

**UNIT 4****Complete the email with the correct words.**

contact	hobby	pictures	post	show
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1. Hi Sarah,

It was good to hear from you. I'm sorry you aren't happy at the moment. I think you should start a \_\_\_\_\_, so you have something interesting to do. Why don't you take some nice \_\_\_\_\_? Your phone has a good camera. Then you could \_\_\_\_\_ your pictures on social media or start a blog. That's the easiest way to \_\_\_\_\_ them to the family. I would love to see them!

Anyway, Mom and Dad are trying to \_\_\_\_\_ you. Please give them a call.

Love you, sis.  
Steve

**Choose the correct word to complete the sentence.**

2. I'm not sure who painted this picture. I \_\_\_\_\_ it was Ansel because he's really good at art.
- guess
  - wait
  - jump

**Choose the correct word or phrase to complete each sentence.**

3. Ask your brother if he wants to \_\_\_\_\_ us for dinner this evening.
- click on
  - wait
  - join

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4. I \_\_\_\_\_ a little town in the north of Japan.
  - a. contact
  - b. come from
  - c. find out
  
5. When she \_\_\_\_\_ what really happened, she is going to be very angry.
  - a. finds out
  - b. comes from
  - c. joins
  
6. To open a new document, \_\_\_\_\_ “File,” and then “New.”
  - a. guess
  - b. join
  - c. click on

**Read each sentence. Decide if the missing word is a noun or verb. Choose the correct word.**

7. The walk was quite easy, except for a short \_\_\_\_\_ up a hill.
  - a. climb (n)
  - b. climb (v)
  - c. dream (n)
  - d. dream (v)
  
8. Can I \_\_\_\_\_ you on Friday evening?
  - a. phone (n)
  - b. phone (v)
  - c. guess (n)
  - d. guess (v)
  
9. Who do you \_\_\_\_\_ to visit in Delhi?
  - a. contact (n)
  - b. contact (v)
  - c. plan (n)
  - d. plan (v)

### Match the sentences.

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| 10. I don't think you can download these songs.       | ● | ● a. It depends on what social media platform your friends use. |
| 11. If I lose my phone, my photos are safe.           | ● | ● b. They upload automatically to the internet.                 |
| 12. What is the best way to share my vacation photos? | ● | ● c. You can only listen to them online.                        |

### Read the passage.

#### Sharing Photos

- A** From the beginning, taking pictures was more than just a hobby for Chris Burkard. Even though he only started taking photos when he was 19, his amazing photos of surfers quickly became popular. Then, in 2013, his career really took off.
- B** While on a photography trip in Iceland, a surfer showed Burkard an app called Instagram. Burkard joined and started posting pictures. A lot of people liked Burkard's Instagram page. By 2016, he had around two million followers. Now, he has twice as many followers!
- C** Burkard's followers love his photos of interesting places around the world. Many people want to travel after seeing his photographs. In fact, Burkard was named a Top 10 travel influencer in 2017.
- D** Because of Burkard's success on Instagram, companies ask him to take photographs for their businesses. He travels and takes photographs for magazines and books. He also gives presentations and talks about his work.
- E** More and more people are using photo-sharing apps. Apps and sites such as Instagram, Imgur, and Flickr help photographers connect with large numbers of people. So, how can you make a popular photo-sharing account like Chris Burkard's? Here's some advice.
- 1 Share posts on other social media sites, such as Facebook or Pinterest. When people see your posts, they might click on them.
  - 2 Choose hashtags carefully. Find out which ones are popular. For example, many people use #beach. There are about 300 million Instagram photos with that hashtag. So, if you use it, people who like these 300 million photos might find you.
  - 3 Contact other people. Follow them and say nice things about their posts. When you do this, they might follow you, too.

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- 4 Make your followers feel like they are part of a community. For example, answer their questions and share information about yourself.
- 5 Work with businesses such as food companies. When you post a photo with a product, use the company's name in your post. People who follow that company might see your post and follow you. The business might also want to work with you.

**Complete each sentence with one word from the passage.**

13. Paragraph A is mainly about how Chris Burkard started his \_\_\_\_\_ in photography.
14. Burkard first discovered \_\_\_\_\_ on a photography trip in Iceland.
15. Burkard's photos make people want to \_\_\_\_\_ more.
16. Companies want to work with Burkard because he has many \_\_\_\_\_ on Instagram.
17. The word \_\_\_\_\_ in paragraph E refers to a word or phrase written with a '#' symbol in front of it.

**Choose all the correct answers.**

18. What does the author do in paragraph A?
  - ☐ explain the meaning of the word "selfie"
  - ☐ describe how selfies have changed since 2000
  - ☐ compare taking selfies with other photos
  - ☐ talk about the history of selfies

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19. Which of these sentences is true?

- ☐ Robert Cornelius was the first person to use the word “selfie.”
- ☐ Robert Cornelius was the first person to use a mirror to photograph himself.
- ☐ Robert Cornelius was the first person to take a photograph.
- ☐ Robert Cornelius was the first person to take a selfie.

20. What is the important message in paragraph B?

- ☐ Instagram has become more popular in recent years.
- ☐ Taking selfies with wild animals is not a good idea.
- ☐ Animal selfies are more common than regular selfies.
- ☐ It can be dangerous to take selfies under water.

21. How has the number of selfies taken with animals changed recently?

- ☐ It is about the same.
- ☐ It is three times higher now.
- ☐ It is much lower now.
- ☐ It is 300 photos more now.

22. What problems does the author mention in paragraph C?

- ☐ Tourists might not have a good time.
- ☐ People take wild animals from their natural homes.
- ☐ Tourists might hurt the animals.
- ☐ People eat the animals.

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23. According to the passage, which of these are examples of places you see people taking selfies?

- ☐ outside important buildings
- ☐ in parks
- ☐ in photography museums
- ☐ at parties with friends

24. Which problem that can happen when you take a selfie with an animal is NOT mentioned in the passage?

- ☐ There are fewer animals in the wild.
- ☐ Tourists pay too much money for the photos.
- ☐ Animals can get hurt.
- ☐ Tourists can get hurt.

**Match the questions to the answers.**

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| 25. Why did you just take a photo of your lunch? | ● | ● a. To check the meaning of new words. |
| 26. Why do you take a dictionary to class?       | ● | ● b. To sleep better.                   |
| 27. Why are you going to clothing stores?        | ● | ● c. To post it on Facebook.            |
| 28. Why do you want to borrow my raincoat?       | ● | ● d. To stay dry.                       |
| 29. Why did you wait for so long at the store?   | ● | ● e. To buy new pants.                  |
| 30. Why do you take a shower before bed?         | ● | ● f. To speak to the manager.           |

**Complete each sentence with *and*, *but*, or *or*.**

31. You can email me \_\_\_\_\_ tell me tomorrow at work.
32. We are going to watch a movie, \_\_\_\_\_ then we'll go to a restaurant.

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33. He thought that the prize was his, \_\_\_\_\_ he was wrong.
34. We need to choose one photo for the card. Do you prefer this one \_\_\_\_\_ that one?
35. I love strawberry ice cream, \_\_\_\_\_ I don't like to eat strawberries as a fruit.
36. My father is Mexican. My mother is Japanese. So, I come from both Mexico \_\_\_\_\_ Japan!

**You are going to write sentences on one of the following topics.**

37. **Write about the photos you take.**

**Topic 1:** Where and when do you usually take photos?

**Topic 2:** Who or what do you usually take photos of?

**A. OUTLINE Plan an outline for your sentences.**

Start by talking about the things or places you take photos of.

Say what you use to take photos (a phone or camera) and why you take them.

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Say how you share them and who you share them with.

**B. Think of some words and phrases you can use in your sentences. Write them in the box.**

The words and phrases below can be useful when writing about photos and social media.

- *I take pictures of ... but ...*
- *I (don't/never) post photos on ...*
- *I take photos of ... to ...*
- *I use my phone to take pictures of ...*
- *I upload some photos to ...*
- *I share my photos on ...*
- *I (never) print photos of...*
- *I show my photos to ...*

**C. Write your sentences based on your outline. Use the model to help you. Remember to use the vocabulary you wrote down.**

**Model:**

*My hobby is birdwatching, so I often take photos of birds that I see.*

*I use a big DSLR camera to take pictures, but I am not a good photographer.*

*I use the photos to find out what species of birds I see.*

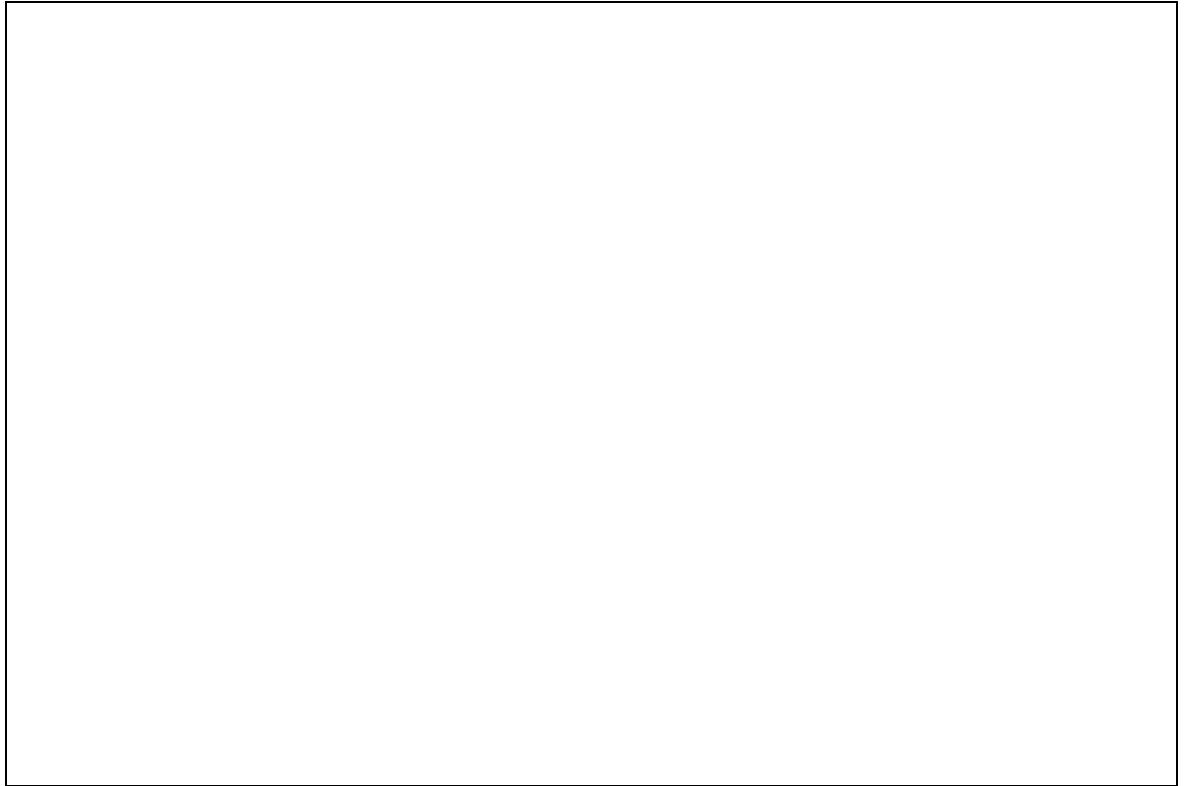
*I never print my photos because they are not very good.*

*Sometimes I post them on Facebook to ask other birdwatchers for help.*

*I also have a blog, and I upload my best photos there.*



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