

LESSON 69

362 **thorough**

thoroughly

What does the word “thorough” mean?

The word “thorough” means “complete”

In which season of the year do people generally give their houses a thorough cleaning?

People generally ... in spring

If you jumped into the sea, would you get thoroughly wet?

Yes, if I ...,
I'd get ...

What kind of things make you thoroughly tired?

The kind of things that make me thoroughly tired are hard physical work, studying a lot without a break, not enough sleep etc.

accident

by accident

If you drove a car on the left-hand side of the road (in America, France etc.) instead of on the right, what'd happen?

If I drove ...,
I'd have an accident

Have you ever seen an accident on the road?

Yes, I've seen ...
~ No, I've never seen ...

If you took something by accident that didn't belong to you, what'd you do?

If I took ... to me, I'd return it

363 **careful**

careless

carefully

carelessly

Do people become careless when they're in great danger?

No,
people don't ...; they become very careful

Do you write carefully?

Yes, I write ... ~ No, I don't ...; I write carelessly

What could happen if you were careless when crossing the road?

If I were ..., I could have an accident

Of all the people you know, who dresses the most carelessly?

● of all the people I know,
... dresses the most carelessly

own

Do you own all the clothes you're wearing, or do any of them belong to somebody else?

I own ... I'm wearing ~
I don't own ... I'm wearing; some
of them belong to somebody else

What would you like to own more than anything else?

I'd like to own ...
more than anything else

Who owns the place where you live?

... own(s) the place
where I live ~ I don't know
who owns the place where I live

carry on

retire

Do people in your country usually carry on working after they reach the age of 65?

Yes, people in my country ...
~ No, people in my country ...; they retire

364 prize

Have you ever won a prize for anything?

Yes, I've won
a prize for something ~ No,
I've never won a prize for anything

What?

too

Give me a sentence with the word "too", meaning "also".

He wants a
biscuit, and I want one too

at least

Give me a sentence with the words "at least" in it.

I've asked him at
least six times, and each time he has forgotten
~ He didn't do very well in the exam, but at least he passed

widely

Which is one of the most widely used English adjectives?

One of the ...
is "nice" ("good" etc.)

Is English the most widely spoken language in the world?

Yes,
English is ...

manner

pig

Why are good manners so important in life?

Good manners are ...

because they make life easier and more pleasant

365 What do we mean when we say that somebody has the manners of a pig?

When we say ..., we mean
that they have very bad manners

Do people in very hot countries dress in the same manner as people in
very cold countries?

No, people in ... ;
they dress in a different manner

asleep

awake

Will you still be asleep at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning?

No, I won't
still be ...; I'll be awake

Will you still be awake at 3 o'clock tomorrow morning?

No, I won't
still be ...; I'll be asleep

hospital

nurse

Who takes care of us when we're in hospital?

Nurses and
doctors take ...

purpose

in order to ...

so that

take exercise

The most common way to communicate purpose in English is by using the infinitive with "to". For example, the sentence "I went to the hospital to see a doctor" tells us the purpose of going to the hospital. With formal English, it is more common to use "in order to". For example, we would say "I visited the hospital in order to see a doctor".

366 Answer the following questions with "in order to":

Why do people eat? People eat in order to live

For what purpose do people work? People work in order to earn money

What must we do in order to keep in good health? In order to ..., we must sleep well, eat healthy food, take plenty of exercise, not smoke etc.

What do you think is the purpose of living? I think the ... is to be happy and to make others happy etc.

We can also use "so that" to communicate purpose. For example, "She shut the door so that the cat could not go into the garden".

Give me an example of "so that", please. He put the food in the fridge so that it would stay fresh

notice

Are there any notices hanging up in the school? Yes, there are some ...
~ No, there aren't any ...

Where?

What do they say?

lain

What are the three forms of "lie"? The three forms of "lie" are "lie, lay, lain"

What's the longest you've ever lain in bed for when you've been ill? The longest I've ever ... when I've been ill is about ...

367 **point at** **point out** **indicate**

We use "point at" for the action of pointing the finger at an object. For example, "I'm pointing at that picture". However, "to point out" means to indicate something among different things. For example, "He pointed out the mistakes in my dictation".

What 's the difference between "to point at" and "to point out"?

The difference between "to point at" and "to point out" is that we use "to point at" for the action of pointing the finger at an object, whereas "to point out" means to indicate something among different things

What am I doing?

You're pointing at the light

Point at the picture on the wall, please.

What are you doing?

I'm pointing at ...

Point out the mistake in this sentence, please: "I've gone to the cinema this week".

We can't say "I've gone ..."; we must say "I've been to the cinema this week"

What 's he doing?

He's pointing out the mistake in that sentence

grave

In your country, do people visit their relatives' graves?

Yes, in my country, people ...
~ No, in my country, people ...

368 neck

Is it bad for your neck to sleep without a pillow?

Yes, it's bad ...
~ No, it isn't bad ...

flame

Can we have a fire without flames?

Yes, we can ...

flight

How long is the flight from here to ...?

The flight from ...

soup

except



Dictation 42

The flag on top of the tower/ is wide at one end/ and narrow at the other./ Thin soup is very pleasant./ but I prefer a big bowl/ of thick soup/ when I'm hungry./ Except for me./ nobody knew that our actions/ were against the law./ He gets angry/ when he loses his way/ and has to ask a policeman./ I'll continue swimming/ until I feel tired./ Fish can't stay alive/ without water.