

Grammar

1 quantifiers

Underline the correct words in *italics*.

Please don't give me too *many/much* spaghetti as I'm not that hungry.

- 1 There is *few/little* cheap organic food around.
- 2 There's a great *deal/number* of nutritional advice on the Internet.
- 3 How *many/much* salt is there in this tin of tomatoes?
- 4 Would you like *any/some* milk with your coffee?
- 5 We've got a *few/little* chickens on our farm so we always have plenty of eggs.

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2 passives

Complete the sentences using the correct form of the verbs in the box.

announce	build	deliver	reheat	send	witness
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Yesterday's accident was witnessed by lots of people.

- 1 A new supermarket _____ at the moment but no one is happy about it.
- 2 Cooked rice shouldn't _____ .
- 3 I _____ the contract yet so how can I sign it?
- 4 The furniture we ordered _____ next week hopefully.
- 5 By this time next week the results of the election _____ .

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3 have/get something done

Rewrite the sentences.

Our neighbour is landscaping our garden for us.

We 're having our garden landscaped.

1 John cut Sally's hair last week.

Sally _____ .

2 The mechanic has just serviced my car.

I _____ .

3 Dan is going to make some kitchen cupboards for us.

We _____

4 Chris will be designing Mark's website soon.

Mark _____

5 A local caterer makes my birthday cake every year.

I _____ .

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Vocabulary

4 food and cooking

Underline the odd one out.

a wooden spoon a frying pan an oven a saucepan

1 sweet raw savoury bitter

2 bake roast chop fry

3 grate grill beat slice

4 an oven a cooker a grill a cook

5 a cabbage a potato a peach an onion

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5 verb phrases about shopping

Complete the sentences with one word.

I went to an auction recently but I didn't bid for anything.

- 1 You can often get a _____, for example 20%, if you buy large quantities.
- 2 There's a hole in this jumper which I bought here yesterday so I'd like a _____ please.
- 3 Make sure you get a _____ when you buy something otherwise you won't be able to get your money back.
- 4 I can't _____ to buy any new CDs because I've just moved into a new house and there are lots of expenses.
- 5 This winter coat was really expensive but it's _____ it because it's such good quality and will last for ever.

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6 excess

Complete the words.

I don't think that a television is considered to be a luxury any more.

- 1 I feel like going on a spending s _ _ _ _ as I haven't bought any new clothes for ages.
- 2 Paul spends so much money. He's really e _ _ _ _ _ _ _ _ but he's also incredibly generous.
- 3 I'm going to p _ _ _ _ myself this weekend and have a massage and a facial and perhaps even buy a new perfume.
- 4 Clare really s _ _ _ _ her children. She gives them everything they want.
- 5 The local restaurant always serves e _ _ _ _ -l _ _ _ _ portions and I never manage to finish a meal there.

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7 prefixes

Complete the sentences with the correct prefixes.

Oh no! Is that really the time? I can't believe I overslept again.

- 1 I saw my ____-boss the other day but luckily she didn't see me.
- 2 I'd like you to ____consider our offer.
- 3 It's hard not to speak your own language in a ____lingual class.
- 4 This meat is so ____cooked it's almost raw.
- 5 I really like ____-strong cheeses as they have far more flavour.

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Pronunciation

8 intonation: questions

Listen. Does the voice go up (↗) or down (↘) at the end of each question?

So you're from Belgium, are you?

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- 1 Did you know my brother's a chef?
- 2 Did you manage to find some fresh pasta?
- 3 Does Louisa eat sushi?
- 4 Don't you like eating out?
- 5 What are you cooking for us this evening?

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How to...

9 give and check instructions

Complete the sentences using the words in the box. There are three extra words.

because careful finallyfirst important meansounds ~~sure~~ then

You must make sure the pan isn't too hot.

- 1 You should be _____ not to use too much oil.
- 2 The most _____ thing is not to let the oil burn.
- 3 Is that _____ everything will burn?
- 4 So you _____ you turn the heat down?
- 5 So it _____ like you need to watch the pan carefully.

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Reading

10 Read the email. Are the statements true (T), false (F) or not given (NG)?

Hi Hannah

I just had to write to you as soon as I got in. I've just had the most extravagant evening ever and I have a funny feeling you might have had something to do with it. You recommended *The Green Duck* to Paul, didn't you? He must have made a reservation ages ago as I know it's always booked up months in advance. And you've known all this time! I don't know how you managed to keep quiet when you heard me going on about how I thought Paul had forgotten our anniversary.

Of course I had no idea where we were going. Paul had just told me to dress up so I decided to treat myself to a new dress and I must confess it ended up being a bit of a spending spree as I also got some new shoes, a bag and some perfume. I just can't resist a bargain and the shoes were in the sale so I thought, why not. I know, I know, I'm meant to be saving up but ... well, you're just as bad!

Anyway, a taxi pulled up at 7 and at 7:30 we were standing outside the restaurant. A charming waiter showed us to our table and, once we were comfortable, he handed us a menu and explained the specials of the day. Each dish seemed more exotic than the last but finally, I went for a goat's cheese starter followed by duck with seasonal vegetables. As you know, Paul isn't particularly adventurous when it comes to food but he decided to go for things he'd never tried before – fish soup and steak tartare (far too rich for me).

I must say the restaurant is rather over-the-top. I would never say anything to Paul of course, because I know it must have cost a lot, but to be honest, I'd have been just as happy, if not more so, at the local Indian restaurant. I didn't feel I could really relax because the waiters were a little bit too attentive. As soon as you moved, they were there at the table asking if everything was all right.

Mind you, when they came along with the dessert menu, even though I was full I just couldn't resist. You know my weakness for chocolate! I had the most delicious chocolate mousse you could ever imagine – three kinds of chocolate with fresh raspberries.

I dread to think what the bill came to but I accepted graciously, as I know Paul wanted to spoil me. Perhaps next time he asks you, you could suggest something a little more affordable, and then I wouldn't feel so bad about having spent money on myself!

Hope to see you soon.

Love

Nancy xx

Hannah has been to *The Green Duck*.

NG

1 Nancy bought everything at a reduced price.

2 It was hard to attract the attention of the waiters.

3 Nancy would have preferred a cheaper restaurant.

4 Nancy and Paul both had desserts.

5 Nancy feels a little guilty about her extravagance.

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