

# **Trial Lesson**

A1 - Elementary



## **Welcome to your A1 Elementary group lessons**



#### **Trial Lesson (TODAY)**

Learn about group lessons and become a great Preply student!



#### **Subscribe**

You can study 1 hour a week or 5 hours a week. Lesson prices start from only \$5.50.



#### **Book your next lesson**

There are many teachers and many different topics to study. Click <u>here</u> to book the next lesson with me.



### **Lesson structure**

Introduction ~10 minutes C

Exercises ~20 minutes ©

- 1. Warm-up
- 2. Do you know the words?
- 3. Welcome to your group lessons
- 4. Grammar presentation: Can for ability
- 5. Grammar practice: Can for ability

Next steps ~15 minutes C

- 1. Tips & Tricks
- 2. Group discussion: My study plan

Q&A ~10 minutes (L)

Additional activities are available for use at any time during the lesson.

- Reading
- Dialog
- Roleplay
- Pair work
- My study plan



## Introduction



## Who is here today?



You have 30 seconds to introduce yourself to the group and answer the questions.

- What's your name?
- 🕨 Where are you from? 🜎

Hello, my name is Greta. I'm from Italy.

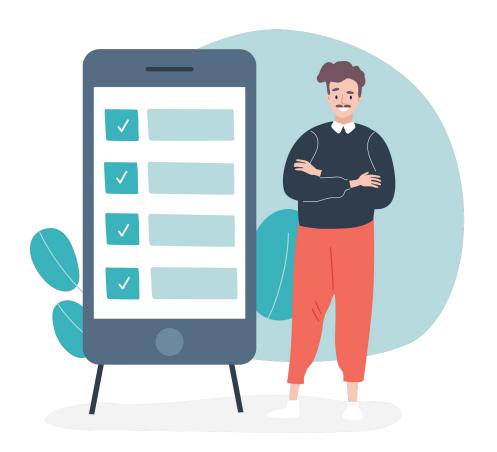




### I need help! I can't understand!

- Could you repeat that, please?
- Could you speak slowly, please?
- Could you explain slowly, please?





## **Lesson objectives**

#### **Communication focus**

Talk about great group lessons and learning English

#### **Grammar focus**

Can for ability



## **Exercises**



## Warm-up

#### Warm up your English in 5 minutes!

Yes or no? Share an example.

- 1. I can count to 150.
- 2. I can spell my name.
- 3. I can talk about my family.





## Do you know the words?

- 1. Monday
- 2. Tuesday
- 3. Wednesday
- 4. Thursday
- 5. Friday
- 6. Saturday
- 7. Sunday

#### Read and practice

- 1. Monday is **before** Tuesday.
- 2. Wednesday is **after** Tuesday.
- 3. I can study on Monday morning.
- 4. I can't study on Sunday evening.

#### **Answer the questions**

- A. Is Friday after Saturday?
- B. Is Sunday before Monday?
- C. What day is it today? And tomorrow?
- D. Can you study on Tuesday?

















## Welcome to your group lessons

#### Group lessons help you become better. 🔼

- 1. Do the pre-lesson activities before class
- 2. Come to lessons every week
  - a. Take many lessons
  - b. Talk a lot with your classmates
  - c. Study grammar and vocabulary
  - d. Learn and practice *real* English
- 3. Do the post-lesson activities after class

#### Pop quiz: True or false?

- 1. Take 1 lesson on Mondays.
- Do the pre-lesson activities after class. Do the post-lesson activities before class.
- 3. You can't talk in class.
- 4. Use new vocabulary in class.
- 5. Don't make mistakes.





## **Grammar presentation: Can for ability**

You can use the verb *can* to say that you can do something.

Person + can / can't + verb Can + person + verb?

#### For example:

- I can understand you.
- I can't speak Spanish well.
- I **can** study on Monday.
- I can't study on Tuesday.
- Can she play the piano?
- Can they drive a car?

#### Be careful!

- X I can speaking English. ✓ I can speak English.
- X My tutor can to help me. ✓ My tutor can help me.
- X Can help you me? ✓ Can you help me?

#### What can you do?



## **Grammar practice: Can for ability**

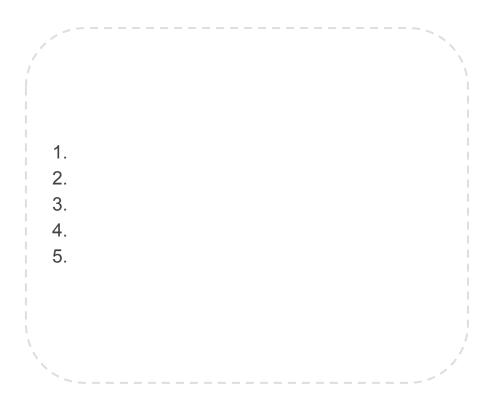
#### Correct the sentences.

- 1. I can't understanding people from the US.
- 2. My tutor cans help me with grammar.
- 3. She can't the post-lesson activity after class today.
- 4. Can explain you this grammar?
- 5. Can you new words remember easily?

#### **Turn it around**

Change sentences 1, 2 and 3 into questions.

Change questions 4 and 5 into sentences.





# **Next steps**



## Tips & tricks

#### Tips and tricks for your study plan

- 1. Studying often is better.
- 2. Talking with your classmates helps you learn.
- 3. Looking at your notes again helps you remember.



#### There are 40 topics in the A1 course.

Let's learn about: Nationalities, families, pets, the weather, daily routines, what things cost, shopping at the supermarket and more.



Live classes available 24/7

Choose the best time for your schedule.



Learn with 40+ certified English tutors.

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## **Group discussion: My study plan**

#### Think about studying!

- 1. When can you study best?
  - a. In the morning? In the evening? On Sunday?
- 2. How many lessons can you take this month?
- 3. Which of the topics can you talk about?



# Q&A



## **Q & A**

#### What do I do next?

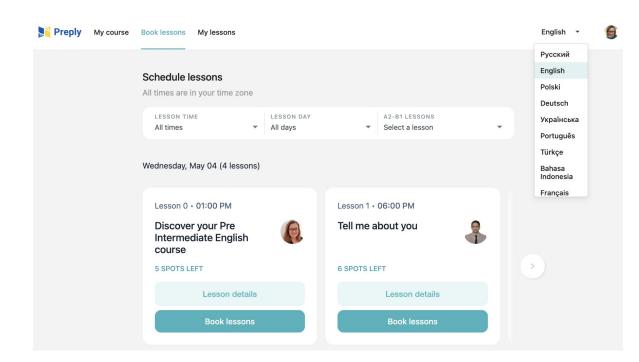
- Log into your Preply account
- Choose a plan and pay
- Book your next lesson!

#### How do I schedule a lesson?

- Open the "Book lesson" page
- Find a great lesson and book it

#### The lessons are too easy. What do I do?

- Change your level in the "select a lesson" filter here.
- Take the Preply Placement test to know your level.





### Resources

**Link to FAQs online** 

Find more information about group lessons.

Breakout room slides

We can use these activities in the lesson.

Pre-lesson exercises

Do some exercises before the lesson.

Post lesson exercises

Do exercises after the lesson and remember what you've learned.

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**Take Placement test** 

Check your English level really fast



## **Additional activities**



## Reading

Think fast! Can you fill in the gaps in less than 1 minute? Write your answers in the chat.

My English lessons are so fun! My Preply tutors are always (1)\_\_\_\_\_\_ and kind. I can study before I go to class. I do my (2)\_\_\_\_\_ activity (3)\_\_\_\_\_ my lesson. I can (4) \_\_\_\_\_ on Monday and Thursday. My English is better because I can (5)\_\_\_\_ a lot in class. I speak with my tutor and students from different countries.

- A. speak
- B. pre-lesson
- C. before
- D. interesting
- E. study



## **Dialog: My group lessons**

#### Read the dialog together.

Salli: Hello! I'm Salli. What's your name?

Joey: Hi, I'm Joey. Nice to meet you!

Salli: Can you spell your name?

Joey: Yes, I can. J-O-E-Y. In my group lesson, we practiced spelling. Can you tell me about your family?

Salli: Yes, I can. My husband's name is Paul. We have 2 children. I also have 2 siblings.

Joey: Siblings?

Salli: 'Siblings' means brothers and sisters. I learned this word in my group lesson. I learn many new words in my lessons. I like that. And it's fun!

Joey: My group lessons are interesting. I can talk to many different people.

#### **Answer the questions.**

- 1. What does Salli like about the group lessons?
- 2. Who can Joey talk to in group lessons?

#### Tell us!

- 1. When do you speak English?
- 2. What can you do well? What do you want to practice more in your group lessons?
  - a. Speaking
  - b. Listening
  - c. Grammar
- 3. When can you study?



## Roleplay

#### Role A

Your friends take Preply group lessons. They love it! They learn quickly and can speak to many people. Now, you want to study too. Ask your friend what they like and when they study.

#### Role B

You take Preply group lessons. Your lessons are interesting and your English is much better. You can speak to many people. You study on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Tell your friend about Preply.



#### **Key language**

interesting pre-lesson morning speaking fun post-lesson evening listening not boring before / after classmates grammar



## Pair work: Study habits

#### Ask and answer the questions

- 1. How often do you study English?
- 2. Do you listen to English music? What are your favorite songs? Do you read in English? What do you read?
- 3. When do you study grammar and vocabulary?
- 4. Do you have a notebook?
- 5. Do you speak to English friends?



## My study plan

Use this plan. Make great learning goals.

#### Study better:

- Study 20 minutes every day. You can learn new words and phrases.
- 2. Study with other people. You can practice more!
- 3. Study after class and remember what you learned.

#### My plan

This month, I will go to \_\_\_\_\_(#) group lessons.
I will study at this time: \_\_\_\_\_\_.

I will study on these days:

- 3. I will practice vocabulary on these days:
- 4. I will celebrate with

