

Conv. 4

Answers

Complete these sentences with the correct idiom(s)

1. Hey! Look out. Don't let that ball hit you!
2. Severn's a really gentle guy. He wouldn't hurt a fly
3. A: Do you want to see a movie this weekend?
B: Well, I'd love to, but I have to do my homework.
A: Ok! Well, Let me know when you have time.
4. B: Sure! Will do I'll try to make time for you next weekend. (3 idioms)
5. Hurry up everybody! We're short on time, so we need to finish everything soon.
6. Welcome to Severn's restaurant! There's your table! Just follow me! Right this way
7. I used to be a really good billiards player, but I've lost my touch. Now I'm just average.
8. A: Hey! Let's go to the baseball game now!
B: Ok! Ok! Just hang tight. I have to close all the windows first.
9. I'd like to pick your brain. Tell me what you think about Korean politics.
10. A: How's work going?
B: Not good! I can't keep up with all the extra projects my boss gives me. (2 idioms)
11. Don't forget to stay in touch after you graduate. You can text me or call me anytime.
12. You need to loosen up. Don't be so serious!
13. A: I really want to be president of Korea 1 day.
B: Oh! Come on! Get real. I don't think you stand a chance of ever becoming president.
14. A: How did you do in the English Speech Contest?
B: Oh, I only finished 6th.
A: That's ok! You win some, you lose some. You can try again next year.

- a. let me know
- b. get rail
- c. I'd like to pick your brain
- d. right this way
- e. I can't keep up
- f. How's work going
- g. I've lost my touch
- h. stay in touch
- i. make time for
- j. look out

Write the meanings for these idioms in English

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Click on Conversation

Conversation 1

1. neutered (reproductive organs are removed)
2. a tight schedule (very busy)

Conversation 2

3. a good cause (something worth doing)
4. stock up (to buy a lot of something)

Conversation 3

5. Meet the criteria (meet the standards)
6. at a premium (scarce)

Conversation 5

7. Global warming (the increasing rise in world temperatures)

Conversation 6

8. pay final respects (show respect to someone who has just died)

Conversation 7

9. boarding school (a school where students are provided with meals + lodging)
10. field trip
11. splitting headache (a bad headache)

Conversation 11

12. put us on the map (to make a thing or person famous)
13. I am getting goosebumps (feeling excited or fearful of something)

Conversation 14

14. brace yourself (prepare yourself physically or mentally for something unpleasant)
15. make it up to you

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Been there, got the T-shirt!

Present Perfect • Simple and continuous • Hot verbs – *make, do* • Talking about places

STARTER

Work in pairs. What is strange about these sentences? What should they be?

- 1 Columbus has discovered America.
- 2 I traveled all my life. I went everywhere.
- 3 I've learned English.
- 4 Ouch! I've been cutting my thumb.

2 Which of these verb forms can change from simple to continuous? What is the change in meaning?

- 1 What do you do on the weekend?
- 2 I don't like her boyfriend.
- 3 I took a shower at 7:00.
- 4 Someone's eaten my sandwich.

FF TO SEE THE WORLD

Present Perfect and Continuous

Look at the pictures and read about the famous explorer Marco Polo and the backpacker Jake Ellis. Why did people go exploring in the past? Why do people go traveling today?

Which lines below do you think go with each person, Marco Polo (MP) or Jake Ellis (JE)?

- 1 ☐ He was born in Venice, the son of a merchant. When he was 17, he set off for China. The journey took four years. **MP**
- 2 ☐ He's learned a lot about history in Vietnam, seen amazing scenery in Laos, and visited ancient temples in Cambodia. **MP**
- 3 ☐ He's been staying in cheap hostels, along with a lot of other travelers. **JE**
- 4 ☐ His route led him through Persia and Afghanistan. **MP**
- 5 ☐ He was met by the emperor Kublai Khan. He was one of the first Europeans to visit the territory, and he traveled extensively. **MP**
- 6 ☐ "I've had diarrhea a few times." Apart from that, his only worry is the insects. He's been stung all over his body. **JE**
- 7 ☐ He stayed in China for seventeen years. When he left, he took back a fortune in gold and jewelry. **MP**
- 8 ☐ He's been traveling mainly by public transportation. **JE**

CDI 15 Listen and check. What other information do you learn about the two travelers?

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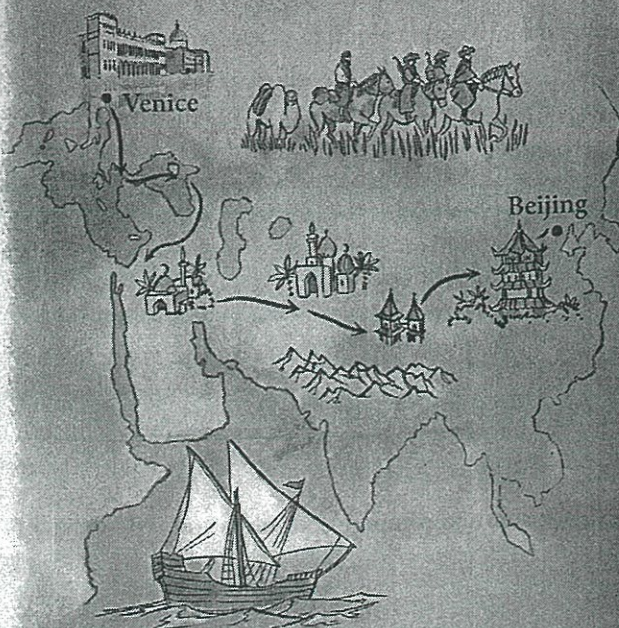


MARCO POLO

1254–1324

Marco Polo was the first person to travel the entire 8,000 kilometer length of the Silk Route, the main trade link between Cathay (China) and the West for over two thousand years. ...

He wrote a book called *The Travels of Marco Polo*, which gave Europeans their first information about China and the Far East.



Read the lines about Jake in A and B. Practice saying them.
Pay attention to contracted forms and weak forms.

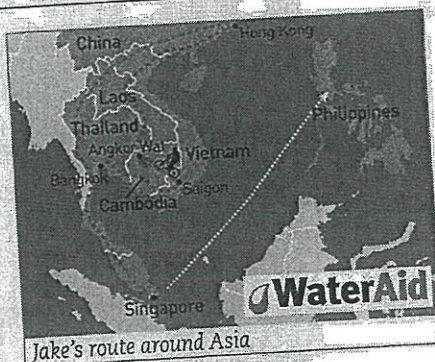
A He's been stung
He's visited
He's been staying
"I've been
"I've met
He's been

B in cheap hostels.
all over his body.
a lot of really great people."
to Laos and Vietnam.
mugged."
ancient temples.

CD1 16 Listen and check.

Travel Wednesday, March 13

Backpacker raises money for charity



Jake Ellis is in Singapore. He's on a nine-month backpacking trip around Southeast Asia. He flew into Bangkok five months ago. Since then, he's been to Laos, Vietnam, China, and Cambodia. But Jake hasn't been partying his way around the tourist spots. He's raised thousands of dollars for WaterAid by doing a sponsored bike ride from Saigon to Angkor Wat. ...

He's been taking it easy for a week before setting off again for the Philippines. "Once you've gotten the travel bug, it becomes very hard to stay in the same place for too long," he said.



Sending greetings from the East

A travel blog by Jake Ellis

10 blog entries 1 trip 165 photos

Hi! I'm Jake and I'm a student on a backpacking trip around Southeast Asia. I've been having an awesome time and I've met some fantastic people. But it hasn't all been fun! I've also done a bike ride to raise money for charity.

GRAMMAR SPOT

- 1 What is the main tense used in the sentences about Marco Polo? Why?
What are the main tenses used in the sentences about Jake Ellis? Why?
- 2 Compare the use of tenses in these sentences.
 - 1 She's been writing since she was 16.
She's written three novels.
 - 2 I've read that book. It's good.
I've been reading a great book. I've almost finished it.
I've been reading a lot of travel books lately. I've read three about Peru.
 - 3 He's played tennis since he was a kid.
He's been playing tennis since he was a kid.

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PRACTICE

Questions and answers

- 1 Read the pairs of questions. First decide who each question is about, Marco Polo or Jake Ellis. Then ask and answer the questions.
 - 1 Where did he go? **MP**
Where has he been? **JE**
 - 2 How long has he been traveling? **JE**
How long did he travel? **MP**
 - 3 How did he travel? **MP**
How has he been traveling? **JE**
 - 4 Who has he met? **JE**
Who did he meet? **MP**
 - 5 Did he have any problems? **MP**
Has he had any problems? **JE**
- 2 Here are the answers to some questions. Write the questions.

Marco Polo

- 1 In 1254, in Venice. *When and where?*
- 2 Four years. *How long / journey / China?*
- 3 For seventeen years. *How long ...?*
- 4 Gold and jewelry. *What / bring back?*
- 5 *The Travels of Marco Polo. What / title?*

Jake Ellis

- 6 By public transportation. *How / traveling?*
- 7 Cambodia, Vietnam, Laos, and China. *Which ...?*
- 8 In cheap hostels. *Where / staying?*
- 9 Thousands of dollars. *How much / raise?*
- 10 Yes, he has, a few times. *Has / sick?*

CD1 17 Listen and check your answers.

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ARY

make, do

are many expressions with *make* and *do*.
at these examples from the text on pp. 14-15.

astic *makes* our lives easier.

Bags and bottles *make up* most of the plastic garbage.

Seventy local volunteers were *doing their best* to remove tons of garbage.

In Bangladesh they have *done away with* plastic bags.

2 Put the words in the right box.

a good impression	business	arrangements	a decision	a difference
research	a profit	your best	a move	sth clear
a good job	progress	an effort	sb a favor	a suggestion

MAKE	DO
a decision a good impression a profit a move progress arrangements an effort sth clear a suggestion	research a good job business your best sb a favor

3 Complete the sentences with some of the expressions in exercise 2.

- When you go for a job interview, it's important to make a good impression.
- I think we're all getting tired. Can I make a suggestion about a break?
- A lot of research has been done about the causes of cancer.
- I think the CEO is basically doing a good job. He's reliable, he's honest, (his best) and he gets results.
- I'd like to make sth clear right now that I am totally opposed to this idea.
- We can't make a profit in this business if we don't raise prices.
- I don't mind if we go now or later. It makes no difference to me.
- Could you do me a favor and lend me some money?

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4 Match a line in A with a line in B. Underline the expression with *make* or *do*.

A	B
1 She's made the big time as an actress.	"She's a corporate lawyer."
2 We'll never make it to the airport in time.	"Well, I can make myself understood."
3 "What does she do for a living?"	"Yeah. It really made my day."
4 "You'll all have to do more overtime and work weekends."	The traffic's really bad.
5 "How much do you want to borrow? \$50?"	She can command \$20 million a movie.
6 "How much Spanish do you speak?"	"Yes, that'll do."
7 "I hear the boss said that you'd done really well."	"That does it! I'm going to look for another job!"

CD1 20 Listen and check. What extra comment do they make?



"Hello, Mom... the Doc wants to know if I have difficulty making decisions. What do you think?"

Phrasal verbs

5 Complete the sentences with a phrasal verb with *do*.

do away with sth	do without sth
could do with sth	do sth over

- I'm so thirsty. I could do w/ a glass of water.
- Your homework was full of mistakes. You'll have to do it over.
- I think we should do away w/ away with pennies. You can't buy anything with them anymore.
- I could never do w/out my assistant. He organizes everything for me.

CD1 21 Listen and check.

6 Do the same with these phrasal verbs with *make*.

make sth up	make up for sth
make of sb	make off with sth

- Thieves broke into the museum and mado off jewelry and antique paintings.
- Jake's parents buy him lots of toys. They're trying to make up for always being at work.
- What do you make of the new boss? I like him a lot.
- You didn't believe his story, did you? He mado the whole thing up.

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Take

- 1.sb/sth for granted
- 2.my advice
- 3.place
- 4.offense
- 5.criticism
- 6.no notice
- 7.forever
- 8.part
- 9.a risk
- 10.it easy
- 11.off

Put

- 1.somebody in charge
- 2.a plan into practice
- 3.my arm around her
- 4.pressure on sb
- 5.his work first
- 6.a stop to sth
- 7.sth away
- 8.sth on
- 9.sth out

Complete these sentences with the correct phrase and form

- 1.My parents are always (put) putting pressure on me to study harder.
- 2.The students (take) took part in the Global Communication Festival.
- 3.Listen! (take) Take my advice and relax! You need to (take) it easy for awhile. (2 phrases)
- 4.I (put) put my clothes away after I washed and dried them.
- 5.The teacher (put) put his best student in charge of the class play.
- 6.It seems like driving to work (take) takes forever during rush hour.
- 7.The English Literature Conference (take) took place at Yonsei University in Seoul.
- 8.It's time for universities to (put) put a stop to students who cheat on exams.
- 9.I really liked that girl, but she (take) took no notice of me.
- 10.Sometimes children (take) take their parents for granted because they're always there.
- 11.I think you're (take) taking a risk if you ride a motorcycle with no helmet.

(Call Me)