

November 9th

- Chat with correction. What are your frequent errors?
- Phrasal verbs: describe people and places; put phrasal verbs in new sentences
- Reading and listening homework: discuss the topic; check and learn new expressions
- Improve accuracy: common errors; Academic Word List collocations
- Writing if done

- Use Longmans dictionary to find common collocations for these:
- a deal of
- aggravate / exacerbate
- rectify
- raise awareness of
- overhaul

phrasal verbs

- Tell me about the clothes you wear in winter and summer-
wrap up warm/ wrap up well
- What kind of things do people wear in Russia for: dinner at a friend's house; a wedding; church; a classical concert; to go for a walk - should go to church **in/wearing** a long skirt
- Describe the nicest part of your town.
- Describe the least nice part of your town.
- Can you describe any differences in architecture between your country and the UK?

speaking

- Can you different kinds of coffee apart?
- Can you tell a Scottish accent an English one?
- Do you like your accessories and clothes to together?
- Do you spend a lot of time wrapping presents?

new vocabulary

- short but sweet
- nice but not long enough
- it's foggy; there is a lot of fog
- I overslept; I'm not quite awake
- I burnt the midnight oil;
- I'm burning the candle at both ends
- I went to bed/sleep at 3 am.
- additionally = on top of that
- tells me what to do, bosses me about
- feel constrained
- not only do they drive me up the wall but they also restrict me

phrasal verbs

- put on some jewellery
- what would you dress up for?
- dress up as a witch; dress up in an outfit
- rundown = not well-maintained
- go well together; go together OK

grammar

~~mistake~~

correction and comment

~~one thing I really don't like about
Moscow's parks they are crowded~~

one thing I really don't like about Moscow's
parks IS (THAT) they are overcrowded

~~according this article~~

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Useful structures

- when people think about, they typically
- we envision.....
- my view of has changed
- they/people don't view as something important; as a ...
- it wasn't until that
- certain areas while other
- the beauty of is = the perfect thing
- we don't have ... areas like Paris does.

Unusual vocabulary - from the text
check the context in the text
check Longman's dictionary

- sparked something in me
- made my way through
- it lends itself to
- foster a sense of
- congregate
- cathartic
- accessible
- it resonates with
- our plans are all up in the air = disorganised, in a mess, not fixed

- check vocabulary and find common collocations
homework
- Reading for fun:
<https://www.theguardian.com/uk-news/2017/jul/09/the-end-of-park-life-as-we-know-it-the-battle-for-britains-green-spaces-rowan-moore>
- learn phrasal verbs - answer questions on slide 3
(we'll practise more next time, send answers to me)
- IELTS task 2

Most people have forgotten the meaning behind traditional or religious festivals; during festival periods, people nowadays only want to enjoy themselves. To what extent do you agree or disagree with this opinion?

<https://ielts-simon.com/ielts-help-and-english-pr/2016/12/ielts-writing-task-2-festivals-essay.html>

Academic Word List Expressing purpose Speaking

Choose one thing below and ask for explanations (in some you have to pretend to be a lecturer, politician etc.) The best reason wins.

- You abandoned your PhD.
- You advocated anti-government violence in this country.
- You asked your boss to relocate one of your colleagues to northern Finland.
- You assured your boyfriend/ girlfriend that you'd be together every hour of every day.
- You automated marking of essays.
- You bought alcohol for minors.
- You decided to make the smoking lounge inaccessible to students.

Academic Word List- Expressing Purpose Expressing purpose phrases presentation

A: Put one word into each of the sentences below

- I volunteered to help clean the streets _____ order to attract more tourists.
- I temporarily suspended him from school so _____ he could reflect on his actions.
- This is a device _____ triggering explosions from a distance.
- Please use shorter sentences with linking words _____ explain your ideas in a more straightforward way.
- The goal/ purpose/ aim _____ undergoing the treatment myself was to understand the feelings on the patients.

B: Correct the mistakes

- I've put it online for to reach a sufficient number of people to have an influence.
- I also work as a private tutor in order to I can supplement my income.

C: Do the following have the same or different meanings? (If there are more than two, they all have the same or all have different meanings).

- It's to automate the process./ It's for automating processes.
- I analysed the data in order to find the underlying trend/ I analysed the data to find the underlying trend.
- The aim of the late night meeting that we held was to resolve the dispute./ We held a late night meeting in order to resolve the dispute.
- A goal of terminating the research is to.../ The goal of terminating the research is to..