It’s time to go green. St. Patrick’s Day is coming soon. Just for the occasion I want to invite you to take part in our St. Patrick’s Day Parade. Here is a list of some fashion ideas to wear during it.

See you on the 16th of March!!!
If you want you can also try yourself in a culinary competition for green snacks. Find a friend and bring some green grapes, kiwis, cucumbers, pickles and celery so as to prepare a healthy green treat for St. Patrick’s Day.
BRITISH ENGLISH vs AMERICAN ENGLISH

It’s difficult to make clear distinctions between US and UK accents when there is such a wide variety of accents within both the US and UK. A Texan and a New Yorker are both Americans, but have very different accents. The same goes for British accents in London, Manchester and Glasgow. However, some very general distinctions can be made. Americans usually pronounce every “r” in a word, while the British tend to only pronounce the “r” when it’s the first letter of a word.

Grammar: prepositions.

The differences below are only a general rule. American speech has influenced Britain via pop culture, and vice versa. Therefore, some prepositional differences are not as pronounced as they once were.

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IMPROVE YOUR PRONUNCIATION WITH TONGUE TWISTERS

**TONGUE TWISTERS!**

How much wood would a woodchuck chuck if a woodchuck could chuck wood?

A woodchuck would chuck all the wood if a woodchuck could chuck wood.

The busy, bold beaver bit bitter, brown bark.

**Thirty-three thieves**

The thirty-three thieves thought that they thrilled the throne throughout Thursday.
NEWS: THIS & THAT ...

Long time ago, in February a caterpillar wanted to find a true love. Suddenly, on Valentine’s Day a cupid came to him and advised him how to fall in love. He told him that girls like roses, gifts and sweets. The next day the caterpillar met a ladybug. His heart started to beat faster, he realised that he should have a date with her. He listened to the cupid and went to the shop to buy a bunch of red roses. He gave her all the presents and invited her to spend some time together. Two days later they went to the restaurant. At dusk, in the shine of the moon they hugged and kissed. From that day they were in love and they lived long and happily.  

Written by class VII a.

A long, long time ago lived a stubborn and long caterpillar. Her name was Collinella. Her life was peaceful and calm but it was one thing which drove her crazy - it was Valentine’s day. Every February is full of gifts, sweets, red roses and secret admirers. Moreover, there are lots of Valentine cards and awful red colour everywhere. Too much love! But there was one happy fact - the fifteenth of February - the day of singles. Why did Collinella hate Valentine’s so much? Few years earlier she fell in unrequited love. On Valentine’s Day she felt bad all day while everyone was happy, hugging and kissing. Collinella didn’t believe in true love so every time she saw a couple she was sad. While walking down the street she fell over and hit her head on the pavement where another caterpillar was resting. It was love at first sight. Few years later they got married and lived happily ever after.

Written by class III b

HAPPY VALENTINE’S DAY !!!

Not all of us like Valentine’s. Yet every day we wake up with love in our hearts for those around us. We just don’t often get a chance to show it. So from our dearest best friends to our ever-devoted dogs, let’s turn this day into what it’s meant to be about - and give a little love to all those we love…. 

This year we decided to prepare heart caterpillars so as to show how much we like each other while working in a team. We organised a competition for the longest caterpillar, with the most number of hearts. Moreover we took into consideration the appearance of each caterpillar as well as the presentation in English, of course.

VALENTINE’S COMPETITION RESULTS:

1. CLASS III A - 19 POINTS
2. CLASS III A - 17 POINTS
3. CLASS III B - 15 POINTS
4. CLASS VI B / VII A - 13 POINTS
5. CLASS II B - 11 POINTS

THE LONGEST CATERPILLAR:

CLASS III A - 86 METRES
CLASS VI B - 60,5 METRES
CLASS II A - 51,5 METRES
CLASS III B - 48,5 METRES
CLASS VII A - 34,5 METRES
CLASS II B - 33,2 METRES
NUMBER OF HEARTS:

CLASS II A - 859
CLASS III A - 583
CLASS VI B - 516
CLASS VII A - 442
CLASS III B - 436
CLASS II B - 383

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL OF YOU !!!
NEWS: THIS & THAT ...
NEWS: THIS ...
Meghan Markle will give a speech during the wedding with Harry.

Prince Harry and Meghan Markle promise a wedding full of joy and fun and a reflection of the character of a couple who embarks on a new life together. Subjected to Elizabeth II was not surprised by the announcement of the future bride who intends to give a speech during the wedding. Known for her commitment to women's rights, Meghan Markle is already working on her speech. On May 19, Windsor's guests will hear some praise from Prince Harry, thanks to Elizabeth II and a few jokes.

A wedding dress design for Meghan Markle was shown.

Meghan Markle can present a completely different style from Kate Middleton at his wedding with Prince Harry - if he chooses an Israeli designer's project. Sketches of dresses created especially for the former actress were revealed. The Inbal Dror brand announced that the royal palace had contacted her regarding the dress for the future bride. According to the portal, most of Dror's projects are sold for $8,000.- $10,000, but the royal dress will cost much more. Princess Kate's dress was priced, for example, for almost $500,000.

Charlotte is the most popular name in the UK - The princess is the inspiration.

The name of William's daughter and Kate is the most popular girl's name in Great Britain. Charlotte is the female form of the name Charles - a small and feminine person. For a long time the name Charlotte and Charles were given to members of the royal family. The Polish equivalent of this name is Karolina.

A new monument to Princess Diana will be created.

The monument to Princess Diana, placed at the headquarters of London's Harrods, will soon return to Mohammed Al-Fayed. In return, the new duchess statue will be in a different place - right next to the Kensington Palace. Princes William and Harry have already ordered a memorial for my mother, who will be unveiled in the gardens of Kensington Palace in 2019. The artist entrusted with the task is Ian Rank-Broadley, the author of a portrait of Elizabeth II from British coins.
FAMOUS LANDMARKS - NEW ZEALAND

Sky Tower

This can be found in Auckland, stands 1,076 feet high and the tallest building in New Zealand. Here you can do a lot of things like take a walk around the Sky-Walk at 629 feet or take a glass elevator to one of the three viewing platforms, book a table at Orbit; a revolving restaurant. You can also try bungee jumping off their 629 foot pergola.

The Beehive

This building is located in Wellington and New Zealand’s parliament building. It stands as the national symbol of the country. This 10-story building was designed by a Scottish architect in a shape of an actual beehive. Found here are the offices of the Prime Minister and offices of the other cabinet members.

One Tree Hill
FAMOUS LANDMARKS - NEW ZEALAND

Moeraki Boulders
It found on the Otago coast in the South Island. There perfectly spherical rock formations are not boulders technically but concretions exposed by erosion. According to Maori legend, this is a wreckage from a giant canoe. Visitors who came to see this landmark are allowed to touch and climb on the rocks.

Tane Mahuta
The term means ‘King of Forest’ in Maori and is called to the largest kauri tree in New Zealand. It was estimated to be about 2300 years old and can be found by hiking Waipoua kauri Forest Sanctuary on the North Island.

These are just some of the country’s famous landmarks and tourists attractions. For such a small country, New Zealand is packed with beautiful sights and landmarks.

Magdalena Pergies
CHALLENGE YOUR MIND!

I. Write the correct form of Present Simple and Present Continuous.

1. We __________ (leave) on a trip to Italy tomorrow.
2. The conference _________ (finish) at 2.30 so we should be able to catch our train.
3. I can't see you on Tuesday afternoon. I __________ (see) a customer.
4. The play _________ (not start) until 10, so we have plenty of time.
5. I _________ (play) tennis tomorrow morning so I can't meet you.
6. Janet _________ (not work) tomorrow. She never works on Mondays.
7. The bus _________ (arrive) at 10 o'clock.
8. What time _____ the plane _______ (land)?
9. I am really happy that I _________ (help) you next week.
10. The film _________ (start) after the news.

II. Fill in with the correct form of "be going to" or Future Simple.

a) I'm sure you ___ (get) married one day.
b) Look at that bag. It ___ (fall).
c) A: I can't do this homework. B: Don't worry. I _____ (help) you.
d) Suzy is happy. She ___ (play) in the match.
e) I'm hungry. I _____ (have) a sandwich.
f) Paul has no money. He _____ (come) the cinema with us.
g) Look at the sky. It _____ (rain).
h) She _____ (not/start) learning French lessons.

III. Make questions.

1. Tom is going to open a __________ restaurant.
2. I'm going to visit my grandparents next month.
3. She is going to buy this red dress.
4. You are going to visit our friend on Friday.
5. Probably the police will arrest him.
6. She will try to understand Maths.
7. You will play the piano very well.
8. We will bring the books next week.
ENJOY YOUR MEAL! - FOOD IN NEW ZEALAND

New Zealand is world-famous for its culinary delights, but there are certainly some meals, snacks, desserts and even drinks that Kiwi are extremely proud to claim as their own. As a country with around 14,000km of coastline, it comes as no surprise that seafood is especially a favourite among Kiwis with a wealth of shellfish and fish.

1. Hangi
Let’s start with the traditional Maori hangi! This involves meat and vegetables slow-cooked in an underground oven. Although it was a common cooking method for thousands of years in New Zealand, today a hangi is saved for more special occasions (mainly because it takes all day to prepare!) Prepare to be overfed but extremely satisfied at hangi meals as part of Maori cultural experiences.

2. Crayfish
Crayfish, also known as lobster, is a Kiwi favourite mostly because it something many fishermen and divers pride on catching themselves. Known to cost NZ$80 for a full crayfish, it’s not exactly the most affordable food, but it’s definitely worth a try when the opportunity presents itself! Then you’ll understand why Kiwis go cray cray for crayfish!

3. Kina
Ok, New Zealanders love their seafood so we’ll just hop straight onto another foodie delight from the ocean. Kina is the local name for a type of sea urchin with a hard spiky outer shell and thin fleshy (and edible) insides. It has been a New Zealand delicacy for centuries!

4. Kiwi Burger
You’ll either think it’s weird or it’s genius! What makes a “Kiwi burger” Kiwi is the fact it has beetroot and fried egg along with your standard burger patties and whatever else between two burger buns. Don’t knock it until you try it!
ENJOY YOUR MEAL! - FOOD IN NEW ZEALAND

5. Jaffas
Rolling onto the sweet stuff, Jaffas are a confectionery favourite among New Zealanders. So much so that they race them! Jaffas are small sugar-coated chocolate balls with an orange flavour to them.

6. Pavlova
Ask an Australian and they will swear that Oz invented the pavlova. Ask a Kiwi and they will tell you different. Either way, pavlova is a much-loved desert in New Zealand made with meringue, whipped cream and fruit. Try making some yourself for Christmas in New Zealand!

7. L&P
We’ll sneak a beverage on this list just because it’s very proudly Kiwi. L&P stands for “Lemon & Paeroa” named after the North Island town it was invented in. It is as common as any soft drink in New Zealand, tasting a bit more lemony and sweet than Sprite.

8. Whitebait fritters
Don’t visit the West Coast of the South Island without trying whitebait fritters. It’s considered a sin in New Zealand! Whitebait is a collective term for immature fish, usually around one to two inches long. You’ll see heaps of keen “whitebaiters” setting up temporary shacks and jetties along the river mouths of the West Coast, catching fish for the local eateries to make whitebait fritters. Think of them as a fishy omelette.

9. Manuka Honey
A highly sought-after honey on the international markets, manuka honey is acclaimed for its medicinal purposes. The more pure the manuka component of the honey is, the healthy (and more expensive) it is. There are plenty of opportunities to try this sweet treat around New Zealand, from supermarkets to dedicated honey shops.
ENJOY YOUR MEAL! - FOOD IN NEW ZEALAND

10. Kumara
Kumara isn’t just a sweet potato; it is an epic sweet potato. Kumara were brought to New Zealand by the early Maori settlers and still remain a favourite vegetable in New Zealand. The best way to try kumara is in a hangi (see above), but there are heaps of ways you can incorporate kumara into your own cooking in your hostel kitchen.

11. Paua
A final seafood delicacy that we just couldn’t ignore, paua is the local name for a large sea snail. You can eat paua in a variety of ways from plain old raw to curries to paua fritters. What’s more, paua shells are the national choice of ash tray for all you smokers out there! Alternatively, paua shells are often used in New Zealand jewellery and other decorative souvenirs.

Breakfast
A typical New Zealand breakfast consists of cereal and some toast which is accompanied by a cup of coffee, tea or a glass of juice or milk. Sometimes on the weekend there is time for a cooked breakfast. This cooked breakfast can also be bought/eaten at cafés most mornings.
A typical cooked breakfast has scrambled egg, bacon, cooked tomatoes, mushrooms, hash browns and baked beans.

Lunch
Lunch is normally something simple and not too heavy since dinner is the main meal of the day. It is quite common just to have some sandwiches or hot pies for lunch though some people enjoy the healthier salads and fruit. Sometimes New Zealanders have a "Sunday Lunch" with consists of roast beef (or some other meat) and roast potatoes, pumpkins all slowly cooked in the oven.

Dinner
Dinner is the main meal of the day and is eaten around 6pm. It normally contains meat and cooked vegetables, especially potato.
WINTERSPORT IN DEUTSCHLAND

Das Skifahren wie auch der nordische Wintersport haben in Deutschland eine lange Tradition. Die bekanntesten sind die Skigebiete in den deutschen Alpen, jedoch auch das Mittelgebirge bietet attraktive Skipisten. Diese sind besonders bei den Langläufern beliebt.

Wofür interessieren sich Deutsche?

WINTERSPORT ERREICHT DIE MASSE

Das Skispringen ist einer der beliebtesten Wintersportarten in Deutschland. Die Skispringer kommen sehr gut zurecht. Deutsche Springer:
- Andreas Wellinger,
- Markus Eisenbichler,
- Richard Freitag,
- Stephan Leyhe,
- Karl Geiger;
Der Trainer: Werner Schuster

Ski Jumper Mannschaft

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Am Valentinstag, dem 14. Februar, wechseln Liebende kleine Aufmerksamkeiten, schenken sich vorzugsweise Blumen.


Heimlich, still und leise schick ich diese SMS auf Reise.
Sie kommt von Herzen und mit Grüßen, soll dir den Tag versüßen.
WIEDERHOLUNG!

Wie spät ist es? Wieviel Uhr ist es?

1a Uhrzeiten. Uhrzeiten elf Uhr fünfundvierzig
offiziell. Ergänze!

halbacht 8Uhr30/20Uhr30
Viertel vor zehn
dreizehn Uhr zehn
die Vierfünfzehn Uhr
Viertel nach zehn
die Vierzehn Uhr
fünf vor acht
die Vierzehn Uhr
fünf nach acht
die Vierzehn Uhr
zehn vor halb elf
die Vierzehn Uhr

b Uhrzeiten nicht offiziell. Ergänze!

1. zwanzig Uhr fünfzehn Viertel
zwölf Uhr dreißig
zweiundzwanzig Uhr

Quelle: https://dafideen.wordpress.com/tagihrzeit/
REINHOLD MESSNER


DAS KREUZWORTRÄTSEL

1. Die Farbe des Schnees.
2. Wir fahren sie im Schnee.
3. Aus Schnee…
5. Wir laufen Schlittschuh auf

Die Lösung:

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[Image of winter landscape]
LACH DOCH MAL! - UŚMIECHNIJ SIĘ!

Zwei Indianer gehen zum Medi-zinmann und fragen ihn wie der Winter wird. Der wirft ein paar Steine in die Luft und sagt: "Es wird ein kalter Winter. Geht in den Wald und sammelt viel Holz."

Am nächsten Tag kommen wie-der einige Indianer und fragen ihn wieder, wie der Winter wird. Er wirft wieder die Steine in die Luft und sagt: "Es wird ein kalter Winter. Geht in den Wald und sammelt viel Holz."


Schließlich überlegt er sich, ob das auch stimmt, was er da