Blur = sfocato, confuso Surveyor = geometra Accountant = impiegato

We probably will buy the pre-intermediate book.

Rug = tappeto persiano 12972 = twelvethousendninehundred and seventytwo

Nephew = nipote maschio degli zii Niece = nipote femmina degli zii

I drive to work every day (simple present) I'm driving, I can't answer the phone (present continuous)

Head master = preside

When you write in a formal way, you write it using the complete form (I am), otherwise, in your daily speaking, you use the contracted form.

# **Question Words**

when where who why which what how how much/how many how often

What type of music do you like? How many hours a day do you study? When does your brother come home? What time does the lesson start?

Rarely = hardly ever

I often go to the gym I'm often tired

Programma credito di 3^: Present Tenses (simple, continuous, perfect) Past Tenses (simple, continuous, perfect) Future (going to, will) Conditional 1 & 2

I love singing in the bath

In english there are regular and irregular verbs.

Present Simple + Past Simple (verbi regolari e irregolari) Verbs from b to forget

PRESENT SIMPLE	PRESENT CONTINUOUS
Routine actions	now or limited period of time
work / works don't work/doesn't work	imminent/certain future actions
do you work? does she work?	I'm working I'm not working
	Am I working?

I'm going to work now. See you later.
We watch the news on TV every evening.
Maria's Italian. She comes from Milan.
Do you like Spanish food? I love tapas.
I don't have any pets.
Don't wait for Peter. He isn't coming.
What's the matter? Why are you crying?
Why are you going out without a coat?

### Dear Steve,

I'm having a very good time here in Vienna. Everything is going well and the weather is ok. I am staying at the Art Hotel, a trendy accommodation very close to the centre of the city.

Yesterday I went to an Austrian restaurant to enjoy a typical local dish, the Wiener Schitzler, that was excellent.

Today I'm going to visit the Albertina Museum. It is located in the city centre, between the "Opern" theatre and Saint Stefan's Cathedral.

I wish you to visit this inspiring Museum, full of amazing arts and human creativity. See you soon, Sergio

Past Continuous: was/were + ing

#### **Positive**

I was singing you were singing he, she, it was singing we, you, they were singing

# Negative

I wasn't singing you weren't singing he, she, it wasn't singing we, you, they weren't singing

# **Interrogative**

was I singing?
Were you singing?
Was he, she, it singing?
Were we, you, they singing?

Lose your cool = perdi (perdere) il controllo To have an argument = avere una discussione Taxiing = rollaggio

Breakfast	Lunch+Dinner	Fruits+Vegetables	Snacks
coffee	meat	apples	sandwiches
bacon	steaks	pineapples	biscuits
milk	soup	tomatoes	pizza
scrumbled eggs	salad	carrots	chocolate
toasts	fish	bananas	cookies
cereal	sea food	potatoes	crackers
biscuits	wine	oranges	cake
bread	bread	spinach	juice
cheese		broccoli	
croissant		zucchini	
		pumpkin	
		eggplant	
		garlic	
		onion	
		parsley	
		celery	
		pears	
		kiwis	
		lemons	

Full English breakfast: also called cooked breakfast.

Bacon, toast, eggs, sausages, grilled tomatoes, mushrooms, baked beans.

Meat: steak, beef, ham, ribs, lamb, pork, chicken, veal, turkey.

<u>Fish</u>: salmon, tuna, seabass, shrimp, prawns, swordfish, squid.

 $\underline{\text{Vegetables}}\text{: courgette}(GB) \text{--} \text{zucchini}(US), \text{cucumber, aubergine, onion, garlic, pumpkin, artichoke, cauliflower, cabbage, radish, pepper.}$ 

<u>Fruit</u>: sreawberry, blueberry, watermelon, pear, grapes, pineapple, peach, apricot, plum, cherry, fig, coconut, pomgranate.

<u>Snacks</u>: crisps (papatine da sacchetto), fries/chips (McDonalds), doughnuts, cookies, muffins, cupcakes, pancakes, candies.

Ways of cooking: grill, roast, fry, boil, steam, bake.

- 1. Do you eat any meat? No, we don't eat any meat at all, but we eat some fish.
- 2. How much fish do you eat? We eat a little white fish, but we love shellfish so we eat a lot of prawns.
- 3. Do you eat much fruit? Oh, yes, we eat a lot of fresh fruit, grapes and apples, everything.
- 4. And do you eat many vegetables? Yes, of course, we eat lots of raw vegetables.
- 5. Don't you cook any vegetables at all? We cook some. Sometimes we steam a few carrots and a little broccoli.
- 6. And what do you drink? Well, we don't drink any tea or coffee and naturally there's no alcohol in our diet, but we do drink a lot of orange juice.
- 7. How many calories do you have every day? About 1500. That's about 1000 fewer than most people.

COUNTABLE	UNCOUNTABLE
How many students are there in the class?	How much petrol is there in the car?
There are some students in the square.	He has some money in his pocket.
Are there any vegetables?	There isn't any milk.
There are a few chocolates in the box.	There is a little coffee in the cup.

Countable and Uncountable.

A piece of bread, cake, paper.

A loaf of bread.

A bottle of wine, milk.

A can of beer, Coke.

A kilo of apples, bananas, bread, ham.

A litre of beer, Coke, milk, petrol, wine.

A packet of chewing gum.

A pair of jeans, sunglasses, socks.

A slice of bread, cake, ham.

A bunch of flowers.

Children are a handful = i bambini sono pesanti To look after = mantenere

Treats = sfizi

Write an email to a friend who wrote you after a long time. Write about what is your life now.

VERB + TO + INFINITIVE | VERB + -ING | VERB + PREPOSITION + -INT

Be going to study
I hope to get
I would like to leave
I want to earn

I would like to travel

I like sleeping I enjoy looking

Think of applying Look forward to having

Needy = bisognosi

- 1. Oh, yes, I'm going to apply for Oxford.
- 2. Really? I'll text it to you right now.
- 3. I'm going shopping this afternoone. I'll get some apples.
- 4. Give it to me. I'll carry it for you.
- 5. Is he? I'll give him a ring.
- 6. What are we having for supper? I'm going to make spaghetti bolognese
- 1. Present Continuous: arrangement (diary)

2.Be going to + Infinitive plans, something we have already decided prediction based on evidence

3.Will/won't decision taken at the moment of speaking future facts offers

24/12 Christmas Eve

25/12 Christmas Day

26/12 Boxing Day

31/12 New Year's Eve

1/1 New Year's Day

New Year's Resolutions

Go on a diet

Headlice = pidocchi Where there's a will there's a way = volere è potere

UK = Great Britain + Northern Ireland Great Britain = England + Scotland + Wales England = region British Isles = all islands between Atlantic Ocean and the North Sea

Potato famine = carestia delle patate Leek = porro Thistle = cardo