

My Next Reading 4

Unit 1 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 4)

Mom gives a 1) _____ to Sandy.

Mom says, "Find this 2) _____ on the map.

Dad has a 3) _____ for you."

Sandy looks at the map and 4) _____ home.

She goes 5) _____ and turns right at the corner.

She looks at the map 6) _____.

She crosses the 7) _____ and turns left.

She walks twenty meters along the street.

Sandy finally finds the place.

It is a 8) _____ !

Dad is 9) _____ for Sandy there.

He greets her, "Good job, Sandy!

This 10) _____ is for you."

Sandy jumps for joy.

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Unit 2 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 7)

One Sunday morning, Tina finds a 1) _____ in the mailbox.

The letter is for her. She 2) _____ it.

Dear Tina,

How are you? My family is 3) _____ to many places.

We usually travel by 4) _____.

Four 5) _____ pull it.

We sometimes take a 6) _____ or ship.

The train engine 7) _____ clouds of steam.

Isn't it 8) _____?

We are staying in London now.

I 9) _____ you.

Your friend, Sarah

Tina suddenly feels strange.

Did this letter come from the 10) _____?

How can she answer the letter then?

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Unit 3 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 10)

Hi! I'm a 1) _____.

I am just out of an 2) _____.

I like to eat 3) _____ leaves. *Munch! Crunch!*

I crawl 4) _____ leaves.

I eat the leaves all day. *Munch! Crunch!*

Now I 5) _____ a big caterpillar.

It's time to have a long sleep.

I 6) _____ from the branch and make a cocoon.

My body changes while I sleep in the 7) _____.

After a few weeks, I'm 8) _____ to come out of the cocoon.

Crack! Look at me!

Now I'm a 9) _____.

I can 10) _____. *Flap! Flap!*

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 13)

Look around you.

1) _____ is everywhere.

Soil is mostly made of 2) _____.

How is it made?

Rainwater gets in small 3) _____ in a rock.

When the water 4) _____, the rock expands.

Then the cracks 5) _____.

And the rock 6) _____ breaks down.

Trees and other plants can grow in cracks in a rock.

Their 7) _____ make the cracks widen.

In the end, the rock 8) _____.

The small 9) _____ of rocks mix with dead plants and animals.

In that way, hard rocks become 10) _____ soil over a very long time.

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Unit 5 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 16)

Harry is a new student in my 1) _____.

He is kind and 2) _____.

All my 3) _____ want to be his friend.

It's 4) _____.

I always have lunch with Fred.

He is my 5) _____ friend.

Strangely, he isn't in the 6) _____.

Just then, Fred 7) _____ in the cafeteria with Harry.

I don't 8) _____ good.

Fred comes up to me and says,

"Sam, Harry wants to be our friend.

Let's have lunch 9) _____."

I say with a big smile, "Why not?"

My heart 10) _____.

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Unit 6 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 19)

How can we 1) _____ the length of things?

We can use a ruler or a 2) _____.

One millimeter is about the 3) _____ of a credit card.

Ten millimeters equals one 4) _____.

One centimeter is about the length of your 5) _____.

We can use millimeters or centimeters for 6) _____ things.

1 centimeter (cm) = 10 millimeters (mm)

One hundred centimeters 7) _____ one meter.

One meter is the length of one big 8) _____ of your dad.

We can use meters for 9) _____ things.

1 meter (m) = 100 centimeters (cm)

What do you want to measure?

How about gummy 10) _____?

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Unit 7 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 22)

Ellen and her mom 1) _____ seashells at the beach.

Their 2) _____ is full of shells.

Ellen says, "Wow! We have many 3) _____.

What shall we do with them?"

Mom says, "How about making 4) _____ for your friends?"

Ellen says, "Good 5) _____!"

They come back home and put all the shells on the

6) _____.

First, they 7) _____ pretty shells from among them.

Next, Ellen's mom makes a 8) _____ in each shell.

Then, Ellen 9) _____ one shell onto each string.

Now Ellen has many shell necklaces for her

10) _____.

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Unit 8 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 25)

Look at these things.

There is a drum, a triangle, a 1) _____, and castanets.

They are all 2) _____ and fun.

Children really enjoy them.

Are they toys? No way.

They are 3) _____.

We call them 4) _____ instruments.

You can 5) _____ them very easily.

You simply 6) _____ one motion at a time.

Beat! Tap! Shake!

There is nothing to 7) _____.

You just keep the 8) _____ and feel the rhythm.

That's enough to enjoy 9) _____.

Let's play the rhythm instruments.

You can feel the joy and 10) _____ of music.

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Unit 9 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 28)

Do you eat 1) _____ every morning? No Breakfast?

That's not good for your 2) _____.

Your 3) _____ will be empty until lunchtime.

You will feel very 4) _____.

You will get 5) _____ easily.

Your energy will run out soon.

Then you can have 6) _____ paying attention in class.

Your body really needs some food in the morning.

Eating breakfast is good for your body and 7) _____.

A 8) _____ breakfast gives you new energy.

It also improves your 9) _____.

Get up ten minutes 10) _____ and eat breakfast.

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Unit 10 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 31)

My dad 1) _____ a pizza store.

Most 2) _____ like his pizza.

He makes pizza to their 3) _____.

The customers can 4) _____ their favorite toppings.

What 5) _____ do they like best?

I took a 6) _____ about the customers' favorite toppings.

Look at this bar graph.

Customers like 7) _____ topping the best.

Fifty customers like mushrooms.

Forty customers like 8) _____.

Thirty-five customers like 9) _____.

Only ten customers like peppers.

Which toppings do you like?

Choose them and 10) _____ now.

My dad will make a special pizza for you.

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Unit 11 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 34)

Sophie stays at her grandparents' home today.

At night, it rains a lot.

There is even 1) _____. *Crash! Boom!*

2) _____, it gets dark in the whole house.

Sophie says, "Who 3) _____ the lights?"

Grandma says, "There is a 4) _____."

Just then, a light walks 5) _____ Sophie.

She shouts, "There's a 6) _____!"

Grandpa says, "Ha ha. It's me. This is a 7) _____."

In the past, there were no 8) _____ lights.

We used candles."

Sophie says, "Really? Now I 9) _____ the candle.

I have to go to the bathroom."

Everyone 10) _____.

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Unit 12 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 37)

Many 1) _____ are good at playing hide-and-seek.

They hide in trees, leaves, or 2) _____.

Look at these animals.

This is a 3) _____.

It looks like a 4) _____.

This frog 5) _____ between green leaves.

This 6) _____ and this lion hide in brown grass.

Their body shapes or colors 7) _____ their surroundings.

So we cannot find them easily.

Why do animals play 8) _____?

Small animals want to hide from their 9) _____, big animals.

Meanwhile, big animals hide to 10) _____ their food, small animals.

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Unit 13 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 40)

Let me 1) _____ a new animal in our zoo.

It comes from 2) _____.

It lives in rivers, 3) _____, and ponds.

It lays small, 4) _____ eggs.

Let's have a look.

This is a 5) _____ animal.

It has strong 6) _____ in its toes.

It has 7) _____, and it swims well.

Its long, 8) _____ tail is helpful for swimming fast.

Its head looks like a duck.

It has a wide 9) _____ for getting food.

But it doesn't have 10) _____.

It has thick fur.

What is its name?

It's a platypus!

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Unit 14 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 43)

1) _____ are different in each country.

Chinese chopsticks are made of wood or 2) _____.

Chinese people sit around a large table and 3) _____
food.

Their chopsticks are long for 4) _____ the food.

They have 5) _____ ends.

6) _____ chopsticks are made of wood.

They are 7) _____ than the Chinese type.

They have sharp ends.

This helps people easily 8) _____ small bones from
fish.

Korean chopsticks are made of 9) _____.

They have a flat 10) _____ shape.

Most Korean people use chopsticks to eat side dishes but don't
use them to eat rice.

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Unit 15 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 46)

David: Eric, let's meet at the 1) _____
at seven o'clock.

Eric: Okay. I'm a little 2) _____.

David: What makes you worried?

Eric: In fact, this is my first 3) _____ concert.

How should I 4) _____ at the concert?

David: Oh, I know some 5) _____.

We should be on time.

We can't 6) _____ after the concert starts.

We also should stay quiet 7) _____ the performance.

No eating or 8) _____.

Eric: What? Can't we eat anything?

I'm planning to 9) _____ some cookies.

David: Don't worry.

We can eat them 10) _____ or after the concert.

Eric: Okay, see you tomorrow.

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Unit 16 Dictation

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■ **Listen and complete the sentences.** (CD Track 49)

One day, the fox 1) _____ the stork to dinner.

The fox 2) _____ a delicious soup on a flat plate.

He soon 3) _____ eating the soup.

But the stork could not eat it with her long 4) _____.

Another day, the stork invited the fox to dinner.

She served a 5) _____ soup in a 6) _____.

The jug has a 7) _____ neck.

The stork finished eating the soup 8) _____.

The fox tried to 9) _____ it, but he could not do so.

The fox decided not to play 10) _____ on his friends.