

Unit 11

Summer Vacation

anything	how
anywhere	next
barbecuing	what
break	work
festival	worst



Audio Track II



Conversation Interview Questions Fill in the blanks with the above word choices. Listen to the interview. Write or circle the answers you hear next to the questions. Question translations are on page 123.

1. So, _____ was your summer vacation? It was ().
I went back to my ().
2. _____ did you do? I () with
friends from my hometown.
3. What was the best part of your summer _____? My mom's ().
4. What was the _____ part? The worst part was getting a ().
5. Did you _____?
6. Did you do any _____? Yeah, a ().
7. Did you buy _____ special? At Nagashima I bought some ().
... little () and some beach ().
8. Did you go _____ else? Aside from Nagashima, ().
9. Did you go to a _____?
10. What would you like to do _____ summer? I'd like to travel to ().

Correct Questions: /10

Correct Answers: /10

Useful Vocabulary

summer break (summer vacation) 夏休み
 driver's license 運転免許証
 amazing 驚くほど楽しい
 Thailand タイ
 overnight bus 夜行バス
 amusement park
 アミューズメントパーク・遊園地

theme park テーマパーク
 water park ウォーターパーク
 the attractions アトラクション
 too scary 怖すぎる
 road trip 車の旅
 convertible オープンカー
 went swimming 泳ぎに行った
 went camping キャンプに行った

summer camp (training camp) 夏合宿
 part-time job アルバイト
 shaved ice / snow cone かき氷
 concert ライブ
 aquarium 水族館
 hot and humid 蒸し暑い
 suntan (健康的な) 日焼け

Something's Not Quite Right!

Try to find out what is **STRANGE** or **INCORRECT** about the following sentences.



✗ I love to set off fire flowers in the summer.

I love to set off _____ in the summer.

✗ The jet coaster was so exciting.

The _____ was so exciting.

✗ We went to sea during our summer vacation.

We went to _____ during our summer vacation.

Exercises

The following sentences are possible answers to the **INTERVIEW QUESTIONS**.

Write the words in the correct order.

- It was amazing. I **went**
(Thailand. / ~~went~~ / in / backpacking)
- We took an
(to / overnight bus / Disneyland. / Tokyo)
- The attractions at the
(exciting. / park / really / were / amusement)
- The roller
(me. / scary / were / for / coasters / too)
- Yeah, I
(a ramen / shop. / at / noodle / worked)
- No, I didn't
(barbecue. / to / chance / a / have)
- Not really. I didn't have much money,
(anything. / so / buy / I / didn't)
- We went to
(end / August. / Shirahama / Beach / at / the / of)
- Yeah, I went to the
(July. / Tenjin / in late / Festival)
- I'd like to rent a
(road / long / a / trip. / convertible / and go on)

correct

/10

II Summer Vacation

A: American Man
B: Japanese Woman

A: Hey! Long time no see¹,
Miyu.

B: Hi, stranger². How are you
Lucas?

A: Pretty good. And yourself?

B: Great, thanks.

A: (1) So, how was your summer vacation?

B: It was nice. I went back to
my hometown.

A: Oh, yeah? Where's that?

B: I'm from Yoshino, in Nara.

A: Ahh, Yoshino. That's famous

for³ its mountains and the
Yoshino River, right?

B: Yep, it's a beautiful place,
lots of nature.

A: (2) What did you do?

B: I hung out⁴ with friends from
my hometown.

A: Did you go anywhere?

B: Actually, we took a road trip.

A: Cool! Where did you go?

B: We went to Nagashima Spa
Land.

A: Sounds great. How long
were you there?

B: Three days and two nights. It
was a lot of fun. The roller
coasters were awesome⁵.

A: (3) What was the best part of your summer break?

B: Um..., my mom's cooking.

A: Your mom's cooking?

B: Yeah. She makes the best
food. Tempura..., somen nood-
les..., so good.

A: Sounds delicious.

A: (4) What was the worst part?

B: The worst part..., hmm. The
worst part was getting a
sunburn⁶.

A: A sunburn? That's painful.

B: Yeah, I didn't put on
sunscreen⁷ when I went to the
water park. My skin turned all
red.

A: Ouch!⁸

B: Yeah, ouch. For three
days..., ouch!

A: (5) Did you work?

B: No, I didn't work this sum-
mer. I'll start my part-time job
next week.

A: Oh, yeah? Where are you
going to work?

B: At a bakery, near my apart-
ment.

A: (6) Did you do any barbe- cuing?

B: Yeah, a couple of times⁹.

Near my house, there are some
great barbecue spots along the
river.

A: What do you like to barbe-
cue?

B: Um, the usual..., meat, veg-
etables. I really love grilled
mushrooms, though.

A: Oh, yeah! Those are yummy!

A: (7) Did you buy anything special?

B: Um..., at Nagashima I
bought some souvenirs¹⁰.

A: What kind of souvenirs?

B: Um..., some little cakes and
some beach towels.

A: (8) Did you go anywhere else¹¹?

B: Um, aside from¹² Nagashi-
ma, no. I didn't go anywhere
else. I just spent time with my
family and friends.

A: Sounds nice.

B: It was. It was very relaxing.

A: (9) Did you go to a festival¹³?

B: Yes, I did. My town has a
summer festival every year.

A: What did you do there?

B: We ate a lot of delicious food
and we watched a fireworks
display¹⁴.

A: Did you wear a yukata?

B: Yeah. My friends and I
sometimes like to wear
traditional¹⁵ clothes for festivals.
It's fun.

A: (10) What would you like to do next summer?

B: Hmm..., next summer I'd like
to travel to Hokkaido.

A: Hokkaido? What would you
like to do there?

B: Well, I'd like to eat a lot of
the local dishes¹⁶ and do some
sightseeing¹⁷.

A: Would you go with your
family or...?

B: Actually, I'd like to go with
some friends from university.
Maybe spend a week or so up
there.

A: Oh, sounds nice. Well, I
hope you can do it.

B: Me, too! Hey, do you want to
come?

A: Sure! I'd love to.

Tapescript Vocabulary

1 久しぶり

2 久しぶり

(久しぶりに会う親しい人に、
冗談で「知らない人」

と呼びかける)

3 ～で有名な

4 遊んだ

5 すごい・かっこいい

6 日焼けで炎症をおこした

7 日焼け止め

8 痛い!

9 2、3回

10 お土産

11 それ以外にどこか

12 ～を除いては

13 お祭り

14 打ち上げ花火

15 伝統的な

16 地元の料理

17 観光

なるべく
よく健康

Partner's Name:

[illegible]

11 _____

12 _____

Explanation

Goal: Complete the crossword with your partner by giving hints in English and using body language to communicate.

Set Up: Decide who will be student 'A' and who will be student 'B'. Go to the appropriate Communication Crossword page for your unit. Student 'A' has the answer word list for student 'B'. Student 'B' has the answer word list for student 'A'. **Do not** look at your partner's page. **Do not** show or read aloud the answer word list to your partner. It's a secret!

Method: Look over the answer word list and choose a word. **It is recommended to first choose words that your partner could easily guess.** You can try the more difficult words later.

Now that you have chosen a word, use English to describe the word or give hints about the word. You can also use some body language to help your partner guess the word.

So, for example, let's say that student 'A' has the word "zebra" for number 3 across.

The conversation might look something like this:

A: OK. Number 3 across.

It's a kind of animal.

It's color is black and white....

B: Oh, is it a panda?

A: Sorry, no. It isn't a panda.

It's like a horse.

It comes from Africa.

B: Oh, I know. Is it a zebra?

A: Yes, that's right!

Then, Student 'B' would write ZEBRA in his puzzle.

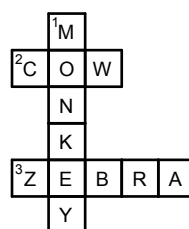
ACROSS Answers for 'B'
2. cow
3. zebra



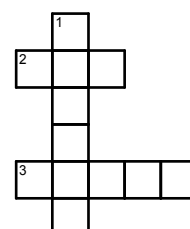
DOWN Answers for 'B'
1. monkey



solution



Student 'B'
puzzle



Useful Phrases for the Puzzles

Number 1 across / down.

It's a kind of...

For example...

The first letter is...

That's right!

You got it!

Oh! Close!

Sorry, no.

Is it ...?

How about another hint?

What's the first letter?

What color is it?

How do you spell it?

apostrophe = ' hyphen/dash = -

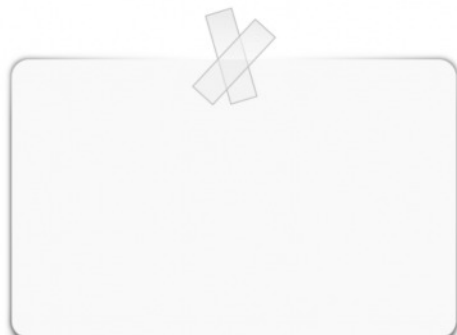
Oh, I give up!

Oh, I know!



Finished Early?

Write a few more words related to the unit topic. Think of something funny or interesting. Continue giving hints to your partner.



If you finish earlier than the other students, keep going! Think of your own words and keep playing!



Try an example with your teacher on the next page!

Students go to page 99.

Teacher should go to page 120.

Have fun!!!

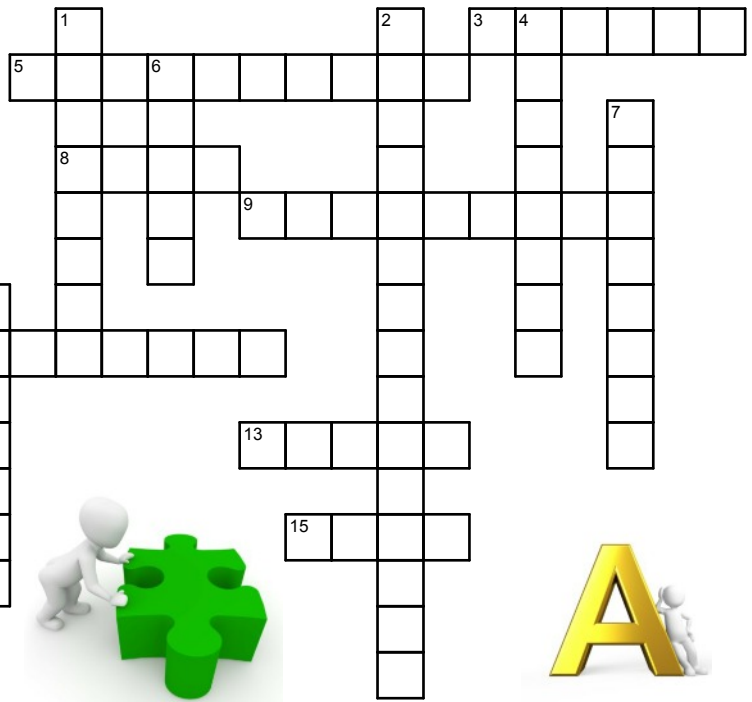
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ACROSS Answers for 'B'

2. roller coaster
7. theme park
9. Universal Studios Japan
10. road trip
14. sunburn
15. plane

DOWN Answers for 'B'

1. Tokyo Disneyland
3. sightseeing
4. water park
5. part-time job
6. shaved ice
8. sunscreen
11. ocean
12. suntan
13. summer



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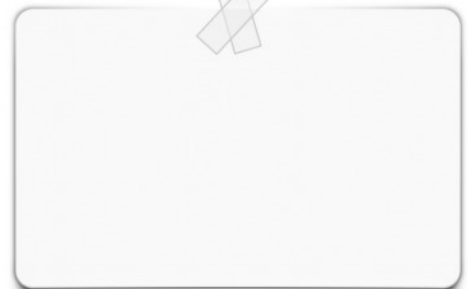
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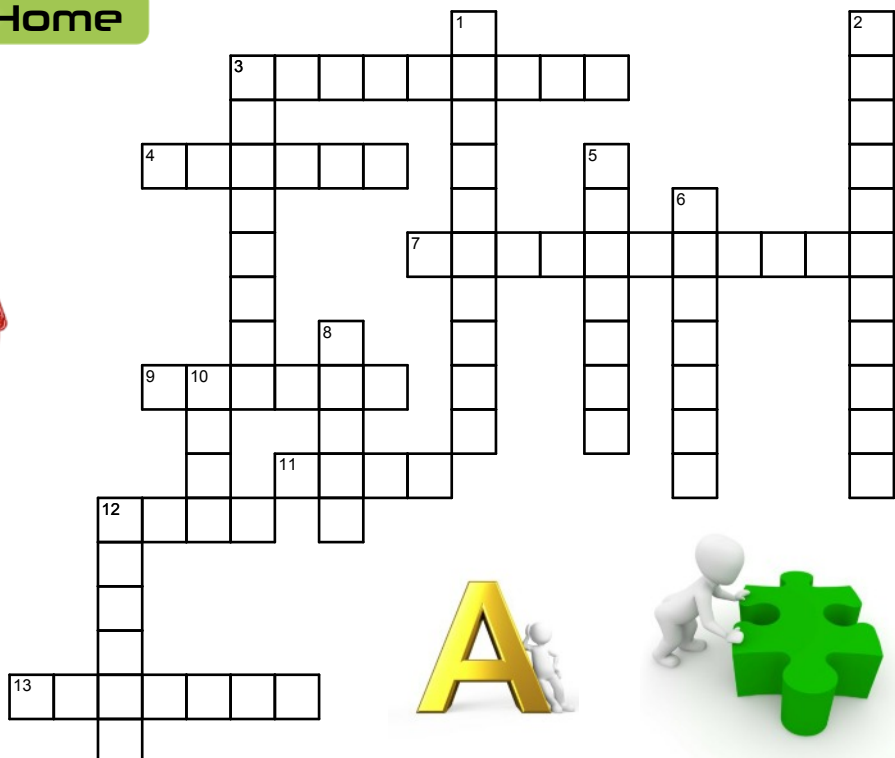
ACROSS Answers for 'B'

2. home
3. mother
5. suburb
6. microwave oven
7. relatives
9. uncle
10. tent
12. living room
14. rich



DOWN Answers for 'B'

1. studio apartment
2. housewife
4. remote control
8. mansion
11. kitchen
13. messy



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11
B

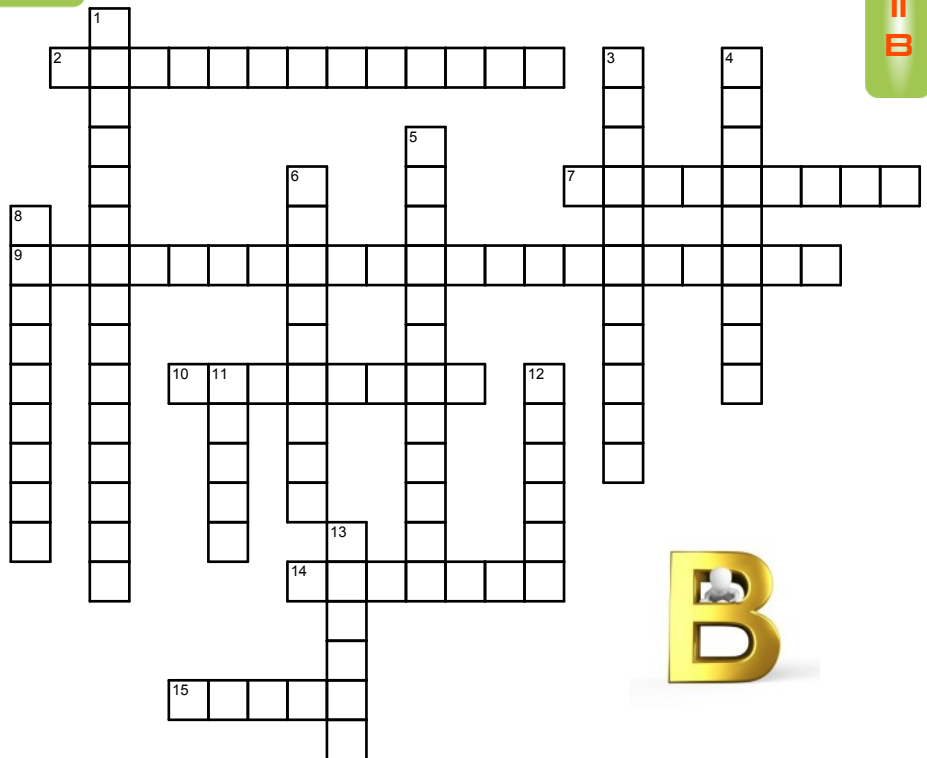
ACROSS Answers for 'A'

3. bikini
5. hamburgers
8. boat
9. fireworks
11. hometown
13. humid
14. hotel
15. beer



DOWN Answers for 'A'

1. barbecue
2. driver's license
4. ice cream
6. beach
7. festival
10. goggles
12. hot



Useful Phrases for the Puzzles

Number 1 across / down

It's a kind of...

For example...

The first letter is...

That's right!

You got it!

Oh! Close!

Sorry, no.

Is it ...?

How about another hint?

What's the first letter?

What color is it?

How do you spell it?

apostrophe = ' hyphen/dash = -

Oh, I give up!

Oh, I know!

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Write a few more words related to the unit topic. Think of something funny or interesting. Continue giving hints to your partner.

Unit 12 Family & Home

12
B

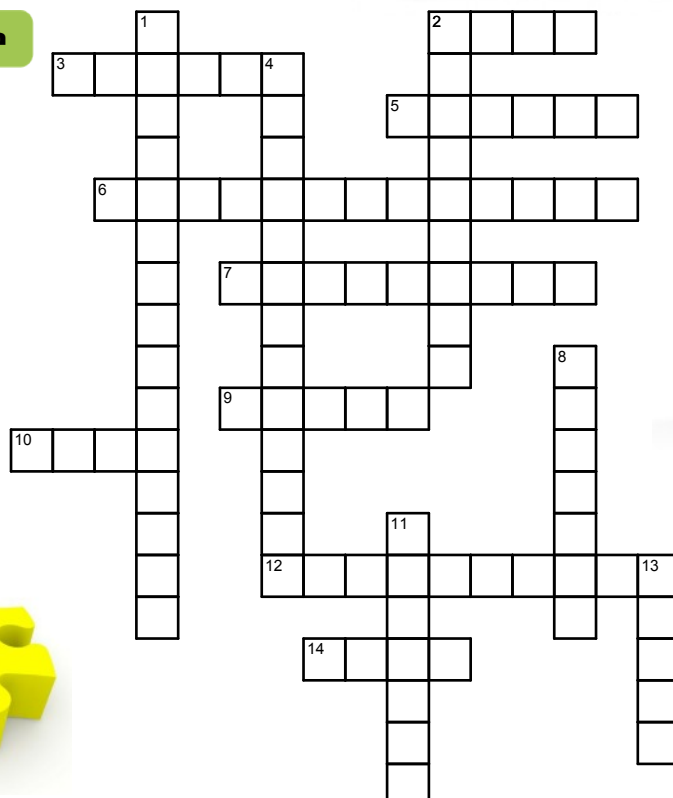
ACROSS Answers for 'A'

3. boyfriend
4. father
7. grandfather
9. family
11. baby
12. city
13. friends



DOWN Answers for 'A'

1. girlfriend
2. countryside
3. bathroom
5. bedroom
6. camping
8. clean
10. aunt
12. cousin



Translations Units II - 15

Unit 11: 夏休み

1. それで、夏休みはどうだった？
2. 何した？
3. 夏休みで最高だったことは何？
4. 最悪だったことは？
5. 働いた？
6. バーベキューした？
7. 何か特別な買い物した？
8. 他にどこか行った？
9. お祭りに行った？
10. 来年の夏には何をしたい？

Unit 12: 家族と家庭

1. どこに住んでるの？
2. 家はどんな感じ？
3. 家の中で好きな部屋はどこ？
4. いつか、友達とマンションの部屋をシェアしたい？
5. 君のところは大家族？
6. 家族について少し教えて。
7. 家で過ごす時間は長い？
8. 家族と一緒にどんなことをする？
9. 君が家族で一番話すのは誰？
10. いつか大家族を持ちたい？

Unit 13: 外食

1. どれくらいの頻度で夕食を外に食べに行く？
2. 君のすごく好きなレストランはどこ？
3. どのファーストフードのお店が好き？
4. 出かけた時、和食か洋食どちらを食べたい？
5. 夕食を食べに出かけた時、
大抵幾らくらい使う？
6. 朝食を外で食べることはある？
7. デートで出かけるのにいいレストランはどこ？
8. レストランに出かけるのとピクニックに
出かけるの、どちらがいい？
9. いつかレストランで働きたい？
10. もしアメリカの高級レストランで食事して、
サービスが本当に悪かったら、チップは
幾ら置いておく？

Unit 14: 仕事

(アルバイト・将来の職業)

1. バイトしてる？
2. あなたの仕事についてもう少し教えて。
3. あなたの仕事について一番いいことは何？
4. あなたの仕事について一番悪いことは？
5. どんなアルバイトに挑戦してみたい？
6. どんな職業を希望する？
7. ご両親は何で生計を立てているの？
8. 自営業かサラリーマン、どちらの方がいい？
9. 卒業後、幾らお金を稼ぎたい？
10. いつ退職したいと思う？

Unit 15: 結婚・家庭生活

1. いつか結婚したい？
2. 結婚適齢期は何歳だと思う？
3. 独身でいることのメリットは何？
4. 結婚していることのメリットは？
5. 配偶者はどんな人がいい？
6. 新婚旅行はどこに行きたい？
7. いつか子供はほしい？
8. 子供を持つことのメリットは？
9. 子供を持つことのデメリットは？
10. 離婚する夫婦がいるのはなぜ？

