

LESSON 31

159 **send** **card** **postcard**

go on holiday **camera**

photograph (photo) **take a photo**

Do you send cards to your friends at Christmas time? Yes, I send cards to my friends at Christmas time ~ No, I don't send cards to my friends at Christmas time

Do you send postcards to your friends and family when you go on holiday? Yes, I send postcards to my friends and family when I go on holiday ~ No, I don't send postcards to my friends and family when I go on holiday

When you go on holiday, do you take photos with a camera or with your phone? When I go on holiday, I take photos with ...

receive **reply** **email**

text **contact** **message** **letter**

What's the opposite of "send"? The opposite of "send" is "receive"

160 Do you receive more letters than emails? No, I don't receive more letters than emails; I receive fewer letters than emails

Can you email people from your mobile phone? Yes, I can email people from my mobile phone ~ No, I can't email people from my mobile phone

Do you reply to all the emails you receive? No, I don't reply to all the emails I receive; I only reply to some of them

Do you generally contact your friends by texting them or by phoning them? I generally contact my friends by ...

If you want to send somebody a quick message, do you write a text or an email?
If I want to send somebody a quick message, I write ...

house flat floor divide block

The difference between a house and a flat is that a house is a building, like the one behind Mr and Mrs Brown, whereas a flat is part of a building and is generally on one floor. Houses are generally in the country, whereas flats are in the town. A block of flats is a large building which is divided into many flats.

What's the difference between a house and a flat?
The difference between a house and a flat is that a house is a building, whereas a flat is part of a building

What do we call a building which is divided into many flats?
We call a building which is divided into many flats a block of flats

Do you live in a house?
Yes, I live in a house ~ No, I don't live in a house; I live in a flat

161 Do most people in this country live in houses or flats?
Most people in this country live in ...

How many floors are there in this building?
There are ... floors in this building

near

far from

Is Japan near England?
No, Japan isn't near England; it's far from England

nearer ... than

further ... than

farther ... than

Is France further from England than China?
No, France isn't further from England than China; it's nearer England than China

the nearest**the furthest****the farthest**

Of these three countries, France, Greece and Japan, which is the nearest to England?

Of those three countries, France, Greece and Japan, France is the nearest to England

And which of those three countries is the furthest from England?

Of those three countries, Japan is the furthest from England

162 **at the beginning of****at the end of**

What do I say to you at the beginning of the lesson?

You say "Good morning/afternoon/evening" to us at the beginning of the lesson

What do I say to you at the end of the lesson?

You say "Goodbye" to us at the end of the lesson

Does January come at the end of the year?

No, January doesn't come at the end of the year; it comes at the beginning of the year

Does Saturday come at the beginning of the week?

No, Saturday doesn't come at the beginning of the week; it comes at the end of the week

shine

Is the sun shining at the moment?

Yes, the sun is shining at the moment ~ No, the sun isn't shining at the moment

Does the sun shine during the night?

No, the sun doesn't shine during the night

Can we see well during the night if the moon isn't shining?

No, we can't see well during the night if the moon isn't shining; we see badly

early**late**

Do you go to bed early?

Yes, I go to bed early ~ No, I don't go to bed early; I go to bed late

163 **Do you get up late?**

Yes, I get up late ~ No, I don't get up late; I get up early

earlier ... than

later ... than

Do the students generally come into the classroom later than the teacher?

No, the students don't generally come into the classroom later than the teacher; they generally come into the classroom earlier than he/she does

the earliest

the latest

Who gets up the earliest in your family?

My ... gets up the earliest in my family

Who gets up the latest in your family?

My ... gets up the latest in my family

light

dark

Is it light during the night?

No, it isn't light during the night; it's dark during the night

Is it dark in here now?

No, it isn't dark in here now; it's light

Can you see in the dark?

No, I can't see in the dark



Dictation 13

Mr Brown is married, / not single. / He is his wife's husband. / They have two children. / The four cardinal points / are north, south, / east and west. / What's hanging / on the wall? / Nothing. / I can touch my back / with my hand. / This is the top / of my head, / not the bottom. / Why can't she / touch her nose / with her tongue? / Because her tongue's too short. / He's my friend now.