

# UNIT 1 LANGUAGE SUMMARY

## Adjectives

### Describing personality

brave  
cheerful  
easygoing  
generous  
helpful  
honest  
intelligent  
nervous  
reliable  
selfish  
serious  
sociable

## Verbs

### Giving personal information

be born  
be into  
be married  
be raised  
be single  
celebrate  
live alone  
live with my family  
retire

## Insider English

hold on a sec

## Asking and answering questions about people

Whose class are you in?  
Which neighborhood do you live in?  
What are you doing these days?  
Where did you go to school?  
How can I help?  
Can you tell me where he was born and raised?  
Do you know if he likes broccoli?  
I'd like to know what sports or hobbies he's into.  
Do you have any idea ...?  
I want to find out ...  
I wonder ...

## Making introductions

Hello, I'm Nina.  
I'm Mia, Jodi's sister.  
This is Rafe, my husband.  
This is Nina, Jodi's coworker.

## Saying how you know someone

How do you know Jodi?  
I work with her.  
I'm her sister/friend/coworker.

## Ending a conversation

I should let you go.  
Sorry, I have to go now.  
It was really nice to meet you.  
It was nice talking to you.

## Meeting someone you've heard about

It's great to meet you, Mia. I've heard good things about you.  
Oh, that's nice.  
I've heard a lot about you. Good things, I hope.

## Useful phrases

Do you know who this is?  
Which one is he/she?  
I think this is ...  
He/She is the ...  
Who did you learn about?  
This person is a good leader because he/she is ...  
Who is the best one?  
So, do we all agree?  
We decided that ... should be our president, because ...  
We chose him/her because ...

# UNIT 2 LANGUAGE SUMMARY

## Nouns

### Tech features

device  
folder  
home screen  
model  
storage

## Adjectives

### Describing possessions

brand new  
common  
damaged  
fancy  
in good condition  
modern  
outdated  
plain  
special  
used  
useful  
useless

## Verbs

### Tech features

delete  
set up  
sync  
try  
work

## Insider English

now

## Glossary

collect  
legal

### Talking about things you've had for a while

Have you ever felt that way?  
I've never played computer games.  
Our car has been outside for two years.  
We haven't ridden these bikes for years.  
I've had my comic books since I was 12.

### Talking about things you own

I've already downloaded a lot of apps.  
I haven't tried many of them yet.  
Have you tried the camera yet?  
Yes, I have.

### Introducing new topics

So, you know I'm interested in old toys.  
And guess what? I just bought two more online.

### Changing the subject

By the way, have you heard that Tori is in town?  
Oh, before I forget, ...

### Staying on track

Anyway, they looked good in the photos.

### Using short questions to show interest

I just bought two more online.  
You did? Cool!  
Tori is in town.  
She is? I haven't seen her since she moved.

### Useful phrases

I think ... is/are essential because ...  
I think ... isn't essential because ...  
I think they are bringing this because ...  
I think we should bring ... because ...  
How long have you had your special item?  
I've had it for/since ...  
We chose ... because ...  
We also chose ...