Language focus Expressing habit

TEST YOUR GRAMMAR

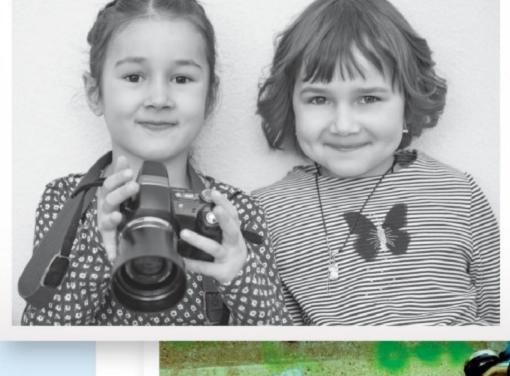
1 Match a line in **A** to a line in **B**.

Α	В
1 When we were little we	will never let you down.
2 A good friend	spends hours gazing at Dan's photo.
3 My sister's in love – she	is always talking about himself.
4 I love my job, but I	can't get used to working night shifts.
5 Bill is so self-centred, he	used to wear top hats.
6 In Victorian times, men	used to be best friends.

<u>Underline</u> the words that express habit. Which are past and which present?

2 Choose the correct ending for these sentences.

He used to work hard He's used to working hard because he's a builder. but now he's retired.





Friends forever!

- 1 How do you keep in touch with friends? How can you get back in touch if you've lost touch? Have you ever got back in touch with an old friend?
- 2 Read quickly through **Nicky's** email. Who is it to? Why is she writing?
- **3** Complete the email with phrases a–l.

a	meet up	g	get used to calling
b	'd go cycling	h	loved
С	were always giggling	i	'd argue
d	would go	j	used to listen
e	painted	k	'll always arrive
f	used to sit	1	would never wear

19.1 Listen and check. Who are the four friends? What do you learn about their lives now?

4 Match lines in **A** and **B**. Practise saying them. Pay attention to contracted forms and weak forms.

Α		В
1	We used to sit	round town.
2	We were always giggling	you Anastasia.
3	We'd go back	late.
4	We'd go cycling	and whispering.
5	I can't get used to calling	to your house.
6	She'll always arrive	next to each other.

1) 9.2 Listen and check.

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Subject:	Memories of Ash House School	

Hi Tazy! (Anastasia!)

It's great to be in touch again. The wonder of social media – sometimes! How could anybody forget a name like yours? Crazy Tazy Jones! And now you're a 'Peabody'!

You an	d I were friends from the start. We 1	next to each
other in	n class, but then the teachers made us sit	apart, because we
2	and whispering.	

Do you remember	low we	_ back to your n	iouse arter
school and listen to	music for hours on	end? CDs in tho	se days! We
both ⁴	Oasis, but we 5	endless	ly about
who was better - Li	am or Noel. Oh, and	l we also 6	to the
Spice Girls – but 'in	secret', because the	ey were so 'uncoo	ol'.
Then there was tha	t time we ⁷	your bike br	ight pink.
Then we 8	round town on i	t, and we ⁹	our
helmets. Your dad v	vas furious – but we	didn't care!	

I ¹⁰ _____ with Polly and Tina from time to time. They're both married with kids, and, like us, balancing work and home life. Polly's the same as ever, a rotten timekeeper – she ¹¹ _____ late and rush in, full of apologies.

It'd be so great if you could join us – in the meantime keep on keeping in touch! It's great to catch up.

Love,

Nicky

PS I can't ¹²_____ you Anastasia Peabody! To me, you'll always be Crazy Tazy Jones.