

Mom Was Doing the Dishes at Half Past Twelve

Warm-up

Say it. 說說看，你會半夜爬起來做哪些事？



2 use the bathroom



1 do homework



3 eat



I often wake up in the middle of the night to use the bathroom.

kill 殺死 mosquito 蚊子 fan 電扇 middle 中間

Dialogue

CD2: 1-2



對話動畫

A Listen and repeat.

(On Saturday morning)

Kim: **Someone broke** my favorite cup.

Jamie: Maybe Lucky did it.

Kim: Let's check the video from the dog monitor.

Jamie: Stop! Mom was **doing the dishes** at **half past** twelve.

Kim: It was her. I knew it.

Jamie: Take it easy, Kim. Look. The cup was fine when she **left**.

Kim: All right.



應用字彙

CD2: 5

someone 某人 (= somebody)

half 一半；二分之一

take it easy 放輕鬆

break 打破；損壞

past 經過；過去（的）

• 認識字彙 • **monitor** 監視器

break → broke

leave → left

do the dishes 洗碗盤

leave 離開

(Five minutes later)

Kim: Hey, what were you doing in the kitchen at a **quarter** after one?

It was you.

Jamie: Cool down. I was drinking water, and I wasn't even close to the table.

See?

Kim: Then who broke my cup?

Jamie: Er, look. You did. You were in the kitchen at 2 a.m.

Kim: I was in the kitchen? I don't **remember** that at all.

Jamie: Your eyes weren't open. What were you doing?

Kim: Oh no! I was sleepwalking when I broke my cup.



B Match. 將下列時間與發生的事件配對。

(A) Mom was doing the dishes.

1. ()

2. ()

3. ()

(B) Kim was sleepwalking.

(C) Jamie was drinking water.



應用字彙

CD1: 5

quarter 十五分鐘；四分之一

remember 記得

cool down 冷靜一下

close 靠近的

• 認識字彙 • **sleepwalk** 夢遊

These people were very busy
at 7 a.m. yesterday.



4 mop the stairs



5 take out the trash





⑥ wipe the windows

⑦ dry one's hair



⑧ hang the clothes

應用字彙

CD2: 7

feed 餵養

pet 寵物

sweep 掃

floor 地板；樓層

fix 修理；解決

drawer 抽屜

mop 拖地；拖把

stairs 樓梯

wipe 擦拭

window 窗戶

dry (使) 乾燥；乾的

hang 吊；掛

clothes 衣服

Fill in the blanks. 看圖填入適當的動詞。

• What were they doing at 7 a.m. yesterday?

Example Papa was **fixing** the drawer.

1. Snow was _____ the pets.

3. Zoe was _____ her hair.

2. Jack was _____ the stairs.

4. Mr. Hook was _____ out
the trash.

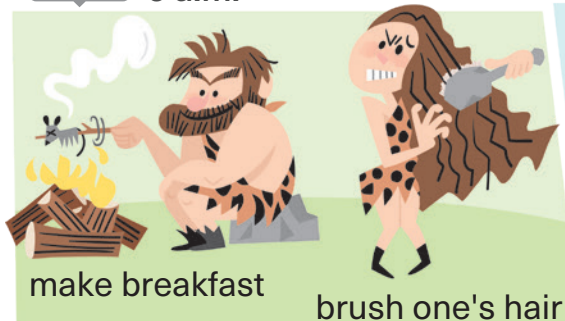
Grammar Focus 1

I/He **was doing** the dishes at seven last night.

We/They **were watching** a video at that time.

Speak and write. 根據下圖，說說看、寫寫看。

Example 6 a.m.



1 7 a.m.

hang the clothes



2 11 a.m.

play with the pet

3 2:30 p.m.



Example

Mr. Rokk **was making** breakfast at six o'clock yesterday morning, and Mrs. Rokk **was brushing** her hair at that time.

- 1 Yesterday morning at seven o'clock, Mrs. Rokk _____ the clothes, and Mr. Rokk _____.
- 2 It was eleven o'clock in the morning. Mr. Rokk _____ on the wall, and their daughter _____ with the pet.
- 3 It was two thirty in the afternoon. The Rokk family was not at home. Mr. Rokk and his daughter _____ a tree, and Mrs. Rokk was watching them under the tree.

Grammar Focus 2

I **was** sleepwalking **when** I **broke** my cup.

They **were** cooking **when** I **walked** into the kitchen.

Speak and write. 根據下圖，說說看、寫寫看。

• What were they doing when the earthquake happened?

Example play video games

① work at the desk

② sleep



③ use the bathroom

④ climb up the stairs

earthquake 地震

Example Kelly **was playing** video games **when** the earthquake **happened**.

- ① Mrs. Baker _____ at the desk when the earthquake happened.
- ② Bobby and the baby _____ when the earthquake happened.
- ③ Mr. Kros _____ the bathroom when the earthquake happened.
- ④ Mr. Job _____ up the stairs when the earthquake happened.



Write. 依例寫出下列時間的英文讀法。

<p>Example</p> <p>4:15</p>	<p>1</p> <p>8:30</p>	<p>2</p> <p>9:45</p>	<p>3</p> <p>11:50</p>
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Example It is four fifteen. = It is a quarter after four.

1. It is eight thirty. = _____

2. _____ = _____

3. _____ = _____

Reading

| Before You Read |

1. How often do you have bad dreams?
2. Why do people have bad dreams?

1 You're losing teeth.

Maybe you're nervous about something in your life.



2 You're falling.

Maybe you're trying to control something, but you can't.



3 Something or somebody is running after you.

Maybe you're hiding from someone or something.



4 You can't get out of something.

Maybe something is on your mind, and it's troubling you.



control 控制 get out of 擺脫；脫離



- What does a dreamcatcher do?

CD2: 8-9

The Dreamcatcher

After Emma **moved** to a new **city**, she had bad **dreams almost** every night. In one dream, she was eating cake when her teeth fell out one by one. In another, a bear was running after her. These dreams always woke her up. After that, she couldn't **fall asleep** again because she was **scared**. She couldn't get enough sleep and was tired all the time.



應用字彙

CD2: 12

dreamcatcher [ˈdri:m,kætʃə] 捕夢網

move 搬遷；移動

city 城市

dream 夢；夢想（的）

almost 幾乎

fall asleep 睡著

scared 害怕的

🔍 Reading Clue

觀察 **however** 前後文意的轉變，推測轉折語 **however** 的功能。

▶ CD2: 10-11

Emma told her family and friends about her **problem**. "You're just nervous about your new school," her parents said and gave her some **tips**. **However**, **nothing** worked.

One day, her friend Dakota gave her a dreamcatcher. "Hang this by your bed. The web **catches** the bad dreams, but the good ones go **through** the holes," he told her. Emma hung it up, and it worked! **Finally**, she could sleep through the night. The dreamcatcher **saved** her from **terrible** nights.



應用字彙

▶ CD2: 12

catch → caught

problem 問題

tip 訣竅

however 然而

nothing 沒什麼；無事；無物

catch 捉；接

through 穿越；從頭到尾

finally 終於；最後

save 拯救

terrible 糟糕的；可怕的

• 認識字彙 • **web** 網子

hole 洞

| After You Read |

A Choose the correct answer. 根據閱讀內容，選出正確的答案。

() Who might need a dreamcatcher?

(A) Luka. He sleeps for long hours but is still tired at work.

(B) Wendy. She's a doctor, and she studies sleep and dreams.

(C) Riley. She often has bad dreams and wakes up many times during the night.

B Complete the graphic organizer. 根據閱讀內容，填入正確的答案。

Paragraph

1

beginning 開頭

Emma moved to a new city and had _____ almost every night.

Paragraph

2

middle 過程

Emma told her parents about her problem, but they could not help.

Paragraph

3

end 結尾

Emma's friend Dakota gave her a _____.
The dreamcatcher worked, and Emma could finally _____ the night.



Summarizing

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C Summarizing. 連結各段主要內容，刪除次要的資訊，彙整出本文的摘要。

- The summary of the reading:



A Listen and observe. 聽一聽，並觀察單字的連音。 ▶ CD2: 13

1. There isn't enough gh food.
2. Have a good day!
3. Is it hot today?
4. Let's play with the dog.

B Read. 利用連音技巧讀出下列的句子。

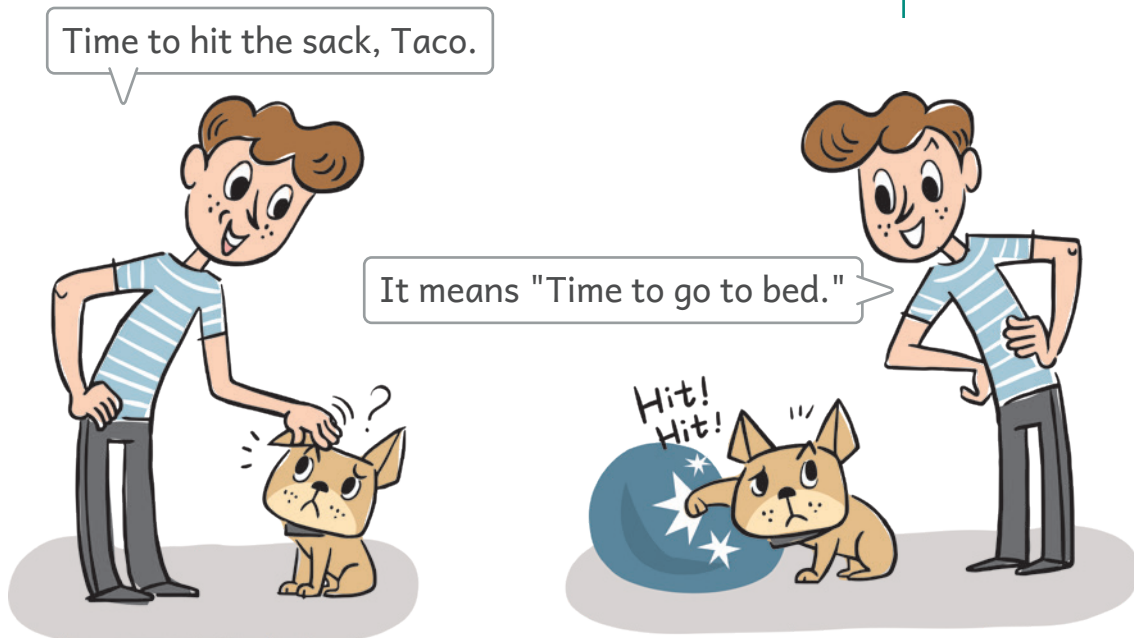
1. I had a great time in India.
2. We can help people.
3. She's a big girl.
4. He is drinking black coffee.

Taco & Tom

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▶ CD2: 14

hit the sack 就寢



hit 打擊 sack 麻袋



Example

Listen and choose the correct answer. 根據聽到的內容，選出最適合的答案。

- (A) Making dinner.
- (B) Washing their car.
- (C) Cleaning the house.

1. Predict.

- 觀察三個選項的異同，並預測可能會聽到的字。

2. Listen globally. ▶ CD2: 15

- 聽 CD，並大略記錄聽到的內容，遇到生字時不要停，先跳過或快速猜測字義。

我聽到的內容：

... friends are coming.... ... we are cleaning the house.... Dad is mopping the floor.
Mom is cleaning.... And I'm wiping the table. ... My friend Alice just got here.

3. Organize.

- 組織聽到的內容，並拼湊出大意。

我聽到的內容：

... friends are coming.... ... we are cleaning the house.... Dad is mopping the floor.
Mom is cleaning.... And I'm wiping the table. ... My friend Alice just got here.

They're cleaning the house because the boy's friends are coming.

→ 可知答案為(C)。

Practice

聽聽看，選出最適合的答案。 ▶ CD2: 16

- () (A) Getting food.
- (B) Making dinner.
- (C) Feeding their pet.



A Listen and choose the correct picture.

根據聽到的句子，選出符合描述的圖片。 ▶ CD2: 17

辨識句意

1. () (A)



(B)



(C)



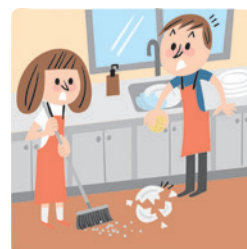
2. () (A)



(B)



(C)



B Listen and choose the correct answer.

根據聽到的內容，選出最適合的回應。 ▶ CD2: 18

基本問答

1. () (A) Let's have a cold drink.

(B) Let's swim in it right now.

(C) Let's clean it up with a mop.

2. () (A) No, I didn't because it was raining.

(B) I didn't sweep the floor this morning.

(C) I did take out the clothes and hang them.

C Listen and choose the correct answer.

根據聽到的內容，選出最適合的答案。 ▶ CD2: 19

言談理解

1. () (A) Sleeping.

(B) Drinking water.

(C) Talking on the phone.

2. () (A) Doing homework.

(B) Cleaning their house.

(C) Moving things into their new place.

John and Mary were husband and wife, and they were very old. They had memory problems, so they went to see a doctor. "I can't help you much. You're losing your memory because of your age. Just write everything down. That can help," said the doctor. John and Mary thanked the doctor and went home.

Later that night, they were watching TV when John got up from his chair. Mary asked, "Where are you going?"

"To the kitchen. I'm thirsty."

Mary thought for a minute and then said, "I'm hungry. Can you make a sandwich for me?"

"Sure."

"Write it down. You have memory problems," said Mary.

"I can remember it. What else do you want?"

Mary said, "Maybe some chocolate ice cream with banana. Write them down, please. You can't remember them all."

"I can remember. You want a sandwich and some chocolate ice cream with banana," John said and left for the kitchen. After twenty minutes, he came back. Mary was falling asleep when he handed her a bowl of chocolate cookies. "Here you go," he said.

She looked at the food and said, "See? You couldn't remember my request. Where's my milk for the cookies?"

ask 詢問 leave for 前往 hand 將...遞給 request 要求



Read and choose the correct answer. 根據文章內容，選出正確的答案。

1. () A person with memory problems can't _____.
(A) write
(B) drink milk
(C) make good food
(D) remember things
2. () Which is true about John and Mary?
(A) John went to the kitchen because he was hungry.
(B) Mary was losing her memory, so she asked John for help.
(C) Mary was right about John: he couldn't remember her request.
(D) The doctor couldn't help them because they didn't have money.
3. () What is the joke in the story?
(A) Mary wanted a lot of food.
(B) John didn't remember the milk.
(C) Mary couldn't even remember her own request.
(D) John didn't write things down and got the wrong food.

joke 笑話

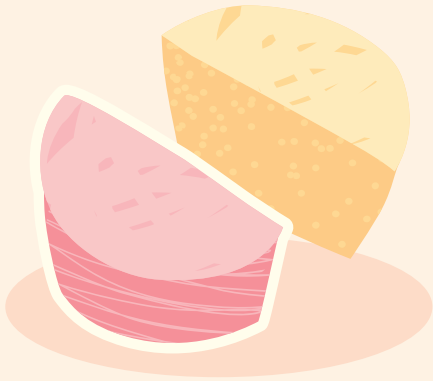


Word Power

1 Read. 讀讀看下列 half 和 quarter 的用法。



Half



half an hour

Bob slept on the sofa for half an hour.

cut... into halves

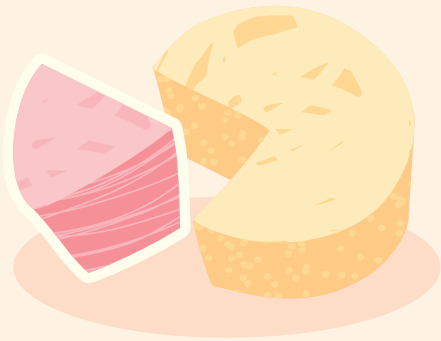
Mom cut the apple into halves.

half of

A: What's half of eighty?

B: Forty.

Quarter



a quarter of an hour

Liz stood in line for a quarter of an hour.

cut... into quarters

Dad cut the cake into quarters.

a quarter of

A: What's a quarter of 100 centimeters?

B: Twenty-five centimeters.

line 隊伍



2 Fill in the blanks. 根據句意填入 half、halves、quarter 或 quarters。

My friends and I made a cake yesterday. It was a lot of fun. The cake was in the oven for fifteen minutes at first, but it wasn't ready. So, we waited for another thirty minutes. After _____ an hour, we took the cake out. Then we put chocolate cream on _____ of the cake and banana on the other half because Emma and Kyle wanted chocolate, and Sam and I wanted fruit. After that, we cut the cake into _____, and we each got a big slice. It was very yummy.

oven 烤箱