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I've been looking forward to this movie.

1 Match each sentence with the correct picture.

1. c Have you been waiting long?
2. ____ We've been painting the bathroom.
3. ____ She hasn't been feeling well.
4. ____ She's been going to art classes.
5. ____ It's been raining all week.
6. ____ What have you been doing?



a.



b.



c.



d.



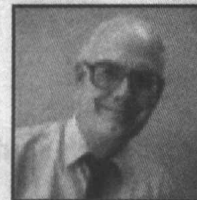
e.



f.

2 Read the biography.

The writer Thomas Keefe was born in Canada, but his family moved to the United States when he was six. The family first lived in Utah and then in Texas, where Keefe finished high school. After one year in college, Keefe joined the army for two years. When he returned, he went to Europe, where he worked as a foreign correspondent for *World* magazine from 1974 to 1978.



Keefe met his future wife, Englishwoman Anne Sanders, in Europe. The couple returned to the United States and were married in 1982. They have two children. They spent ten years in Pennsylvania, where Keefe wrote some of his best-known works. Keefe moved to California in 1993, when he was offered his present job at Stanford University. He is currently working on a book on California history, which he started in 1997.

Now make questions about Keefe. Use the present perfect continuous or the simple past tense. Then answer the questions.

1. How long / live in Canada?

How long did he live in Canada?

Six years. OR Until he was six.

2. How long / be in college?

3. How long / be in the army?

4. How long / work in Europe?

5. How long / live in Pennsylvania?

6. How long / live in California?

7. How long / work at Stanford University?

8. How long / write a book about California history?



- 3** Write a short biography of someone you know. Use the words in the box. Try to use the present perfect continuous at least twice.

born in
live in
graduate

grow up in
meet
work

move to
get married

study
get divorced

- 4** Match the sentences on the left with the responses on the right.

1. c Would you mind helping me?

2. ____ Can I get you anything?

3. ____ Could you bring me a soda?

4. ____ Could you please turn on the radio?

5. ____ Thanks.

a. Sorry, I can't. It's broken.

b. Sure. What kind?

c. No. Not at all.

d. No, thanks.

e. No problem.

5 Write suggestions. Use the expressions in the box and your own ideas.

Have you seen . . . ?
Have you read . . . ?

Have you been to . . . ?
Have you tried . . . ?

1. **A:** I've been trying to find a good video.
B: Have you seen *The Color Purple*? It's supposed to be very good.
2. **A:** Our anniversary is on Saturday. We've been looking for a good restaurant.
B: Have you been to
3. **A:** I want to go to the movies tonight. What should I see?
B: _____
4. **A:** I've been looking for a good book. Any suggestions?
B: _____
5. **A:** We've been trying to find a cheap hotel in a good location. Do you know of one?
B: _____
6. **A:** We've been looking for a place to go on vacation. Any ideas?
B: _____

6 Fill in the blanks with words from the box.

subtitles
usher
lobby

refreshment stand
balcony
audience

orchestra
program
cast

1. A good play must have a good cast.
2. A _____ tells you who will be in the play.
3. The people who watch a movie or play are the _____.
4. If a movie is in another language, it might have _____ to help you understand it.
5. Seats in the _____ are farther from the stage than most seats in the _____.
6. If you don't want to go to your seat right away before a movie, you can wait in the _____.
7. A(n) _____ helps you find your seat in a theater.
8. You can buy food and drinks at the _____.

7 Vocabulary Expansion

Look at the movie posters. Write the correct movie type under each poster. Use each type only once.

a drama

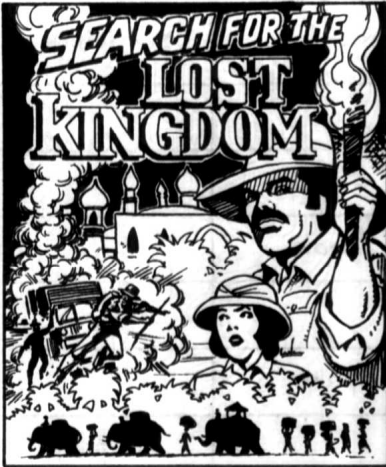
~~an adventure movie~~

a musical

a comedy

a horror movie

a science fiction movie



1. an adventure movie



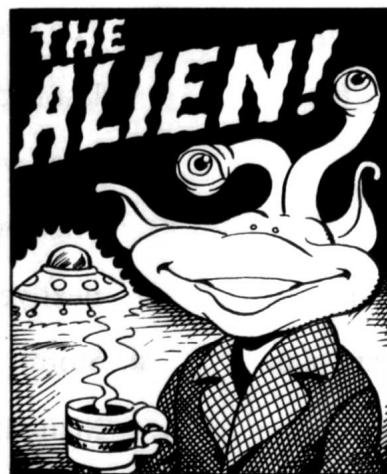
2. _____



3. _____



4. _____



5. _____



6. _____

When was Pluto discovered?



1 Complete the chart.

	Simple Past Tense	Past Participle		Simple Past Tense	Past Participle
1. build		built	7. hit		
2. catch			8. make		
3. grow	<i>grew</i>		9. take	<i>took</i>	
4. hold			10. spend		
5. hurt			11. speak	<i>spoke</i>	
6. find		<i>found</i>	12. write		<i>written</i>

2 Rewrite the sentences. Use the passive voice.

1. Someone painted the house white.

The house was painted white.

2. Sal's Restaurant will provide the food.

The food will be provided by
Sal's Restaurant.

3. They will close the road at 1 a.m.

The road _____ at 1 a.m.

4. They built this church in 1834.

This church _____ in 1834.

5. They grow coffee beans in Africa.

Coffee beans _____
in Africa.

6. They arrested the two men last night.

The two men _____
last night.

7. They will finish the new school next year.

The new school _____
next year.

8. Storms destroy many homes every year.

Many homes _____
by storms every year.

9. They filmed this movie in Mexico.

This movie _____
in Mexico.

3 Unscramble the two conversations.

~~Are you allowed to park here?~~

~~Are we allowed to use dictionaries?~~

Are you sure?

Oh, I'm glad you saw it.

Yes, I think so.

No, I'm not. You'd better ask the teacher.

No, you're not.

You think so? But you're not sure?

Yes, I'm positive. There's a "No Parking" sign over there.

OK. I'll ask her.



Conversation 1

- A: Are you allowed to park here? _____
- B: _____
- A: _____
- B: _____
- A: _____



Conversation 2

- A: Are we allowed to use dictionaries? _____
- B: _____
- A: _____
- B: _____
- A: _____

4 Answer the questions. Use the expressions in the box and your own ideas.

I'm all for it / them.

I'm against . . .

I think . . .

It depends.

Example: How do you feel about smoking in restaurants?

I think people should be allowed to smoke in restaurants. But they should sit in the smoking section.

1. How do you feel about smoking in restaurants?

2. How do you feel about women in the army?

3. Do you think too much TV is bad for children?

4. How do you feel about using animals for research?

5 Vocabulary Expansion

A. Complete the chart with words from the box. Use each word only once.

edition
publisher

director
deliver

permit
editor

editorial
reporter

invent

Verb	Noun	Person (noun)
1. report	a report	a <u>reporter</u>
2. edit	an <u>editorial</u> an _____	an _____
3. publish	a publication	a _____
4. permit	a _____ permission	
5. _____	an invention	an inventor
6. direct	a direction	a _____
7. _____	a delivery	

B. Now fill in the blanks with the correct form of the word in parentheses.

(report)

1. Mike Flanagan is an excellent reporter.
2. This is Connie Chang. I'm reporting from Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
3. We have to write a report for our boss.

(edit)

4. If you want the latest news, you have to buy the latest _____ of the newspaper.
5. I read a very interesting _____ in the *Star* yesterday.
6. My brother-in-law works for the *Gazette*. He's an _____. He _____ the business section.

(continued on next page)

(publish)

7. The *New York Times* is _____ in New York.
8. You can read newspapers, magazines, and other kinds of _____ on the Internet.
9. The _____ of this magazine is a very rich man.

(permit)

10. You need a special _____ to park here.
11. You'd better ask for _____ before you open that window.
12. Smoking is not _____ in this building.

(invent)

13. Thomas Edison was a famous _____.
14. Alexander Graham Bell _____ the telephone.
15. The dishwasher was a wonderful _____.

(direct)

16. This movie was _____ by Fellini. He's a famous Italian movie _____.

(deliver)

17. The newspaper is _____ to our house every morning.
18. That letter looks important. It says "special _____."



6 A. Read the article and number the pictures (1–6) in the correct order.

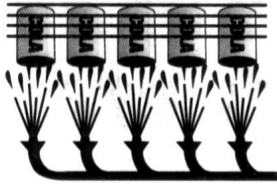
How It's Done: Putting Soda in Cans

All soda is canned in much the same way. The process is quite simple and very fast. The Pepsi-Cola company, for example, produces 2,000 cans of soda in a minute. Here's how it works.

First, the design is printed on a flat sheet of aluminum. The aluminum is then cut and formed into empty cans, without tops. Next, the cans are put on flat trays, called pallets, which move on high-speed conveyor belts. Then the cans are turned upside down and sprayed with very hot water.

After this, the cans move into a filling machine, where they are filled with soda. In less than a second, another machine seals the cans tight. Once the cans are sealed, they are checked for quality. They are then packaged and delivered to customers all over the United States.

Source: *San Francisco Chronicle*



a. _____



b. _____ 1 _____



c. _____



d. _____



e. _____



f. _____

B. Now underline all the examples of the passive voice in the text.

This lunch might end up costing me an arm and a leg.

1 Rewrite the sentences. Use may (not) or might (not).

1. Maybe he's in New York.

He may be in New York. (or He might be in New York.)

2. I'm not sure if Jason will call me tonight.

Jason may not call me tonight. (or Jason might not call me tonight.)

3. Maybe you're right.

6. Maybe the plane is late.

4. It's possible that I'm wrong.

7. Maybe I'll do that.

5. Maybe he won't want to go.

8. It's possible they don't have time.

2 Write sentences about yourself. Begin each sentence with one of the expressions from the box.

I will
I won't

I'll probably
I probably won't

I may / might
I may not / might not

Examples:
.....

(watch TV tonight) I may watch TV tonight.

(get married next year) I won't get married next year.

1. (watch TV tonight) _____
2. (get married next year) _____
3. (go out to eat tonight) _____
4. (go to a movie this weekend) _____
5. (go on vacation next month) _____
6. (go shopping this weekend) _____

3 Write tag questions in the blanks.

1. It's beautiful, isn't it?
2. You're from Boston, _____?
3. She's not married, _____?
4. You don't live here, _____?
5. He works hard, _____?
6. It's not raining, _____?
7. You saw that movie, _____?
8. It was very good, _____?
9. They haven't seen it, _____?
10. They were very nice, _____?
11. You like pizza, _____?
12. It wasn't expensive, _____?
13. You've met him before, _____?
14. She didn't know him, _____?
15. She doesn't have a car, _____?
16. You weren't upset, _____?
17. He's been here for a long time, _____?
18. She hasn't told you, _____?

