PRONUNCIATION | The alphabet

3 Practise saying the letters of the alphabet.

A B C D E F G H I
J K L M N O P Q R
S T U V W X Y Z

4 Decide which letter has a different sound in each group.

1 H J U
2 E M P
3 Z L Y
4 K P V
5 W X U
6 C O G

06 Listen and check.

5 In pairs, ask and answer questions using the contact details for Sam and Jo.

What's your email address?

My email address is sam.brown@coolmail.com

How do you spell that?

Sam

sam.brown@coolmail.com
289 Sandy Lane, Oxford O22 3PG
Tel 01865 995478
Mob 07968 133 254

Jo

jo.marsh@melly.co.uk
72 Hale Street, Manchester M4 8QT
Mob 07473 964 443

LISTENING

07 **1** Listen to the conversation. What are Grace and Daniel talking about? Who is Finn?

07 **2** Listen again. Complete the table with the activities the friends choose.

	Grace	Daniel	Finn
Skill			
Fitness			

08 Listen to the end of the conversation again. Complete Finn's contact details.

1 Address: _____
2 Phone number: _____
3 Email address: _____@facemail.com

SPEAKING

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Speaking Part 1

1 In pairs, ask and answer questions to complete the form for each other. Spell your surnames.

FIRST NAME: _____
SURNAME: _____
AGE: _____
ADDRESS: _____
EMAIL ADDRESS: _____
PHONE NUMBER: _____

2 In pairs, ask and answer the questions.

School:
How much homework do you get?
What's your favourite subject?
Tell me something about your school.

Free time:
What do you do in your free time?
Who do you spend your free time with?
Tell me something about what you did last weekend.

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READING

1 **Read the blog and choose A or B.**

1 The first paragraph gives us
   A a description of Margarita's family.
   B information about the homes of Margarita and her sister.
2 The second paragraph tells us
   A some good things about Sofia.
   B what Sofia is learning to do.
3 The third paragraph is about
   A the activities Sofia is best at.
   B the variety of activities in Sofia's life.
4 Margarita thinks her sister is
   A OK.
   B amazing.

2 **Read the blog again and answer the questions.**

Margarita's sister

1 What is her first name?

2 What is her surname?

3 How old is she?

4 What is her address?

5 What is her first language?

6 What does she learn about in books?

7 What sport does she do well?

8 What instrument would she like to learn?



DAILY STORIES

by Margarita Marcos

Today I'm writing this blog about my oldest sister, Sofia. She's six years older than me. It's her birthday today and she's 21. She doesn't live in the same house as my parents and me, but her flat is in the same street. We live at number 22 Spring Street, and she lives in one of six flats at number 28.

Sofia is the first person I go to when I have a problem, and she always tries to help. She also helps me with my English homework. We all speak Spanish at home, but Sofia speaks English really well too as a second language. She knows some English from school, but she also listens to English music and watches English films. Another thing she is great at is dancing. She's teaching me the tango this week. Tango is really difficult, but I love the music and the dance.

My sister's interested in everything. She loves learning about science on the internet, and she often reads books about history in her free time. She also does three sports: football, swimming and running. She enjoys them all and is good at swimming. She likes camping, and she's learning to play the piano at the moment, too. She can't play very well yet, but she practises every day. She's also planning to learn the violin. She's a very active person! I really don't know how she has time to do so many things!

LISTENING

01 **1** **Listen to a teacher talking to his class about a camping trip. Tick (✓) the correct sentences.**

In his talk, the teacher

A tells students things they must not do on the trip. ☐
B gives information about activities at the campsite. ☐
C gives information about how they will travel. ☐
D tells students what they must do before the trip. ☐

01 **2** **Listen again and complete the sentences with a number or a word.**

1 The teacher is telling Class _____ about this year's camping trip.
2 Their trip is to _____.
3 They are on the trip for _____ nights.
4 The trip costs £_____.
5 _____ students from the school can go on the trip.
6 At the campsite, you can play _____ in the sports hall.
7 Students can win _____ for cooking and art.
8 Students must give their forms to the teacher on _____ next week.

WRITING

Write an introductory email

1 **Read the email. Then match the questions to the answers.**

Hi! I'm Aleksey Pavlov, and I'm going to be a student at your school in June. My teacher will send this message to your teacher. I'd like to get to know somebody before I come, so can you email me when you get this? You can email me at ap8223@rumail.com and call me on 07662012976. That's my mobile number. I'm fifteen years old and I live on Ligovsky Street in St Petersburg. I live with my mum and my brother. He's eighteen. In my free time I play ice hockey and go to ice hockey matches. I really love ice hockey! I also like cooking. Russian food is fantastic.

I hope to hear from you soon.

Best wishes,

Aleksey

0 First name: [c]
1 Surname: ☐
2 Age: ☐
3 Address: ☐
4 Email address: ☐
5 Mobile phone number: ☐
6 Family: ☐
7 Free-time activities he likes: ☐
8 Kind of food he likes: ☐

a ice hockey, cooking
b 07662012976
c Aleksey
d Ligovsky Street, St Petersburg
e Pavlov
f 15
g Russian
h ap8223@rumail.com
i one brother

2 **Next year, you are going to spend a month in the UK at a British school. Complete an email like Aleksey's about you.**

Hi! I'm _____, and I'm going to be a student at your school in June. My teacher will send this message to your teacher. I'd like to know somebody before I come, so can you email me when you get this?