

UNIT 1 AND 2 + CULTURE ANSWER KEY

**8TH GRADE (PREPARE 3)
ALAVI BILINGUAL HIGH SCHOOL**

Adjectives of personality

1 Read the poster and look at the photos.
Then, in pairs, answer the questions with a partner.

- 1 What is The Duke of Edinburgh's Award?
- 2 What kind of activities do students do for the award?
- 3 Can you do an award like this at your school?
- 4 If not, would you like to do one?

2 Read the students' emails on page 11 and answer the questions with *Daniel* or *Grace*.

- 1 Who plays two instruments?
- 2 Who is happy with a piece of work they're doing?
- 3 Who is preparing a surprise for another person?
- 4 Who is teaching another person how to do something?

1. Its an achievement award.
2. They volunteer , do fitness activities or exercise, learn s.th new and go on an expedition.
- 3,4. Your own answer.

1. Daniel
2. Grace
3. Grace
4. Daniel

3 Check the meaning of the **words** in the emails on page 11. Then use them to complete the sentences.

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- 1 My brother's very _____. He lies in bed until midday and never does any work.
- 2 My grandpa's 70, but he's still really _____. He cycles everywhere and plays tennis.
- 3 Sonia is very _____. She always thinks of other people and is good to them.
- 4 Everyone likes Toby. He's the most _____ boy in the school.
- 5 Our teacher is so _____. She always makes us laugh.
- 6 When I speak to adults I try to be _____.
- 7 Sara is very _____. She smiles a lot and she's easy to talk to.
- 8 Most people in my class talk a lot, but Fred is _____ and doesn't say much.
- 9 I wasn't sure how to do my project, but the teacher was very _____. She told me about some great websites.
- 10 Suchitra is very _____. She can paint and draw, and she writes excellent stories.

- 1.Lazy
- 2.Active
- 3.Kind
- 4.Popular
- 5.Funny
- 6.Polite
- 7.Friendly
- 8.Quiet
- 9.Helpful
- 10.creative

2 Look at the examples in Exercise 1 and complete the rules.

- 1 We use the present _____ to talk about things happening now, around now and at the moment.
- 2 We use the present _____ to talk about things that are always true or happen regularly.


1. Continuous 2. simple

3 Choose the correct form of the verb.

- 1 I *watch / am watching* Spartak Moscow play football every week.
- 2 What *do you usually eat / are you usually eating* for dinner?
- 3 Sorry, I can't talk now, I'm busy. I'm *practising / practise* the piano.
- 4 We learned about rivers last term, and now we *learn / are learning* about forests.
- 5 I'm quite lazy – I *don't always do / 'm not always doing* my homework.
- 6 My dad *is teaching / teaches* me how to play tennis at the moment.

1. watch
2. Do you usually eat
3. Am practicing
4. Are learning
5. Don't always do
6. Is teaching

4 Correct the mistakes in the sentences.

-  1 It rains a lot at the moment.
- 2 In my free time, I'm usually going to the cinema.
- 3 I sell my English book. Would you like to buy it?
- 4 Right now, I watch basketball.
- 5 I'm usually wearing a jacket, even when it's hot.
- 6 We are swimming and sunbathing every day.

1. It's raining a lot at the moment
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READING

- 1 Read the web page quickly. Who is it for?
- 2 Read the information on the website. Are the sentences right (✓) or wrong (X)?
 - 1 Mr Jones is going to put news and messages on the website.
 - 2 Mr Jones is going to fill in the students' forms.
 - 3 Students need to talk to Mr Jones before they choose their activities.
 - 4 If students don't like the ideas, they can choose others.
 - 5 Students have to spend several hours a week doing each activity.
 - 6 Students can put information about their activities on the website.
 - 7 Every student gets a free book about their time doing the award.

1. Students who want to do the Duke of Edinburg's Award

1. T

2. F

3. T

4. T

5. F

6. T

7. F

VOCABULARY

Personal details

1 Read Grace's details. Match questions 1–7 to the **words** and **phrases** on the form above.

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- 1 What's your family name?
- 2 How old are you?
- 3 Where do you live?
- 4 What do you speak at home?
- 5 What numbers can we call you on?
- 6 What's your email address?
- 7 What's your first name?



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Listen and check. Then repeat.



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2 Listen to Grace's contact details. Then repeat them.

- 1 g.hopkins@topnet.com
- 2 44 Meadow Avenue, London N24 6BG
- 3 020 7946 0945
- 4 0770 900 573

1. Surname
2. Age
3. Address
4. First language
5. Home telephone/mobile
6. Email address
7. First name



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.

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

Listen and check.
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- 1. U
- 2. M
- 3. Y
- 4. K
- 5. X
- 6. O

LISTENING

- 1 Listen to the conversation. What are Grace and Daniel talking about? Who is Finn?
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- 2 Listen again. Complete the table with the activities the friends choose.
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	Grace	Daniel	Finn
Skill	art	drums	chess
Fitness	Modern dance	hockey	running

Listen to the end of the conversation again. Complete Finn's contact details.
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- 1 Address: _____
- 2 Phone number: _____
- 3 Email address: _____@facemail.com

- 1. 33 Alloway road
- 2. 0734 667 378
- 3. F.townsend56@facemail.com