

Map of the book

Unit	Inside view	Outside view	Listening in
1 Starting out <i>T1</i>	Arriving at Oxford and meeting new friends <i>T2</i>	Oxford traditions <i>T6</i>	Magic numbers <i>T9</i> The Ivy League <i>T9</i> <i>A Beautiful Mind</i> <i>T11</i>
2 Food, glorious food! <i>T15</i>	Eating in an English restaurant <i>T16</i>	Cooking sweet-and-sour spare ribs <i>T20</i>	Watch what you eat <i>T22</i> Table manners <i>T22</i> Junk food v junk TV <i>T24</i>
3 Learning to think <i>T29</i>	Learning about memory and different learning styles <i>T30</i>	Mind maps <i>T34</i>	Fit for a prince <i>T37</i> Recovering from a stroke <i>T37</i> The Montessori Method <i>T38</i>
4 Family affairs <i>T43</i>	Getting a visit from parents <i>T44</i>	The changing roles of men and women <i>T48</i>	Adopt-a-Grandparent <i>T51</i> What makes us who we are, genes or family environment? <i>T51</i> Donating a kidney to save her sister's life <i>T52</i>
5 News 24/7 <i>T57</i>	Getting the news <i>T58</i>	News? Paparazzi <i>T62</i>	Chasing the news <i>T65</i> Fried chips setting the kitchen on fire <i>T65</i> The programmes we love to hate <i>T67</i>
6 Arrivals and departures <i>T71</i>	Making a travel plan for the summer <i>T72</i>	Amazing Australia <i>T76</i>	Lost in New York <i>T79</i> Arriving at a new place alone <i>T79</i> Jokes in English <i>T81</i>
7 All you need is love <i>T85</i>	Going on a date <i>T86</i>	Trying Internet dating <i>T90</i>	Time enough for love? <i>T93</i> How two people found love <i>T93</i> Advice on how to find the right person online <i>T95</i>
8 Body and mind <i>T99</i>	Feeling depressed in a new environment <i>T100</i>	HULK: A delicious smoothie <i>T104</i>	Born in the US <i>T107</i> The extraordinary secret of James Barry <i>T107</i> Going to see the doctor in the US and Britain <i>T109</i>

Communication activities *T113*

Scripts *T115*



Presentation skills	Pronunciation	Unit task
Giving a factual presentation <i>T12</i>	Stressed words Rising intonation in unfinished sentences Sense groups <i>T13</i>	Making a factfile about students in your class <i>T14</i>
Giving a demonstration <i>T26</i>	Stressed words <i>T27</i>	Giving advice to overseas visitors about food on and around the college campus <i>T28</i>
Discussing a problem from different viewpoints <i>T40</i>	Weak consonants Rising and falling intonation in questions <i>T41</i>	Devising and explaining how to play a memory game <i>T42</i>
Giving a talk <i>T54</i>	Silent /h/ Plosion <i>T55</i>	Acting out a conversation about some family news <i>T56</i>
Giving a talk <i>T68</i>	Sense groups Stressed words Linking sounds Plosion <i>T69</i>	Delivering a news bulletin <i>T70</i>
Giving a guided tour <i>T82</i>	/t/ sound in <i>not</i> Stressed words Unstressed words <i>T83</i>	Entering a television competition to win your dream vacation <i>T84</i>
Telling a love story <i>T96</i>	Stress and intonation to express strong feelings and opinions Sense groups Plosion <i>T97</i>	Hosting a radio phone-in programme <i>T98</i>
Giving advice <i>T110</i>	Contracted forms Unstressed discourse markers <i>T111</i>	Carrying out a healthy living survey <i>T112</i>