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ENGLISH PREPARATORY WORKSHOP

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COURSE:

ACTIVITY 1

Complete questions 1 to 4 with comparatives and questions 5 to 8 with superlatives.

1. Which country is, Monaco or Vatican City? (small)
2. which waterfall is, Niagara Falls or Victoria Falls (high)
3. Which city is, Hong Kong or Cairo? (crowded)
4. Which city is : London, Tokyo, or Moscow? (expensive)
5. What is ocean in the world, the Pacific, the Atlantic, or the Arctic? (deep)

DO NOT FORGET

An adverb of frequency describes how often an action happens. Some adverbs of frequency that we use in English are: always, usually (or normally), often, sometimes, rarely, never, almost always, every day, four times a week, etc...

ACTIVITY 2

Put the words in order to make questions. Then complete the answers with the words in parentheses.

6. you / what / weekends / usually / do / do / on

Q: _____

A: _____ (often / play sports)

7. ever / you / go jogging / do / with a friend

Q: _____

A: No, _____ (always / alone)

8. you / play / do / tennis / how often

Q: _____

A: I _____ (four times a week)

9. do / you / what / in the evening / usually / do

Q: _____

A: My family and I _____ (almost always / watch TV)

10. go / how often / you / do / to the gym

Q: _____

A: I _____ (never)

11. What is the modal verb used to express ability or capability in the present?

Answer: The modal verb _____

12. What is the modal verb used to express possibility or probability in the present?

Answer: The modal verb _____

13. What is the modal verb used to express obligation or necessity in the present?

Answer: The modal verb _____

14. What is the modal verb used to express advice or suggestion?

Answer: The modal verb _____

15. What is the modal verb used to express permission or possibility in the past?

Answer: The modal verb _____

16. Write the structure of the four types of conditionals in English and give five examples of each one of them.

READING

Are you in love?

What is the difference between “having a crush” on someone and falling in love?

You think you’re falling in love. You’re really attracted to a certain person. But this has happened before, and it was just a “crush”. How can you tell if it’s real this time? Here’s what our readers said:

If you’re falling in love,

You’ll find yourself talking to, calling, or texting the person for no reason. (You might pretend there’s a reason, but often there’s not.)

You’ll find yourself bringing this person into every conversation. (“When I was in Mexico,” a friend begins. You interrupt with, “My boyfriend made a great Mexican dinner last week.”)

You might suddenly be interested in things you used to avoid. (“When a woman asks me to tell her all about football, I know she’s fallen in love,” said a TV sports announcer.)

OK. so you’ve fallen in love. But falling in love is one thing, and staying in love is another. How can you tell, as time passes, that you’re still in love?

If you stay in love, your relationship will change. You might not talk as much about the person you are in love with. You might not call him or her so often. But this person will nevertheless become more and more important in your life.

You’ll find that you can be yourself with this person. When you first fell in love, you were probably afraid to admit certain things about yourself. But now you can be totally honest. You can trust him or her to accept you just as you are. Falling in love is great – staying in love is even better!

ACTIVITY 3

Read the article then answer the following questions:

17. What things happen when you’re falling in love?
18. What things happen when you’re staying in love?
19. Which do you think is more difficult – falling in love or staying in love? Why?
20. Can you think of other signs of being in love?