

# 'New Inspiration 2' Practice Online

This course accompanies 'New Inspiration 2'. It corresponds to CEFR level A2-B1 and Cambridge ESOL KET. There are eight Units and four 'Self Assessment' units. Resources are grouped into nine categories: 'Language Focus', 'Vocabulary', 'Pronunciation', 'Listening', 'Reading', 'Video', 'KET for schools', 'Language Test' and 'Language game'.

## UNIT 1

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### Making friends

#### Description

**This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language used to talk about clothes and jobs. It also provides practice of the present simple and continuous and possessive adjectives and pronouns.**

#### Title

#### Syllabus components Syllabus component description

Preparation for KET for schools The Reading and Writing Part 2 exercise focuses on vocabulary by selecting the correct word to complete sentences. The Reading and Writing Part 3 exercise focuses on functional language by choosing the correct response to complete short conversations.

Language Test

Present simple: spelling

Listening

Listening to descriptions of what four people are wearing and matching the descriptions with pictures of the people. Listening to people talking about jobs in the film industry and keying in the correct words to complete the sentences.

Video

Present continuous: spelling

Vocabulary

Practising clothes and colours. Practising spelling words for clothes. Practising words associated with jobs.

Pronunciation

Practising the consonants /s/, /z/ and /iz/.

Pronouns and possession

Language Focus

Practising the present simple of the verb 'be'. Checking your knowledge of spelling rules for the present simple. Practising the present simple. Checking your knowledge of spelling rules for the present continuous. Practising the present continuous to talk about what you are doing now. Practising the use of object and subject pronouns and possessive pronouns and adjectives.

What colour is it?

Reading

Reading an article about Facebook, and then deciding if the sentences are true or false.

Clothes

Language Game

Consonant sounds  
My favourite clothes

Paper 1 Part 2

Paper 1 Part 3

## UNIT 2

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### Festivals

#### Description

**This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language we use to talk about making comparisons and giving advice. It also provides practice of the use of 'should' and prepositions of place.**

#### Title

#### Syllabus components Syllabus component description

Language Test

Preparation for KET for schools The Reading and Writing Part 1 exercise focuses on identifying where you can find five notices. The Listening Part 2 exercise focuses on an informal, longer conversation by listening to two friends talking about events in an arts festival and selecting the correct event for each day.

Superlative adjectives: irregular superlatives

Video

Language Focus

Checking your knowledge of irregular superlatives. Practising comparative and superlative adjectives. Practising gerunds. Practising the modal verb 'should'. Practising prepositions of place.

Reading	Reading about the Brussels Flower Carpet Festival and selecting the correct answers to multiple-choice questions.	Modals of advice
Language Game		Directions
Listening	Listening to someone talking about places in a town and choosing True or False to show where the places and people are.	Places and buildings
Pronunciation	Practising consonant sounds.	Music
Vocabulary	Practising the spelling of adjectives. Practising the names of buildings and places. Practising words you need to talk about music.	Ask the pilot Consonant sounds My town Paper 1 Part 1 Paper 2 Part 2

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**Self Assessment Units 1 and 2** **This syllabus item provides additional practice of the language studied in Units 1 and 2.**  
**Syllabus components** **Syllabus component description**

Preparation for KET for schools		
Pronunciation		
Reading		Possessive 's
Video	Practising vocabulary about transport by keying the correct form of transport into the gap and then choosing the correct answers to the questions.	Modals of advice
Vocabulary	Practising words associated with music. Practising words to do with places.	Where do you go to ...?
Language Test	Practising verb forms. Practising the comparative and superlative form. Listening to nine people speaking and keying in the correct speaker number next to the relevant picture.	
Language Game	Matching the names of jobs and workplaces.	
Language Focus	Practising the possessive 's. Practising the modal verbs 'should' and 'shouldn't'.	
Listening		Greyhound Midnight Sleep

**UNIT 3**

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	<b>Description</b>	<b>Title</b>
<b>Past times</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language we use to talk about the past. It also provides practice of irregular verbs and the past simple and the past continuous.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components</b>	<b>Syllabus component description</b>	
Reading	Practising analysing a text by reading a description of a fishing trip and dragging each event and dropping it into the correct order.	Past simple
Vocabulary	Practising forms of transport. Practising vocabulary about jobs. Practising varied vocabulary by listening to the audio and keying in the missing word.	Past simple
Language Focus	Practising words associated with transport. Practising the past simple. Practising the past simple by keying in the correct past forms of the verbs. Practising past simple regular forms. Practising the past continuous. Practising the past continuous by selecting the correct verb to complete a text. Checking your knowledge of the use of the past continuous.	
Language Game		
Pronunciation	Practising verb endings.	My day yesterday
Preparation for KET for schools	The Reading and Writing Part 5 exercise focuses mainly on grammar by selecting the correct word to complete a short description of the city of Kyoto in Japan. The Reading and Writing Part 5 exercise focuses mainly on grammar by choosing the correct words to complete a text short biography of Pete Sampras.	What were they doing yesterday?
Listening	Listening to two people talking about their hobbies and keying in the missing words to complete the stories.	What was everyone doing?
Language Test		Past continuous: use
Video		

Getting around  
Two stories

Paper 1 Part 5  
Paper 1 Part 5

## UNIT 4

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	<b>Description</b>	<b>Title</b>
<b>Performance</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language we use to talk about the future. It also provides practice of 'going to' and the future simple.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components Syllabus component description</b>		
Reading	Practising dialogue and recognising conversational cues by reading a conversation about a trip to the theatre and putting sentences in order.	
Pronunciation	Contrasting the two sounds /l/ and /i:/. Future with <i>will/won't</i> : use	
Vocabulary	Practising forming adverbs from adjectives. Practising names of types of TV programmes. Practising words related to performing. A future quiz	
Video		A school trip
Language Test		Adverbs of manner: word order
Preparation for KET for schools	The Listening Part 1 exercise focuses on factual information by listening to five short conversations and choosing the correct picture to answer questions about the conversations. The Reading and Writing Part 9 sample essay shows a note answering a friend's questions about going to a party.	
Language Focus	Practising the future tense using 'going to'. Checking your knowledge of when to use the future with 'will/won't'. Practising 'will' and 'won't'. Practising the future with 'will' and 'won't'. Checking your knowledge of adverbs of manner. Practising the future with 'going to' by listening to three conversations about different kinds of plans.	Adjectives and adverbs
Listening	Listening to an interview about a family going to live on a desert island and selecting the correct answer to sentences. Television programmes	
Language Game		Long and short vowels Life on a desert island Plans Paper 2 Part 1 Paper 1 Part 9

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<b>Self Assessment Units 3 and 4</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides additional practice of the language studied in Units 3 and 4.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components Syllabus component description</b>		
Pronunciation		A funny thing happened
Language Focus	Contrasting the past simple and the past continuous. Practising the future tenses.	
Language Game	Helping Agent 700 reach his partner's raft and escape from his enemies by choosing the correct past form of irregular verbs.	
Video	Practising vocabulary about shipping by keying in letters to complete a crossword then keying in the correct comparative or superlative form.	
Language Test	Listening to six people in different contexts and matching each speaker to the place that they are talking about. Practising verb forms. Practising using adjectives and adverbs.	
Preparation for KET for schools		
Listening		
Reading		Agent 700
Vocabulary	Practising the spelling of vocabulary relating to creative industries.	

## UNIT 5

### Description

### Title

<b>Out and about</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language we use to talk about food and restaurants. It also provides practice of the present continuous to talk about the future and countable and uncountable nouns.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components Syllabus component description</b>		
Vocabulary	Practising words and phrases used in restaurants. Practising words for and about food. Practising giving directions in a town. Practising vocabulary for jobs and occupations.	Round-the-world trip
Video		Object pronouns: pronoun reference
Language Game		
Pronunciation	Practising consonant sounds.	Choosing countable or uncountable nouns
Preparation for KET for schools	The Reading and Writing Part 3 exercise focuses on everyday language by choosing the correct sentence to complete short conversations. The Listening Part 1 exercise focuses on factual information. You listen to five short conversations and choose the correct picture to answer questions about each conversation.	<i>Much, many</i>
Language Focus	Practising the present continuous for future use. Checking your knowledge of object pronouns. Practising object pronouns and sentence structure. Practising countable and uncountable nouns. Practising 'much' and 'many'.	Eating out
Reading		Pronouncing sounds
Language Test		Fruit, vegetable, dairy or meat?
Listening	Listening to two people ordering food and choosing the guest who orders each item.	Food What's on the menu? How do I get there?
		Paper 1 Part 3 Paper 2 Part 1

**UNIT 6**

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	<b>Description</b>	<b>Title</b>
<b>Experiences</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language we use to talk about recent events and experiences. It also provides practice of the present perfect, 'too' and 'enough'.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components Syllabus component description</b>		
Listening	Listening to people talking about animals and keying in the correct word from the audio. Practising vocabulary on going out by listening to the audio and keying in the missing letters.	Present perfect: use
Vocabulary	Practising animal vocabulary and using categories. Practising words associated with transport. Practising words you need to talk about buildings. Practising vocabulary related to nature and landmarks.	Present perfect
Language Test		Present perfect with <i>just</i>
Video		
Language Focus	Checking your knowledge of the present perfect. Practising present perfect questions. Practising the present perfect with 'just'. Checking your knowledge of indefinite pronouns. Practising 'a lot of', 'a little', 'a few', 'too many', 'too much' and 'enough'.	
Reading		Indefinite pronouns: use
Preparation for KET for schools	The Reading and Writing Part 1 exercise focuses on signs by identifying the correct meaning for five notices. The Listening Part 5 exercise focuses on extracting specific information and writing it down by listening to a recorded message about a trip to London.	
Language Game		Quantity
Pronunciation		What happens where?
		Paper 1 Part 1 Paper 2 Part 5

**Self Assessment  
Units 5 and 6****This syllabus item provides additional practice  
of the language studied in Units 5 and 6.****Syllabus components Syllabus component description**

Vocabulary		A busy kitchen
Pronunciation		Indefinite pronouns: <i>some, any, every, no</i> + compounds
Language Game	Helping the police to catch two dangerous robbers by following directions.	
Video	Practising vocabulary from a video about Scotland by matching words from the video with pictures and then deciding which is the correct question for each answer.	
Reading		Elementary Test 10
Language Test	Testing your knowledge of prepositions: 'at', 'in', 'on' and indefinite pronouns, <i>some</i> + thing/one, <i>any</i> + thing/one.	Calling All Cars
Language Focus	Practising the present perfect with 'just'. Checking your knowledge of the use of indefinite pronouns. Practising the present perfect and adverbs of frequency.	
Listening		
Preparation for KET for schools		

**UNIT 7**

	<b>Description</b>	<b>Title</b>
<b>Wonderful world</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language we use to talk about obligation and prohibition and making suggestions. It also provides practice of compound nouns.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components Syllabus component description</b>		
Video		Obligation/necessity: <i>mustn't, don't have to</i>
Reading	Practising analysing a text by dragging each type of museum into the gap to match it with the correct paragraph.	Modals of obligation and necessity
Vocabulary	Practising the names of animals. Practising vocabulary about body language and feelings.	
Language Game		Adjectives ending in <i>-ed</i> and <i>-ing</i> : use
Language Test		Adjectives ending in <i>-ed</i> and <i>-ing</i> : list
Preparation for KET for schools	The Listening Part 5 exercise focuses on extracting specific information and writing it down by listening to a recorded message about a science park. The Reading and Writing Part 4 exercise focuses on reading for detailed understanding by deciding whether statements are right or wrong or whether the article doesn't mention the information.	
Language Focus	Checking your knowledge of using 'mustn't' and 'don't have to' to talk about obligation and necessity. Practising the modal verbs 'mustn't' and 'don't have to'. Checking your knowledge of adjectives ending in <i>-ed</i> and <i>-ing</i> and adjectives ending in <i>-ed</i> followed by a preposition. Checking your knowledge of adjectives ending in <i>-ed</i> and <i>-ing</i> . Practising choosing the correct form of the verb. Practising compound nouns.	
Listening	Listening to the audio and choosing the correct word to complete sentences.	Compound nouns
Pronunciation	Practising the correct pronunciation of 'th'.	Mammal, insect, bird, ...
		Consonant sounds
		Paper 2 Part 5
		Paper 1 Part 4

**UNIT 8**

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	<b>Description</b>	<b>Title</b>
<b>Moving images</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides practice of the kind of language we use to talk about processes, cause and effects. It also provides practice of conditional sentences and infinitives of purpose.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components Syllabus component description</b>		
Pronunciation	Practising identifying the schwa sound in single words.	Infinitives of purpose
Reading	Practising reading and analysing a text by reading a text about a boy's birthday and choosing the correct answer for each question.	
Preparation for KET for schools	This Reading and Writing Part 7 exercise focuses on grammar and vocabulary by keying in the missing words to complete two letters. This Listening Part 3 exercise focuses on understanding specific information by listening to two friends talking about an Internet cafe and choosing the correct answer to five questions.	
Language Game		
Language Focus	Practising infinitives of purpose. Checking your knowledge of question tags. Practising question tags with 'to be'. Practising using different tenses. Checking your knowledge of the use of the zero conditional. Practising the first conditional. Practising the open conditional tense.	Question tags: word order
Language Test		Completing questions
Listening	Listening to people talking about their jobs and keying in the correct words to complete the sentences. Listening to a girl talking about an experiment her family had with a TV and deciding whether the sentences are true or false.	Zero conditional: use
Video		
Vocabulary	Practising words related to films. Practising the spelling of occupations.	If you walk under a ladder ...  Are you a TV addict?  Find the schwa Paper 1 Part 7 Paper 2 Part 3

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<b>Self Assessment Units 7 and 8</b>	<b>This syllabus item provides additional practice of the language studied in Units 7 and 8.</b>	
<b>Syllabus components Syllabus component description</b>		
Reading		Obligation/necessity: <i>must, have to</i>
Listening		If you eat too much ...
Language Game	Matching words and drawings related to domestic animals, wild animals, extreme weather and jobs.	Question tags
Language Test	Testing general language areas and listening to a radio programme about keeping pets.	
Language Focus	Checking your knowledge of 'must' and 'have to'. Practising the zero conditional. Practising question tags.	
Preparation for KET for schools		Elementary Test 17
Pronunciation		Memory
Vocabulary	Practising vocabulary on various topics.	
Video	Practising vocabulary related to technology by dragging each noun next to the correct verb and then clicking on the correct answers.	