

FUMC ESL 10-3-2022 High Intermediate and Advanced Lesson

Introduce yourself. Tell where you are from and where you live now. Answer: No one makes _____ like my (mother/grandmother) does.

Choose the right verb: Put DO/DID or MAKE/MADE in the blank

- 1-We _____ funeral arrangements after grandpa died.
- 2-Please _____ some changes in this speech.
- 3-We _____ an offer on a new house.
- 4-My friend _____ my nails. She also helps me _____ my hair.
- 5-Quit goofing off. _____ your job!
- 6-He _____ the minimum amount of work he can get away with.
- 7-The kids _____ fun of her because of her purple hair.
- 8-All I can ask is that you _____ your best.
- 9-The soldiers _____ their duty.
- 10-Did you _____ something with my jacket. I can't find it in my closet.
- 11-The professor _____ research in his spare time.
- 12-I _____ poorly on the last exam.
- 13-I _____ a reservation at the restaurant.
- 14-_____ me a favor and wash my car.19-I need to _____ a phone call.
- 15-We finally _____ a decision about staying in the U.S..
- 16-Behave in school. Don't _____ trouble for the teachers.
- 17-Please _____ the bed before you leave.
- 18-Even though Mother is busy, she always _____ time for us.
- 19-You must _____ an effort to _____ better in math.
- 20-Don't _____ promises you can't keep.

Practice Speaking:

- 1- How many languages do you speak? What language do you speak in your home?
How many languages do your children speak?
- 2-What makes you angry? How do you release your anger?
- 3- Who makes the biggest mess at your home?
- 4-Something that doesn't make sense to me is _____.
- 5-What made you decide to come to the U.S.?
- 6-Name something you couldn't do without.
- 7-What do you do for a living? What do you do for fun?
- 8-What have you done that you won't ever do again.

9-Have you ever made a promise that you didn't keep?

10-List things that are:

a waste of time

are scary

people complain about

you must have if you live in Austin

Conversations with Idioms: Read and explain.

Flight attendant: We are preparing to land. Please put your seats and tray tables in an upright position.

Pilot: On behalf of our flight crew, we wish you a pleasant stay in your final destination.

Have you ever spoken on behalf of someone? (That is representing or speaking for someone else?)

Mom: How did you do on your exam?

Sal: I passed with flying colors!

What kind of tests are you most likely to pass with flying colors? EX: math, English, computer programming, etc.

Ray: His position that global warming doesn't exist flies in the face of all the climate science.

Tara: That's true, but he will fly into a rage if you try to tell him he's wrong.

Have you ever worked for someone who would fly into a rage? What did you do?

Dana: I've been recruited by a top flight company. I'm thinking about accepting the job.

Lou: Why wouldn't you accept the job? It is a chance to work at an outstanding company.

Dana: Yes, but they expect you to work sixty to seventy hours a week. I'm not sure it's worth it.

Do you work for a top flight company?

Do you work more than 8 hours a day? How do you feel about that?

Ted: I'm going to suggest to the manager that we be allowed to work flexible hours. I hate getting up early in the morning. I'd be willing to work from 10AM to 6 PM instead of 8 to 4.

Sara: You can suggest that to the manager, but that will never fly. He wants us all here at the same time so we can work together to solve problems.

Are you able to work flexible hours at your company? What are the advantages and disadvantages?

Linda: Our company doesn't really have a marketing plan. We are just flying by the seat of our pants.

Beth: That is often how start up companies work. They just figure out how to do things as they go along.

Do you have a plan or do you just figure things out as problems come up?

Jo: Laura is coming to visit us and bringing her two kids.

Pat: Are they staying with us.

Jo: Yes. They will stay with us for two weeks.

Pat: We don't have but one extra bedroom. Where will you put everyone?

Jo: Laura can sleep in the guest room and the kids can sleep on the sofa in the den.

Pat: We need to plan activities for the kids so they will have a good time. If they are bored, they may make trouble.

Jo: I have thought of that. I made plans for them to attend a camp at the nature center. They will spend their day outdoors learning about nature. I think they will enjoy it.

Pat: And, hopefully, it will tire them out, so they will relax when they get home. I don't want them running through the house, tearing things up.

Jo: Relax. The children will be fine. Laura always makes them behave.

1. What are Jo and Pat discussing?
2. Where will Jo put everyone?
3. What will the children do if they are bored?
4. What plans did Jo make for the children?
5. What is Pat worried the children will do?
6. Is Jo worried the children will misbehave?
7. Have you ever had friends stay for a long time? How did you entertain them?