



Friends and colleagues

How are you?

What's your phone number?

Can you speak Spanish?



A Friends

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15 A1a	Work in p	airs. Listen to the music. Guess the countr	ry the music comes from.
	From	·	
A1b	What do y	ou know about this country? Complete th	ne fact file.
Fact file			
Country: Capital city: Edinl			
Languages:		Julius Maria	OF THE REAL PROPERTY.
Gaelic, Scots dial		n. i. L.	
Population: 6 mi	llion		
	18		

Work in pairs. Look at the photos. Read the texts and complete the information about Deirdre and Andy.

Who's who



Deirdre is Scottish. She's from Edinburgh. She can speak a lot of languages: Gaelic, English, French, German, Italian. She isn't married. She lives with her partner and her two cats,

Filou and Max, in a house 20 kilometres from Hamburg. She works at "The Whisky Shop", but she also is a soprano singer and plays the harp. She travels all around Europe and sings at concerts, weddings, festivals and whisky-tasting events. She's a great singer. Deirdre likes German beer, but her favourite drink is Scotch.

Who's who



Andy is from Shetland, a group of Scottish islands in the North Sea. He's married and his wife is German. He lives in Hamburg and has two children. He's the manager of "The

Whisky Shop". The shop isn't big, but it's very nice. You can buy Scottish whisky and all kinds of Scottish products there. Andy is an expert on whisky, but his favourite drink is tea. He likes music and sports, especially golf. He can play the guitar and the bagpipes. Together with Deirdre, he teaches whisky-tasting courses. He's a great storyteller.

	Deirdre	Andy
is from		
lives in		
job:		
married?		
children?		
favourite drink:		

Focus on spoken English

"She's a great singer." means "She's very good."

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Focus on grammar

She's (she is) a soprano singer.She isn't (is not) married.Her name is Deirdre.He's (he is) Scottish.He isn't (is not) German.His wife is German.It's (it is) a nice shop.It isn't (is not) big.

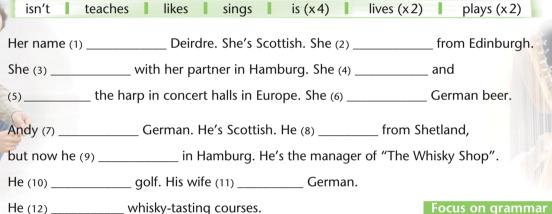
- A2b Read the texts again and find examples of she/he, her/his and it. Circle the examples.
- A2c Choose one or two new words from the text that you don't understand. Ask your partner or your teacher.

Example: What's "favourite" in German?

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TIP 1 What is it in German?

Homestudy H2 Complete the sentences about Deirdre and Andy with the following verbs.



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Now read the texts in A2a again and check your answers.

She works in Hamburg. He lives in Germany.

Homestudy H3 A3a Complete the diagram about a friend.
Write her/his name in the middle.

Work in pairs and talk about your friend.
You can ask your teacher for help.
Example: What's ... in English?

is from ... lives in ...
job: ... married: yes/no

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TIP 2 What's it in English?

A3c

Write a few sentences about your friend. Use the sentences in A2d to help you. Now read your sentences.

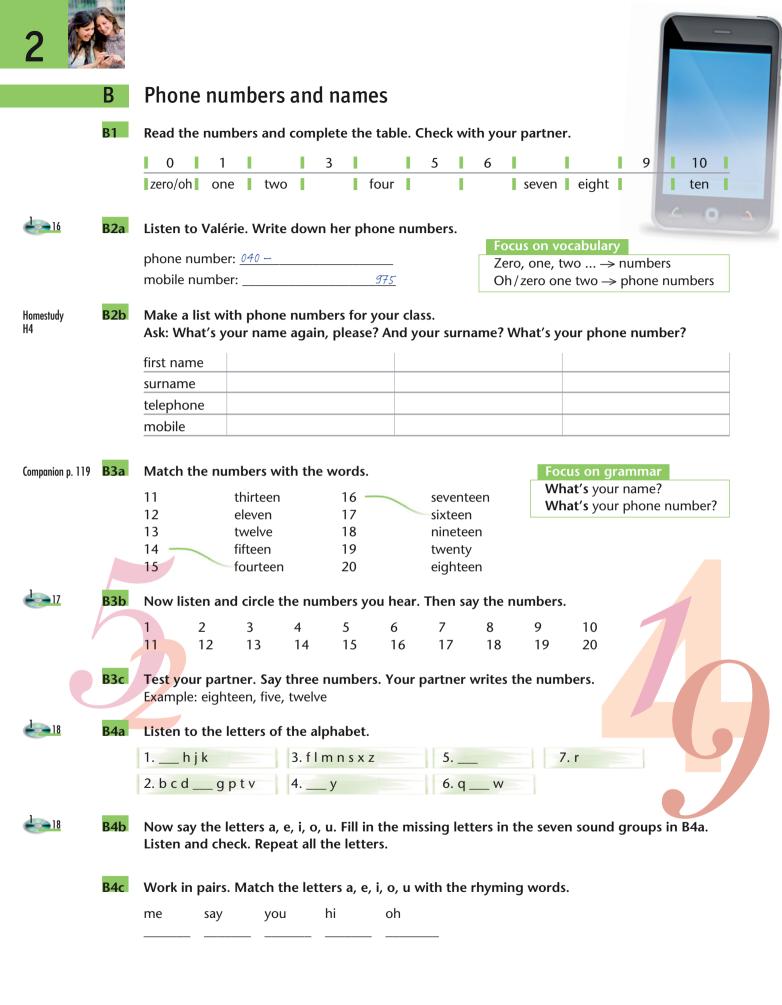
Companion p. 113 Example: Her/his name is ... She/he's from ...

Listen and find out where all the friends are from.

Our friends are from ...

Focus on grammar

She's **a** singer. He's **an** expert.





H5. H6

B5a Listen to the people spell their names and circle the name you hear.

Mirjam Sara Bridget Chris Mattheo Myriam Sarah Brigitte Kris Mateo

B5b Work in pairs. Say a letter. Your partner says the letter before and the letter after.

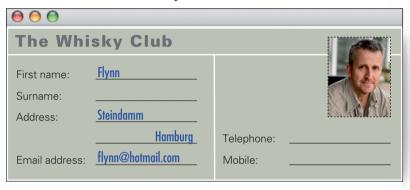
Example: You: M Your partner: L, N

B5c Work in pairs. Say a word. Your partner spells it.

Example: Student A: language Student B: I - a - n - g - u - a - g - e



Flynn buys a bottle of whisky from The Whisky Shop. Listen to the conversation and fill in the information about Flynn.





TIP 3 Asking for help



Andy asks Flynn for help. Listen again and number the phrases.

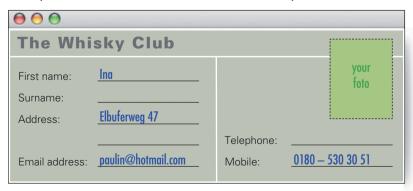
- Can you write it for me, please?
- Sorry, can you repeat that, please?
- Can you spell that for me, please?
- Is that right?

Homestudy H7 Work in pairs. Student A looks at this page. Student B looks at page 113.

Ask questions to complete the information on the card of another customer.

Use the phrases in B6b.

Examples: What's her/his name? What's her/his phone number?



Work in pairs. Do you remember all the names and surnames of the others in class? Point to somebody and ask: What's her/his first name? What's her/his surname?



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C Colleagues

Valérie is a new colleague at The Whisky Shop. It's her first day at work.

Read the dialogue between Deirdre and Valérie and fill in the following phrases.

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	Fine, thanks. How are you? He's OK. Valérie: Hello, Deirdre. Deirdre: Hi, Valérie. Welcome to "The Whisky Shop"!? Valérie: Not bad, thanks. And you? Deirdre: How's Paul? Valérie: He's very busy.									
21	Listen and check.									
Homestudy H10	Work in pairs. Ask and answer. Examples: How are you? – Very well. / Fine, thanks. / OK. / Not bad, thanks.									
C1c	How do you answer the question "How are you?" in your language? Do you always say "Fine, thanks."?									
C2a	Which of these languages can you speak? Tell your partner. Example: I can speak German and a little English.									
	German English Spanish Italian French Polish Japanese									
22 C2b	Listen to Andy and Valérie and complete the table.									
Homestudy H11	Can Valérie speak Yes, she can. Yes, a little. No, she can't. German? French? English? Focus on grammar									
Companion p. 110	Italian? Spanish? Can she speak German? – Yes, she can. / No, she can't.									
C3a	What can you do? Complete the questionnaire and then ask your partner. Example: Can you speak Spanish? – Yes, I can. / Yes, a little. / No, I can't.									
	Yes, I can. Yes, a little. No, I can't.									
	you / your partner you / your partner you / your partner									
	Can you speak French? play golf? ski? cook? drive?									

C3b Tell the class what you and your partner can (can't) do.

spell your name?

Example: We can speak a little French. We can't play golf.



D The whisky shop

D1a Work in pairs. What do you think you can buy in The Whisky Shop? Tick the objects.



D1b Now read and find out.



Deirdre MacKenzie and her colleague Andy Johnson are both from Scotland. They're friends and partners and work in "The Whisky Shop". They both love Scotland, Scottish food and Scottish whisky. "Our dream was to

open a Scottish shop in Germany. In our shop, you can buy Scottish whisky, Scottish music and books – all kinds of Scottish products. We're very happy to have the shop. Andy's the whisky expert and I sing and play the harp at the whisky-tasting events. Join us for a whisky-tasting course." Deirdre and Andy work very hard and they love their job because they can meet many people. Their shop is in the market square in Hamburg.

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Focus on grammar

They are (they're) from Scotland. **They love** Scottish food.

Their shop is in Hamburg.

D1c Choose one or two new words or phrases from the text that you do not understand.

Walk around the class. Ask and answer: What's ... in German? You can also ask your teacher.

Homestudy H12 Work in pairs. Tell your partner three things you remember about Deirdre and Andy.

Example: They work very hard. Their shop is in Hamburg.

D3a Work in pairs. Look at the people in the photos.

What are their names? Where are they from?

Example: Their names are ...
They are from ...





D3b Think of a "famous pair". Student A says the name of one person, Student B says the other name and where they are from.

Example: Student A: Hillary.

Student B: Bill. They're from the States.

They're from Scotland.
They're from the States.



Exploring my progress

Am Ende dieser Unit kann ich	(20)	(20)	
sagen, wo jemand wohnt. (He lives in Hamburg.)			A2d, H2
sagen, woher jemand kommt. (She's from Edinburgh. /			
They're from Scotland.)			A3c, D3, H1, H2
sagen, was jemand beruflich macht. (He's a manager.)			A3a, H3
sagen, wie jemand heißt. (His name is Andy. /			
Their names are Valérie and Paul.)			A3c, D3, H1
Telefonnummern erfragen und sagen. (What's your phone number?)			B2b, H4
Telefonnummern verstehen und aufschreiben.			B2b, H4
Wörter buchstabieren. (I a n g u a g e)			B5, H5, H6
fragen, wie es jemandem geht. (How are you?)			C1, H10
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Exploring learning – asking for help (1)

A2c TIPP 1 Was bedeutet ...?

Wenn Sie ein Wort nicht verstehen, zögern Sie nicht, nach seiner Bedeutung zu fragen. Sie können z.B. um eine Übersetzung bitten und sagen: What's "favourite" in German?

A3b TIPP 2 Wie sagt man ...?

Wenn Sie selber etwas sagen möchten, Ihnen aber das richtige Wort fehlt, können Sie auch nach der englischen Übersetzung fragen: What's "Kollegin" in English?

B6/B7 TIPP 3 Um Hilfe bitten

Es gibt viele Möglichkeiten, um Hilfe zu bitten oder nachzufragen. Sie können beispielsweise um Unterstützung auf Englisch bitten, indem Sie fragen: *Sorry, can you*

repeat that, please? oder Can you spell that for me, please? So üben Sie gleichzeitig, sich mit jemandem zu verständigen, der nur Englisch und kein Deutsch spricht.



Nachfragen / um Hilfe bitten

Zögern Sie nicht, um Hilfe zu bitten, wenn Sie Englisch lernen. Es ist sehr nützlich, wenn man einige Formulierungen kennt, die man zum Nachfragen verwenden kann. Bitten Sie darum, dass man Ihnen unbekannte Wörter erklärt oder sie wiederholt. So können Sie ein Gespräch auch mit relativ geringen Sprachkenntnissen in Gang halten.

Lernen außerhalb des Englischkurses

Suchen Sie ein paar Fotos von Freunden heraus und schreiben Sie einige Sätze über diese Freunde. Bringen Sie dann die Fotos mit in den Kurs und zeigen Sie sie den anderen Teilnehmenden. Diese können Ihnen dann Fragen zu den Fotos stellen.

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