Eating a piece of dark chocolate every day is just what the doctor ordered.

~ Sidineia

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noncount noun

medical idiom

I wake myself up at six in the morning every day.

~ Rebeca





phrasal verb

reflexive pronoun

Human beings need someone to rely on. Rosanna and I are sisters, cousins and best friends. We are always there for one another.

- Wendy



indefinite pronoun

frequency adverb

preposition

My four children can sleep while traveling. Last summer during our vacation to Arkansas, they slept a lot!

~ Emma

possessive adjectives irregular plural **count noun** irregular past verb tense

# I used to get only a few customers a day in my small store in Framingham, but now I get more!

- Azucena



a few or few comparative adjective



I can use a cell phone at my job but I can't take a nap.

~ Maria

positive and negative **ability modal** 



I can ride a bicycle now but I couldn't a few weeks ago.

~ Shao Feng... moved to California... Sidi is reading for her.

*ability modal:* contrast between present and past, positive and negative My husband and I went on a cruise, the Spirit of Boston, to celebrate our 7th wedding anniversary last fall!

~ Natalia



preposition of movement





My dog Dolly was back on her feet the day after a major operation.

~ Venera

medical idiom







I usually ride a bike on Sundays in the Framingham area.

~ Saskea

frequency adverb preposition of place I took this picture last month in Osaka, Japan. Before I went on this trip, I made some arrangements with my family and my ESL teacher.

~ Nina

make or do indefinite adjective





I am out of shape and cannot ride a bike for a long distance. I need to get back to doing exercise.

- Andreia

necessity and requirement modal make or do

## We're sitting, we're writing, the class is working...



present continuous verb tense

## We wrote a song and showed our teacher that we know how to sing a song!



~ the class

possessive adjective

infinitive verb



He's playing, he's dancing Koge is jumping.

He climbs like a monkey he watches a cartoon. He's so smart he learns so fast!

- Samah with Maria and Sidi



present continuous verb tense



One of my first goals was to graduate from bilingual secretarial school and I did last year!!!!

~Jaqueline





#### The tadpole transformed into a frog.

– Rebeca, Jaqueline, Venera, Sidi

preposition of movement

The tadpole transformed into a jumpy frog.

- Rebeca, Jaqueline, Venera, Sidi





The crazy tadpole transformed into a jumpy frog.

- Rebeca, Jaqueline, Venera, Sidi





The crazy tadpole transformed into a jumpy frog energetically.

- Rebeca, Jaqueline, Venera, Sidi







I was not able to give birth to more than one baby as I had a heart condition.

~Olga

medical idiom irregular past verb tense



Life is amazing and surprising! Next year I will give birth to two little princesses. It'll be an amazing experience!





My wish is that I will give birth safely. - Camila future verb tense & future time expression medical idiom

#### We can speak more and more **English** every day!



We say this all together at the end of every class. ©

capitalize the first letter of proper nouns, including languages