








		SPEAKING	GRAMMAR	VOCABULARY	READING	LISTENING
1		<h2>Cities</h2> <p>page 6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Describe and relate your experiences of a city</li><li>Tell stories and share urban myths</li><li>Work together to create a plan to improve a city</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Reinforcing, emphasizing and exemplifying a point</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Intensifying adverbs and adjectives</li><li>Passive structures for plans and predictions</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>City life</li><li>Binomials</li><li>Urban plans and policies</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A wiki entry explaining urban legends</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two conversations about cities</li><li>A radio discussion about an urban project</li></ul>
2		<h2>Relationships</h2> <p>page 14</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Explain what people are like and describe their traits</li><li>Discuss issues around love and long-term relationships</li><li>Roleplay sharing and talking through personal problems</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Giving your impression</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Phrasal verbs</li><li>Would</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Describing people</li><li>Relationships</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>An article about long-term partnerships and science</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Three short conversations about different people</li><li>Five people talk about an incident involving a young man</li></ul>
WRITING 1: Describing visual data page 22 Review 1 page 24						
3		<h2>Culture and identity</h2> <p>page 26</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Discuss the things you like and don't like about where you live</li><li>Talk about the cultural meanings of different household objects</li><li>Explore and explain your own personal cultural identity</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Challenging overgeneralizations</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Cleft sentences</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Society and culture</li><li>Things in the house</li><li>Phrases with <i>thing</i></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>An article about surprising objects in different cultures</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Three conversations about society and culture in different countries</li><li>Three British people talking about their own cultural identities</li><li>A lecture about identity</li></ul>
4		<h2>Politics</h2> <p>page 34</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Discuss how you feel about proposals for your city</li><li>Compare and contrast political systems</li><li>Present and vote on policies</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Giving opinions</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Alternatives to <i>if</i></li><li>Alternative conditional patterns</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Consequences</li><li>Elections and politics</li><li>Voting</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>An article about democracy in Switzerland.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two conversations about current social topics</li><li>Five people talking about voting</li></ul>
WRITING 2: Writing an introduction to an argumentative essay page 42 Review 2 page 44						
5		<h2>Going out, staying in</h2> <p>page 46</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Have conversations about a memorable night out</li><li>Share and discuss fun or unusual activities to do</li><li>Organize a book club and research titles you could read</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Speculating on what is said</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Participle clauses</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Nights out</li><li>Describing books</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>An opinion piece about free-time activities, children and parenting</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two conversations about nights out</li><li>A radio feature about books and reading</li></ul>
6		<h2>Conflict and resolution</h2> <p>page 54</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Roleplay disagreements where you reach a solution</li><li>Relate what you have found out about different conflict and peace processes</li><li>Have debates about issues connected to conflict and peace</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Defending and justifying</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Ellipsis and substitution</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Arguments and discussions</li><li>Conflict and resolution</li><li>War metaphors</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>An article about a degree programme called Peace Studies</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two conversations in which arguments occur</li><li>Three radio debates about news stories connected with conflict</li></ul>
WRITING 3: Writing an arts review page 62 Review 3 page 64						
7		<h2>Science and research</h2> <p>page 66</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Explain and discuss news stories about science</li><li>Discuss issues around science and science fiction</li><li>Practise thinking critically about particular statistics</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Expressing surprise and disbelief</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Passive infinitive and <i>-ing</i> forms</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Talking about science</li><li>Word families</li><li>Statistics</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>An article about predictions in sci-fi</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two conversations about science stories in the news</li><li>An extract from a radio programme about statistics</li></ul>
8		<h2>Nature and nurture</h2> <p>page 74</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Tell the stories behind photos</li><li>Describe animals, their habitats and habits</li><li>Debate issues around stereotypes</li></ul> <p><b>Developing conversations:</b> Emphatic tags</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Compound adjectives</li><li>Using auxiliaries to add emphasis</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Describing scenery</li><li>Animals</li><li>Stereotypes</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Descriptions of different animals and how they live</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Two conversations about holiday photos</li><li>A lecture about language and gender</li></ul>
WRITING 4: Describing processes page 82 Review 4 page 84						

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9		<b>Work</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Introduce a place of work and explain people's roles</li> <li>Give personal responses to a story from someone's work life</li> <li>Reach a judgement based on evidence and justify your decision</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Deductions page 86	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continuous forms</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Roles and tasks</li> <li>Adverb-adjective collocations</li> <li>Work rights and benefits</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A story from <i>The Living Dead</i>, a business management book</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Someone being shown round their new workplace</li> <li>A summary of the lessons David Bolchover takes from his experience</li> <li>News stories about labour issues</li> </ul>
10		<b>Health and illness</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe different medical and surgical procedures</li> <li>Share and discuss information about different health hacks</li> <li>Carry out a survey about attitudes to health</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Replacing forgotten words page 94	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><i>Will</i> for habits and assumptions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Medical procedures</li> <li>Actions, processes and the body</li> <li>Nouns based on phrasal verbs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A blog about different hacks for health and well-being</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two conversations about surgical procedures</li> <li>Five doctors talking about their jobs and issues connected to their work</li> </ul>
WRITING 5: Writing a covering letter page 102 Review 5 page 104						
11		<b>Play</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talk about sporting successes and failures</li> <li>Describe games you like playing</li> <li>Revise vocabulary using word games</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Irony and humour page 106	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Linking words and phrases</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sports and events</li> <li>Talking about gaming</li> <li>Phrases with repeated sounds</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A blog post about the impact of gaming on students</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Three conversations about sport</li> <li>A podcast about word games and word play</li> </ul>
12		<b>History</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe key events in people's lives</li> <li>Discuss historical mysteries</li> <li>Explain the importance of certain historical events</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Similes page 114	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Emphatic inversion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal histories</li> <li>Historical events</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An article about mysterious historical sites</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A conversation about a remarkable person</li> <li>A short academic presentation about an aspect of history</li> </ul>
WRITING 6: Writing a magazine article page 122 Review 6 page 124						
13		<b>News and the media</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Share and comment on different news stories</li> <li>Debate the pros and cons of a media regulation</li> <li>Discuss choices of news stories and create a short bulletin</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Using heads and tails for emphasis in spoken language page 126	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reporting verbs with the passive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commenting on news stories</li> <li>Common sayings</li> <li>News headlines</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An article about a paparazzo</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Five short conversations about the news</li> <li>A mock radio news bulletin</li> </ul>
14		<b>Business and economics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Make calls for business and networking purposes</li> <li>Discuss your views on financial and economic matters</li> <li>Roleplay a business meeting to take decisions</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Small talk page 134	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Relative clauses and prepositions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How's business?</li> <li>The economy and finance</li> <li>Business situations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An article about money and debt</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two phone calls between business colleagues</li> <li>Part of a business meeting where the speakers discuss a financial loss and a new product</li> </ul>
WRITING 7: Writing a proposal page 142 Review 7 page 144						
15		<b>Trends</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discuss views on fashion and styles</li> <li>Discuss current trends in different areas of life</li> <li>Plan a marketing campaign for a new fashion product</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Backtracking and correcting page 146	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Prepositions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Style and fashion</li> <li>Trends</li> <li>Verb forms and word families</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>An article about a trend that seems to have no end</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Six short conversations about clothes and style</li> <li>A discussion on a radio programme about the media and mental health</li> </ul>
16		<b>Danger and risk</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describe accidents and injuries</li> <li>Think and talk critically about texts</li> <li>Roleplay a radio phone-in programme</li> </ul> <b>Developing conversations:</b> Interjections page 154	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Probability and future phrases</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Accidents and injuries</li> <li>Laws and regulations</li> <li>Talking about danger</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A news report and a newspaper editorial related to compensation culture</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Two conversations about accidents</li> <li>A radio phone-in about the internet.</li> </ul>
WRITING 8: Citing other people's work page 162 Review 8 page 164						