

FUMC ESL 2-19-2024 High Beginning and Low Intermediate Lesson

Introduce yourself. Tell where you are from and where you live now

GRAMMAR REVIEW

Tell which letter (A or B) best describes what is happening.

1-**Mom**: James, you need to do your homework.

James: Mom, I've already done my homework.

A-James needs to do his homework.

B-James doesn't need to do his homework.

2-The baby was crying when I picked him up.

A- The baby cried after I picked him up.

B- The baby was crying before I picked him up.

3-Don't wake me up when you get home at midnight. I will be sleeping by then.

A-I will go to sleep before midnight.

B-I will go to sleep after midnight.

4-I'll look for a new job when the new year begins.

A-I'll start looking for a new job before the new year.

B-I'll start looking for a new job after the new year.

5-Jo and her family had cleaned the whole house before we arrived.

A-The house was clean when we arrived.

B-The house wasn't clean when we arrived.

Which of the words or phrases can complete these sentences. There may be more than one correct answer.

1. We will be there _____ soon next week now
2. It's raining really hard _____ right now last week tomorrow
3. We'll see you _____ a minute ago in a while tomorrow
4. Carlos was studying _____ at midnight a minute ago in the morning
5. I am going to study _____ later when we came when Ted comes

Tell if these sentences are correct. If they are not correct, change the verb tense to correct them.

1. Every day I **memorizing** new vocabulary.
2. Right now it **snows**.
3. By the time the plane lands I **will have finished** my book.
4. Before the plane landed I **have finished** my book.
5. Tomorrow at this time we **landed** in London.

6. They **had left** the restaurant before we arrive.
7. When she arrived, I **am cleaning** my room.
8. While you slept, your mom **is cooking** breakfast.
9. Yesterday, the man **will return** the books.
10. Before I went outside, I **fastened** my coat.
11. My husband and I are short, but my sons **be** tall.
12. Sara fell and hurt her arm, but she won't go to the doctor. She **is being** foolish.
13. My friends are coming for a visit. Please **being** polite.
14. Jeff has the flu. He **is being** ill.
15. You are **resembling** your mom.

Read these conversations (students read once, then teacher reads) and answer the questions.

Ann: Hello, Susie. I haven't seen you for a long time. How are you?

Susie: I'm well. It's good to see you. Is this your little girl your daughter? I haven't seen her since she was a baby. She has grown so much.

Ann: Yes, this is my daughter, Joy. Joy is three years old now.

Susie: She is a beautiful child. And so grown up.

Ann: Thank you. Joy has a little sister now. I have a three month old baby girl. She is home with my mother. Joy and I are having a mother-daughter lunch. Joy sometimes gets sad because I have to spend so much time with the baby. My mother volunteered to babysit so I could spend some time with Joy.

Susie: You are so lucky to have two little girls. Charles and I want to have children. But, Charles lost his job. We can't start a family until Charles finds work.

Ann: I'm sorry to hear that. I hope Charles finds a new job soon.

1. Who is Joy?
2. How old is Joy?
3. When did Susie see Joy last time?
4. How many children does Ann have?
5. What are Joy and Ann doing?
6. Why is Joy sometimes sad?
7. Who is caring for the baby?
8. Does Susie want to have children?
9. Why can't Susie and Charles have children right away?

Bill (on the phone): Hello, Susie. It's Bill Jones. I am Ann's husband. I am calling to speak to Charles. Is he at home?

Susie: No, he's not at home right now. May I take a message?

Bill: I'm calling because Ann said Charles is looking for a job. I know Charles is a good accountant. My company is looking for a good accountant. I wanted to see if Charles is interested in working as an accountant in my company.

Susie: I'm sure he would be interested. He hasn't had any luck finding a job. I will tell him as soon as he gets home. He will be so excited.

Bill: That's great. Have him call me when he gets home. We'll talk about the job and he can decide if he wants to apply.

1. Who is Bill Jones?
2. Who does Bill want to speak to?
3. Is Charles home?
4. Why is Bill calling?
5. How does Bill know Charles is looking for a job?
6. What is Charles' profession?
7. What does Bill want to ask Charles?
8. Does Susie think Charles is interested in that job.

Susie: Charles, I'm glad you're home. Bill Jones called to speak to you.

Charles: Why does Bill Jones want to speak to me?

Susie: Remember I told you that I saw Ann Jones the other day?

Charles: Yes, I remember.

Susie: Well, I mentioned that you were looking for a job. So Ann must have told Bill. He said his company is looking for a good accountant. He wanted to know if you were interested in the job. I told him that I was sure you would be interested.

Charles: Well, I wish you hadn't told him that, Susie.

Susie: Why? You have been looking for a new job for weeks. And you haven't had any luck..

Charles: Yes, but I'm not sure I want to work for Bill Jones. I have heard he doesn't treat his employees well. He requires them to work really long hours. And he doesn't pay them well. I don't think I want to work for him.

Susie: Oh, I didn't know that about Bill.

Charles: Listen, Susie. I had an interview today that went really well. I think they might offer me a job. And I like the company a lot. Plus, it's a higher salary than my old job.

Susie: That's good news. But what shall we do about Bill. I told him you would call him back.

Charles: I won't call Bill Jones back right away. I will wait a couple of days. The company I interviewed with said they would call me by Thursday to let me know about the job. So I will wait until I hear from them. If they offer me the job, I will call Bill and tell him I have already found a job.

Susie: What will you tell Bill if you don't get the job at the other company?

Charles: I will cross that bridge when I come to it.

1. Is Charles interested in working for Bill Jones? Why or why not?
2. What happened at Charles interview today?
3. When will Charles call Bill back?
4. What does Charles mean when he says, "I will cross that bridge when I come to it."