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<b>Success</b> <b>1</b> Page 4	<b>Grammar</b> past tenses simple past and past continuous, present perfect simple and continuous <b>Vocabulary</b> verb-noun collocations word formation (1) <b>Strategy</b> exclamations <b>Pronunciation</b> reduced forms – <i>have/been</i>	<b>Speaking</b> • talking about success and achievements <b>Listening</b> • Harriet (U.S.) talks about achieving an ambition • listening for gist and detail – a radio show about achievements <b>Reading</b> • scanning – a magazine article about stars before they were famous <b>Writing</b> • someone you admire
<b>Difficult decisions</b> <b>2</b> Page 10	<b>Grammar</b> zero, first and second conditionals <b>Vocabulary</b> <i>-ed/-ing</i> adjectives adverb clauses <b>Strategy</b> expressing opinions <b>Pronunciation</b> word stress	<b>Speaking</b> • talking about making difficult decisions <b>Listening</b> • Shane (Australia) talks about a difficult decision • listening for opinions – three people discuss who they trust <b>Reading</b> • identifying text organization – a story about a dramatic climbing accident <b>Writing</b> • a difficult decision you've made
<b>Keeping busy</b> <b>3</b> Page 16	<b>Grammar</b> verb patterns <b>Vocabulary</b> verb + infinitive/gerund dependent prepositions everyday expressions <b>Strategy</b> everyday expressions <b>Pronunciation</b> weak forms – the schwa	<b>Speaking</b> • talking about what's going on in your life <b>Listening</b> • Joao (Brazil) talks about his busy life • listening for details – three people talk about their lives <b>Reading</b> • guessing meaning from context – an internet advertisement for lifestyle managers <b>Writing</b> • your life right now
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<b>He said what?</b> <b>4</b> Page 24	<b>Grammar</b> reported speech <b>Vocabulary</b> reporting verbs <i>say, speak, talk</i> and <i>tell</i> <b>Strategy</b> being polite <b>Pronunciation</b> contrastive stress	<b>Speaking</b> • telling a traditional story <b>Listening</b> • Lyn (U.K.) talks about meeting a celebrity • ordering events – a police officer interviews a witness <b>Reading</b> • previewing – a gossip column <b>Writing</b> • reporting a conversation
<b>Changes</b> <b>5</b> Page 30	<b>Grammar</b> passives <i>have something done</i> <i>need + -ing</i> <b>Vocabulary</b> collocations (1) recycling and the environment <b>Strategy</b> showing surprise or interest <b>Pronunciation</b> rising intonation	<b>Speaking</b> • talking about changes in a place you know <b>Listening</b> • Ping (Canada) talks about changes in his hometown • listening for opinions – two people discuss a new recycling scheme <b>Reading</b> • speed reading – comments in a blog message board <b>Writing</b> • environmental concerns
<b>You can't do that!</b> <b>6</b> Page 36	<b>Grammar</b> mixed modal verbs permission, obligation, prohibition <b>Vocabulary</b> <i>make, let, allow</i> , etc. strong adjectives; adverbs <b>Strategy</b> giving advice <b>Pronunciation</b> linking – consonant-vowel	<b>Speaking</b> • talking about responsibilities <b>Listening</b> • Hugo (France) talks about a trip to visit an aunt • identifying emotion – five people talk about recent experiences <b>Reading</b> • understanding the main idea – a magazine survey <b>Writing</b> • customs and traditions in your country
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<b>If I hadn't ...</b> <div style="background-color: #f9a825; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">8</div> Page 50	<b>Grammar</b> third conditional <b>Vocabulary</b> collocations (2) common uses of <i>go</i> <b>Strategy</b> sounding natural <b>Pronunciation</b> contractions	<b>Speaking</b> • talking about consequences of events in your life <b>Listening</b> • Tarek (Abu Dhabi) talks about a difficult trip • identifying context – three people defend decisions they made <b>Reading</b> • identifying the topic – an advice page in a magazine <b>Writing</b> • something important in your life and how it affected you
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<b>Women and men</b> <div style="background-color: #f9a825; color: white; padding: 10px; text-align: center; font-size: 2em; font-weight: bold;">12</div> Page 76	<b>Grammar</b> articles <i>a/the</i> , zero article <b>Vocabulary</b> adjectives of personality intensifying adverbs <b>Strategy</b> agreeing, disagreeing and correcting <b>Pronunciation</b> word stress	<b>Speaking</b> • talking about gender equality <b>Listening</b> • Roberta (Italy) talks about men and women in Italy • listening for context and detail – five people answer questions on men and women <b>Reading</b> • understanding the main idea – an article about gender differences <b>Writing</b> • gender equality in your country
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