



Unit 5 Part 2

Learning Goals:

- ▶ Describe actions
- ▶ Talk on the phone
- ▶ Grammar:
 - ▶ QUASM formula;
 - ▶ Phone conversation vocabulary;
 - ▶ Pronunciation of contractions;
 - ▶ Spelling the –ING rules.



Warm-up

WHAT ARE THEY DOING?

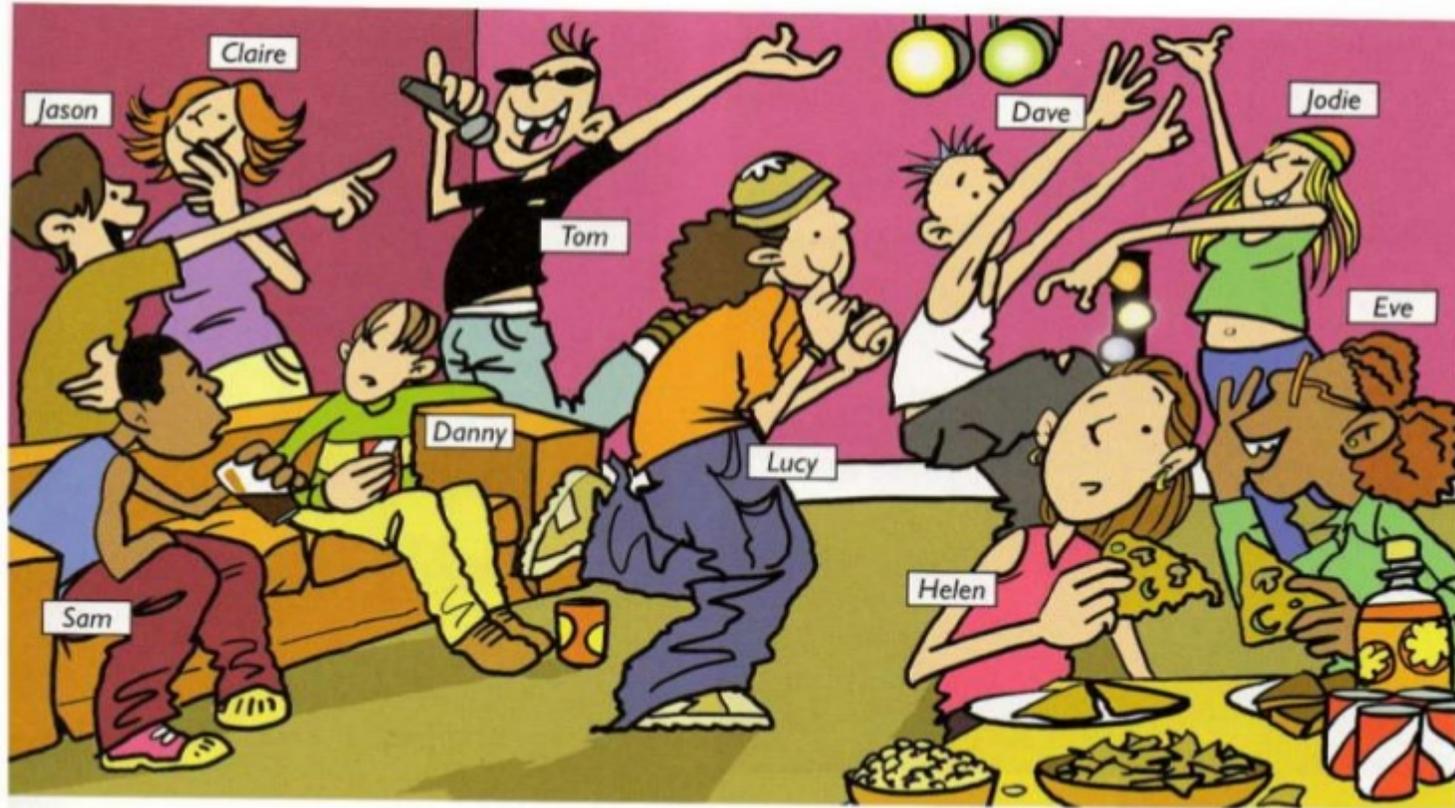
TALK

EAT PIZZA

DANCE

SING

DRINK SODA





Grammar

QUASM formula

Present Continuous Questions

What are you doing right now?

QU A S M

Why is Peter ignoring me?

QU A S M

QU- Question word

A- Auxillary verb

S- Subject

M- Main Verb

Let's Practice

Ask questions for the following answers:

1. What are you doing now?
I am studying now.

2. Where is she going?
She is going to school.

3. What are they doing?
They are swimming.

4. Where are you studying French?
We are studying French in college.

5. Where is he using the computer?
He is using the computer in the living room .

6. What is Lucy dancing?
Lucy is dancing salsa.



Listening & Pronunciation

Activities at home - Phone Conversation



PHONE CONVERSATIONS

FORMAL

- Good Morning
- This is ... speaking
- Could I speak to...please?
- I'm trying to contact...
- I'm calling on behalf of...
- ...speaking, how may I help you?
- May I ask who's calling, please?
- Could I speak to someone who...?
- I would like to make a reservation please
- Could you hold on a moment, please
- I'm sorry, he's out of the office today
- I'm afraid my English isn't very strong, could you speak slowly please?
- Can I leave a message please?
- Thank you for calling

INFORMAL

- Hi, it's...here
- Is...there?
- I'm in the post office at the moment, and I just needed...
- Hello, John's phone
- Who is it?
- Just a minute
- Okay, wait a moment please
- ...is out at the moment
- Sorry, I didn't catch that
- I can't hear you very well
- I'll ask him to ring you when...gets back
- I'll let...know that you rang
- Bye
- Talk soon
- Speak to you again soon



Let's Practice

You: Hello.

Will: Hi! Can I speak to Rob, please?

You: Sorry, he isn't here. Who's calling?

Will: It's Will.

You: Do you want to leave a message, Will?

Will: Yes, please. Can you ask him to call me back?

You: What's your number?

Will: My number's 0191 4980783.

You: That's 0191 4980783. OK. Bye.



Pronunciation: Contraction



Let's Practice

Use contractions:

1. I am using the computer.
I'm using the computer.
2. She is talking on the phone.
She's talking on the phone.
3. You are cooking dinner.
You're cooking dinner.
4. They are traveling.
They're traveling.
5. We are watching movies.
We're watching movies.
6. It is playing with a ball.
It's playing with a ball.
7. He is sleeping.
He's sleeping.
8. I am taking English classes.
I'm taking English classes.

Reading & Writing

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Cell phones

Today, people are using cell phones to do almost everything. They're making phone calls, taking photos and videos, searching the Internet, sending text messages and emails, listening to music, watching TV and movies, playing video games, and more. We only need one device to do all those things! Cell phones can make our lives better, but they are also causing problems. For example, some people are using their cell phones too much. They cannot stop. They're talking on the phone and eating at a restaurant. They're looking at their phone and walking in the street. They're sending text messages and driving. When we are always looking at our phones, we do not see the world around us. This isn't healthy and it isn't safe. Many countries around the world now have laws about cell phone use. For example, people cannot use a cell phone when they are driving. In some places, people cannot use a cell phone when they are crossing the street. Every year, more countries are making new laws to keep people safe when they are using cell phones.

Let's Practice

Answer according to the text:

1. What are people doing with cell phones?

They're making phone calls, taking photos and videos, searching the Internet, sending text messages and emails, listening to music, watching TV and movies, playing video games, and more.

2. Are people doing almost everything with cell phones? ?

Yes, they are.

3. Are cell phones causing problems?

Yes, they are.

4. Is using a cell phone too much healthy and safe?

No, it isn't.

5. What are countries doing about cell phone use?

They are making new laws to keep people safe when they are using cell phones .

Present continuous: -ING

Rules and form

- verbs ending in **-e**:
 - drop the -e and add **-ing**.
 - ex:** dance**e** – dancing
- one syllable verbs (consonant + vowel +consonant)
 - double consonant + -ing.
 - ex:** swim – swim**ming**
- verbs ending in **-ie**
 - change to -y + -ing .
 - ex:** lie – l**y**ing
 - die - d**y**ing



Let's Practice

Use the correct form of the verbs:

1. GET → GETTING

2. TAKE → TAKING

3. STUDY → STUDYING

4. DRINK → DRINKING

5. SWIM → SWIMMING

6. COMPARE → COMPARING

7. RIDE → RIDING

8. LET → LETTING

9. BUY → BUYING

10. LIE → LYING

Recap

- ▶ Do you remember the goals for this lesson? Let's check them again.
- ▶ Let's quickly recap what we have studied today:
 - ▶ QUASM formula;
 - ▶ Phone conversation vocabulary;
 - ▶ Pronunciation of the contractions;
 - ▶ Spelling of -ING rules;

Practice in *My Time* English platform

- ▶ Now you've finished this lesson you're able to do the following activities on the *My Time* English platform - Level 1, Unit 5:
 - ▶ Lesson 5: Grammar D;
 - ▶ Lesson 6: Listening;
 - ▶ Lesson 7: Reading & Writing;
 - ▶ Lesson 8: Video;
- ▶ Remember to practice and write down any questions you might have;
- ▶ Use IPA's channels to get the necessary help;

References

- ▶ Keeping your progress in mind we have selected some activities and extras materials;
- ▶ As extras we have the following videos:
 - ▶ <https://www.alunosipa.com/revisao-go-aula-2>
(Possessive Adjectives, QUASM/ASM and Present Continuous)
 - ▶ <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Dl8g2pZ82ME>
(Present Continuous)
- ▶ Remember to practice your English as much as possible! If you need any further help, please let us know!
- ▶ Keep up the good work!!

