swimming pools, slides and other things for children to play on ● We're going on a day trip to the waterpark. I love playing on the waterslides there.

### Reading

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- 5.18 such (det, pron) /s∧t∫/ used before a noun to stress the meaningThis is such a beautiful place.
- **5.19** wake up (phr v) /weɪk ∧p/ stop sleeping • What time do you usually wake up in the morning?
- 5.20 snowball (n) /'snəʊbɔːl/
  a ball sb makes from snow Hey! Don't throw
  snowballs at the window!
- 5.21 fight (n) /faɪt/ a competition between two people or groups; an argument where people use physical strength to compete with sb ● George had a fight with his brother because they both wanted to use the computer. ➤ fight (v), fighter (n)
- 5.22 soup (n) /suːp/ a kind of food made with vegetables and/or meat boiled in water so they are soft ● I had a big bowl of hot tomato soup for lunch.
- 5.23 roast (adj) /rəʊst/ cooked inside an oven ● Jill is cooking chicken and roast potatoes for her family. >> roast (v), roast (n)

- 5.24 take turns (in/at sth) (expr) /teɪk tɜːnz ɪn ət sʌmθɪŋ/ do sth, e.g. play a game, one player after the other The children are waiting to take turns at going down the waterslide.
- 5.25 great-grandmother (n) /'greɪt 'grænmʌðə(r)/ your grandmother's or grandfather's mother
  Mathew's great-grandmother is ninety years old.
- 5.26 hairdresser's (n) /'headresaz/
  a place sb goes to have their hair cut or styled
  Kelly is going to the hairdresser's so that she can look good on her holiday.
  ➤ hairdresser (n)
- earring (n) /'iəriŋ/
  an item of jewellery that sb wears on their ear
  Gloria is wearing a pair of gold earrings.
- **5.28** reception (n) /rɪ'sep∫n/ a party to celebrate a wedding • Have you got an invitation to Laila and Tom's wedding reception?
- fishing (n) /'fɪʃɪŋ/
  the activity of catching fish In the evening,
  we often see people fishing from the harbour.
  ⇒ fish (v), fish (n)
- 5.30 sunrise (n) /'sʌnraɪz/
  the time that you can begin to see the sun in
  the sky in the morning It was a long journey,
  so we got up very early and left home at
  sunrise.
- 5.31 suddenly (adv) /'s∧dənli/ very quickly and not expected • Suddenly, Bob saw a dog in the middle of the road, so he stopped the car. > sudden (n)
- 5.32 humpback whale (n) /ˌhʌmpbæk 'weɪl/
  a kind of whale with a large round shape on
  its back Humpback whales are so big! They
  can be up to 16 metres long.
- 5.33 in the distance (expr) /ɪn ðə 'dɪstəns/ far away From the top of the hill, you can see the sea in the distance.
- 5.34 distance (n) /'dɪstəns/
  the amount of space between two places
  Thessaloniki is a very long distance from Kalamata. ➤ distant (adj)
- 5.35 believe (v) /bɪˈliːv/
  think that sth is true *I don't believe you can*catch a fish with your hands. > belief (n)
- pass (v) /pæs/
  move past sth/sb; succeed in an exam We
  passed the playground and saw the students.
  They looked happy because they passed their
  exams. ➤ pass (n)
- 5.37 lighthouse keeper (n) /'laɪthaʊs 'kiɪpə(r)/
  sb who works in a lighthouse Susan and
  Mike live in a lighthouse because their father is
  the lighthouse keeper.

#### **People**

bridesmaid lighthouse keeper great-grandmother organiser

- 5.38 let (v) /let/
  allow sb to do sth Our parents sometimes let
  us stay up late to watch a film together.
- science fiction (n) /,saɪəns 'fɪk∫n/
  a kind of book or film that has a story about
  characters in the future or from other planets,
  etc. Ronald writes science fiction stories
  about a family from another planet.
- 5.40 afterwards (adv) /'aːftəwədz/ after sth else happened; later ● Stanley went swimming and afterwards, he had a hot bath.
- hire (v) /'haɪə(r)/
  pay to use sth for a short time They hired a
  car to drive around the island. ➤ hire (v)
- 5.42 quad bike (n) /kwpd/ a motorbike with four wheels ● Remember to wear a helmet when you ride a quad bike on the farm road.
- 5.43 possible (adj) /'pɒsəbl/ that can happen ● It isn't possible to walk in the desert without water. > possibility (n), possibly (adv)
- **5.44 brilliant** (adj) /'brɪliənt/ really good *l've got a brilliant idea! Let's go to the waterpark.*
- 5.45 sure (adj) /∫υə(r)/
  certain I'm sure I passed the English test.

  > sure (adv)
- pity (n) /'pɪti/
  a feeling that you are sorry or sad about sth
  It's a pity you can't come with us. >> pity (v)
- 5.47 helmet (n) /'helmɪt/ a hard hat that you wear on your head to protect it ● Wear a helmet when you ride your skateboard.
- 5.48 hurt (v) /hɜːt/ make sb/sth feel pain; feel pain ● Harry doesn't go fishing because he doesn't want to hurt any fish. ➤ hurt (n, adv)
- 5.49 hit (v) /hɪt/ put your hand or an object against sb/sth quickly • Daisy hit the ball hard and won the tennis match. >> hit (n)

### Vocabulary

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amusement park (n) /əˈmjuːzmənt paːk/
a place where people can pay to go on rides
to have fun ● Let's go on some rides at the
amusement park. It's fun!

Syn: funfair

- **5.51** wild (adj) /waɪld/ living in a natural place, not kept in a house, etc. ● You can't drive cars in the national park to protect the wild animals and plants. > wild (n)
- 5.52 snowboarding (n) /'snəʊbɔːdɪŋ/
  the sport/activity of riding a board on snow
  down a hill I like riding a toboggan, but I
  want to try snowboarding this winter.

  ➤ snowboard (v, n), snowboarder (n)
- 5.53 surfing (n) /'ssɪfɪŋ/
  the sport/activity of standing on a board and riding on the sea My favourite water sport is surfing. ➤ surf (v, n), surfer (n)
- 5.54 Ferris wheel (n) /'feris wiil/
  a large wheel that has seats for people to ride
  in at an amusement park The London Eye is
  a giant Ferris wheel in the centre of London.
- a South American animal with a long neck and thick hair The old farmer uses his llamas to carry his vegetables to the market.
- **5.56** rollercoaster (n) /'rəʊlə kəʊstə(r)/
  a kind of small train that rides up and down at an amusement park My little brothers love going on the rollercoaster. It's so exciting for them!
- 5.57 ride (n) /raɪd/ a short trip • Do you want to go for a ride on the lake in our boat? ➤ ride (v), rider (n)
- **5.58** path (n) /pa:θ/ a track made by people or animals walking or built for walking on ● Maria is making a new garden path around her house.
- 5.59 attend (v) /ə'tend/ go to sth; be present at sth • We haven't got school today because our teachers are attending a meeting. ➤ attendance (n) I
- **5.60** hilltop (n) /'hɪltɒp/ the highest part of a hill ● You can see the whole town from the hilltop.
- 5.61 fun run (n) /'fʌn rʌn/
  a long distance run that people do to collect
  money for sth We're doing a three-mile fun
  run to collect money for our school trip.
- 5.62 footpath (n) /'futpa:θ/ a path for people to walk on • Cars or motorbikes are not allowed on the footpaths through the park.
- scary (adj) /'skeəri/ sb/sth that makes sb feel afraid • It was dark and scary inside the castle. ➤ scare (v, n), scared (adj)
- try doing sth; take a turn Andrew's a good swimmer and now he wants to have a go at surfing.

- the things sb knows about from learning or doing Marios has no knowledge of French, so he's trying to learn before he goes to study in France. ➤ know (v), knowledgeable (adj)
- **5.66 skating rink** (n) /'skeitin rink/ a place made for people to do ice skating or roller skating • You can hire skates to wear at the skating rink.
- 5.67 nervous (adj) /'nɜːvəs/
  worried about or scared of sth Fiona was
  very nervous about learning to ride a horse.
- **5.68** waste (v) /weɪst/ use more of sth than you need ● The film starts at seven o'clock, so get ready now and don't waste time. ➤ waste (n)
- 5.69 outdoor (adj) /'autdoː(r)/
  sth that is or happens outside Paul enjoys
  cycling, camping and other outdoor activities.
  > outdoors (adv)
- indoor (adj) /'ɪndɔː(r)/
  sth that is or happens inside The hotel has
  an indoor swimming pool where you can swim
  in any season. ➤ indoors (adv)

#### **Compound Nouns**

amusement park hilltop backpack humpback whale blood vessel lighthouse keeper bridesmaid quad bike science fiction day out earring seaweed footpath snowball fun run snowman great-grandmother waterpark hairdresser's waterslide

### Grammar

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- 5.71 puddle (n) /'p∧dl/ a small pool of water on the ground • My dog got wet because it ran into the puddle on the path.
- 5.72 pizzeria (n) /ˌpiːtsə'riːə/ a pizza restaurant ● Ursula and Derek are having a meal at a pizzeria near the museum.
- 5.73 study (v) /'st∧di/ go to school, etc. to learn sth; spend time reading sth to learn; • Did you study for the history test? >> study, student (n)
- 5.74 popcorn (n) /'pppk>:n/ a kind of snack made from cooking grains of corn ● Sonia made popcorn and sandwiches for the party.

5.75 university (n) / juːnɪ'vɜːsəti/ a school where sb can study sth at a very high level ● Anne's sister is studying at university to become a doctor.

#### **Places**

amusement park path footpath pizzeria hairdresser's puddle hilltop skating rink in the country lighthouse waterpark middle

- 5.76 sunglasses (n) /'s∧nglassiz/ a pair of glasses to protect your eyes from the light of the sun • Lynn always wears her big hat and a pair of sunglasses when she goes to the beach.
- 5.77 bedtime (n) /'bedtaɪm/
  the time when sb usually goes to sleep Max
  enjoys reading a book at bedtime.
- 5.78 middle (n) /'mɪdl/
  the centre point of sth There was a lovely bowl of flowers in the middle of the table.
- ago (adv) /ə'gəʊ/
  in the past (used after a time expression)

   It was my birthday three days ago.
- 5.80 as (conj) /əz/ in the way that; because • As the teacher said, the trip was very interesting. ➤ as (adv, prep)
- 5.81 exotic (adj) /Ig'zvtlk/
  from a tropical country; exciting and different

  To finish the meal, the restaurant offered us some pineapple and other exotic fruit.
- 5.82 so (conj) /səʊ/
  used to show the reason, or purpose for sth;
  used to show the result of sth Simon got up
  early today, so he's really tired now.

  > so (adv, n)
- the time that sb usually eats lunch Mabel often takes a walk in the park and eats a sandwich there at lunchtime.
- 5.84 attach (v) /ə'tæt∫/ join sth onto sth else • Harris attached a photo of his bike to the advert. ➤ attachment (n)

#### **Adjectives**

brilliant perfect
exotic possible
indoor roast
nervous scary
outdoor sure

### Listening

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- in common (expr) /In 'kpmən/
  with the same kind of interests or
  characteristics Ilona and Olga have a lot
  in common. For example, they are both from
  Poland and they love science fiction books
  and exploring. ➤ common (adj)
- 5.86 day out (n) /,deɪ 'aʊt/
  a one-day trip We're having a day out on our bikes tomorrow.
- 5.87 cruise (n) /kruːz/
  a journey by ship to visit different places
  Vassilis went on a six-day cruise around the islands. ➤ cruise (v), cruiser (n)
- 5.88 Caribbean (n) /ˌkærɪˈbiːən/

  ➤ Caribbean (adj)
- romantic (adj) /rəʊ'mæntɪk/
  connected with love We listened to romantic
  songs on the radio. ➤ romance (n)

### Speaking

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- in the country (expr) /ɪn ðə 'kʌntri/
  in an area with fields and farms far away
  from town or cities The club meets every
  Saturday morning to go for a long walk over
  the hills in the country.
- 5.91 sightseeing (n) /'saɪtsiɪɪŋ/
  the activity of visiting places to look at
  famous buildings, etc. The Wilsons are on a
  sightseeing tour of Rome. ➤ sightseer (n)
- 5.92 backpack (n) /'bækpæk/
   a bag that you carry on your back Jim put
   his camera in his backpack to go sightseeing.
   > backpack (v)
- 5.93 souvenir (n) /ˌsuːvə'nɪə(r)/
  sth you buy to remember a place you visit,
  sometimes to give as a present I bought
  some souvenirs at the museum to remember
  my trip to New York.
- 5.94 feeling (n) /'fiːlɪŋ/ sth that you feel, e.g. happiness, love, hate, thirst ● I can understand my dog's feelings. He jumps around moving his tail when he's happy and excited. ➤ feel (v)
- **5.95 opinion** (n) /ə'pɪnjən/ what sb thinks or believes about sth ● *What's* your opinion of the waterpark? Is it a good place to visit?

### Writing

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5.96 feel (v) /fixl/ have a certain feeling • Everybody felt tired and hungry after the long walk. ➤ feeling (n)

- 5.97 experience (n) /Ik'spiəriəns/
  sth you did or sth that happened to you
  Irene's grandmother is writing a book about her travel experiences. ➤ experience (v)
- 5.98 organiser (n) /'ɔːgənaɪzə(r)/
  sth like a notebook to keep information of
  plans and other things to remember; sb who
  plans events Agnes uses her tablet as
  an organiser for her homework and other
  activities. ➤ organise (v), organised (adj)
- **5.99 appointment** (n) /ə¹pɔɪntmənt/ a time and date that sb plans to meet sb or be somewhere • What time is your appointment at the hairdresser's?
- 5.100 meeting (n) /'mixtin/
  an event when people meet together to talk
  about sth important We're having a parents'
  meeting to talk about what we need for our
  camping trip. ➤ meet (v)
- 5.101 hot air balloon (n) /ˌhɒt 'eə bəluːn/
  a very large balloon that is filled with hot air to
  move high above the ground, usually with a
  large basket below that carries people

  I flew over Central Park in New York in a
  hot air balloon. It was amazing!
- 5.102 competition (n) /ˌkɒmpə'tɪ∫n/
  an event that people take part in to see who is
  the best at sth John felt nervous before the
  surfing competition. ➤ compete (v), competitor
  (n), competitive (adj)
- 5.103 view (n) /vjuː/ what sb can see from somewhere ● There's a great view of the city from the restaurant on top of the hotel. ➤ view (v)
- 5.104 moment (n) /'məʊmənt/ a particular short period of time● Starting his first job was a special moment for Frank.
- 5.105 memory (n) /¹meməri/ the part of the brain that makes sb remember sth; sth that sb remembers ● Janet is good at history because she has a great memory. She never forgets anything!
- 5.106 draft (n) /draſtt/
  sth that sb writes quickly before checking this
  to do the final writing Alice made three drafts
  of her story before she wrote the book.

  > draft (v)

#### **Activities**

laughter yoga

appointment lunchtime bedtime meeting build a snowman reception competition ride rollercoaster cruise day out sightseeing skating rink experience Ferris wheel slide fishina snowboarding fun run sunglasses hot air balloon surfina toboggan iournev waterslide laughter

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- 5.107 laughter (n) /'laːftə(r)
  the action of laughing; the sound made by
  laughing The film was very funny and the
  cinema was filled with laughter. ➤ laugh (v)
- 5.108 yoga (n) /'jəʊgə/
  an activity to exercise the body and focus the mind with different movements and controlled breathing Andrea does yoga twice a week at the gym.

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- 5.109 communicate (v) /kəˈmjuːnɪkeɪt/
  give information by talking or writing, etc. We
  can send emails to communicate with people
  all round the world. ➤ communication (n)
- 5.110 energy (n) /'enədʒi/ the strong feeling made by a group of people or from a place or thing; power ● Nicky believes that we can get good energy from plants in the house. ➤ energise (v), energetic (adj)
- 5.111 healthy (adj) /'helθi/
  good for you because it helps stop you getting
  ill; being well; not being ill I prefer to drink
  something healthy like fruit juice and not fizzy
  drinks. ➤ health (n)
- 5.112 heart (n) /ha:t/ the part of the body that makes the blood go around ● Grandad had a problem with his heart, so he went to hospital and the doctors helped it work better.
- 5.113 blood vessel (n) /'blʌd vesl/
  a tube that blood goes through in the body
  Doing sports can help to keep our blood vessels healthy.

- 5.114 condition (n) /kən'dɪ∫n/
  the state of how sth/sb is Liam cycles to
  work to keep himself in good condition.
- 5.115 positive (adj) /'ppzətīv/
  good or helpful Joe's visit to the yoga club
  was a positive experience for him.
   ⇒ positive (n)
- 5.116 social (adj) /'səʊʃl/
  connected with activities people do to spend
  time together I enjoy going to different social
  events like barbecues and parties.

  ➤ social, society (n)