

3.1 FREE IN NYC

- G** present continuous/be going to for future
- P** fast speech: going to
- V** time out

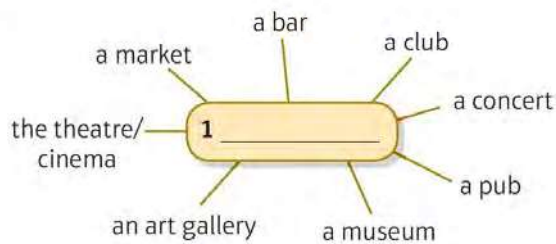


VOCABULARY

TIME OUT

1 A Complete the word webs with the verbs in the box.

have go get see go to



an exhibition a comedy show

2

some live music a band

a snack

3

sightseeing dancing some tickets the bus

4

shopping

dinner a free meal

5

a drink an evening out

LISTENING

2 A Work in pairs. Discuss the questions.

- 1 What kind of things do you like to do when you visit a city?
- 2 Where can you go/what things can you do for free, or very cheaply, where you live?

B **3.1** Listen to a radio programme. Answer the questions.

- 1 Is New York an expensive city to live in?
- 2 Are there lots of free things to do there?
- 3 How much money do the journalists have to spend?
- 4 What do they have to do?

3 A Complete the information about Rafael and Carmen's plans.

Rafael

- 1 He plans to start the day with a delicious bagel and then to spend the morning in _____.
- 2 He's going to the _____ of American Finance.
- 3 He's taking the Staten Island Ferry to see _____ of New York.
- 4 In the evening, he's going to see some _____ music.

Carmen

- 5 She's going to see a free _____ exhibition.
- 6 She's going to Times _____ because she likes the atmosphere.
- 7 She's going to an _____ restaurant near there.
- 8 In the evening, she's going to a _____ class.

B Listen to the programme again to check your



SPEAKING

6 A Think about your future plans. Make notes about:

- places/people you plan to visit
- a film you want to see
- something delicious you want to eat

	you	your partner
tonight	<i>visit friend</i>	
this weekend		
next week/month		
later this year/next year		

B Work in pairs and take turns. Ask and answer questions about your plans (What? Where? Who with? Why?). Add notes to the table.

A: *What are you going to do tonight?*

B: *I'm going to visit an old friend.*

GRAMMAR

PRESENT CONTINUOUS/BE GOING TO FOR FUTURE

4 A Read sentences a)–d) and answer the questions.

- I'm going to see a free art exhibition.
- I'm meeting a friend.
- I'm going to see some live music.
- I'm not going running.

- Do the sentences refer to the present or the future?
- Is there a definite time and place for the plans?
- What tenses do the sentences use?

B **▶ 3.2 FAST SPEECH:** *going to*
Listen to the pronunciation of *going to* in fast speech /'gʌnə/. Listen and repeat the sentences.

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5 A Make sentences or questions with the prompts. Use the present continuous or *be going to*.

- we / go / cinema / Friday
- you / go / stay / at / home / this evening?
- she / not / work / this weekend
- what time / we / meet / tomorrow?
- I / go / watch / football match / later

WRITING

INVITATIONS

7 A Put the emails in the correct order.

To: _____

Hi Sonia – I'm going to be in New York next week. Sue and I are meeting for a drink on Tuesday evening at 6.30p.m. Would you like to come?

Annabel

To: _____

I'd love to. Sounds great! See you there.

S

To: _____

We're going out for a meal. Do you want to meet us for dinner? We're having a pizza at Mario's at 8p.m.

A

To: _____

Great to hear from you. I'm sorry, but I'm busy. I'm doing an exercise class from 6p.m. to 7.30p.m. What are you doing afterwards?

Sonia

B Look at the emails in Exercise 7A. Underline two phrases for inviting and two responses.

C Write emails with the prompts.

To: _____

Hi Matt

What / you / do / tonight? A few people / come / watch / football / my house. Want / come?

Ali

To: _____

Tilly

What / do / weekend? Would / like / dancing / Saturday night?

Frank

To: _____

Ali

Great / hear. Love / to. Time / everyone / come?

To: _____

Sorry / busy / Saturday evening. Want / go cinema / Sunday?

T

To: _____