

Keys to grammar tasks *Great! 3*

Unit 1

§1 wearing, talking, standing ▶ SB, page 145

1. The woman wearing the red skirt is our new boss.
2. Who is the man talking to Fiona?
3. The woman standing next to Michael Lewis is his secretary.
4. Do you know the woman wearing the pink pullover?
5. My brother-in-law is the man drinking a glass of red wine.

§2 Making comparisons ▶ SB, page 146

1. She's taller than me. / I'm shorter than her.
2. Your hair is not as short as mine. / My hair is not as long as yours.
3. Anna is more outgoing than Frank. / Frank is not as outgoing as Anna.
4. He talks less than his sister. / He doesn't talk as much as his sister.
5. Her husband is shorter than her. / Her husband isn't as tall as her.
6. She's better at socialising than him. / He's worse at socialising than her.

§3 yours & mine ▶ SB, page 147

1. His eyes are like his sister's. His eyes are very similar to **hers**.
2. I've got short hair. My sister's hair is much longer than **mine**.
3. Paul's car is 10 years old, but my car is even older than **his**.
4. Oh, no, I've forgotten my book – can I share **yours**?
5. We met Irene on holiday 10 years ago. Now she's a really good friend of **ours**.
6. My sister lives in a really big house. Our house is much smaller than **hers**.

§4 you & me ▶ SB, page 147

1. I don't talk much. My sister talks a lot more than **me**. (*dan ik*)
2. Mary's boyfriend is very nice, but he's less outgoing than **her**. (*dan zij*)
3. My brother is a bit taller than **me** – but I'm older than **him**. (*dan ik – dan hij*)
4. You've got long hair. But Joanne has got even longer hair than **you**. (*dan jij*)
5. Sue and Paul have a lot of money. We aren't as rich as **them**. (*als zij*)
6. We lost the game – the other team played better than **us**. (*dan wij*)

Unit 2

§5 have to / need to ▶ SB, page 148

1. To make bread, first **you have to mix** the ingredients together.
2. **She doesn't need to take** a taxi, she can come with us.
3. When **do we have to check out** of our hotel room?
4. **My husband has to leave** for work at 7 am every morning.
5. **I need to buy** some aspirin.
6. **Do students have to do** homework? Yes, **they do!**

Unit 3

§6 passive (be + past participle) ▶ SB, page 149

1. The Pyramids **were built** as tombs for Pharaohs.
2. The light bulb **was invented** by Thomas Edison.
3. This apple pie is delicious! What **is it made of**?
4. St. Joseph's Cathedral **is located** in Edmonton in Canada.
5. My father **is named** after my grandfather. (*Na overlijden van de vader is was named mogelijk.*)
6. When **was** Grand Central Station in New York **completed**?

Unit 4

§7 shall & will ▶ SB, page 150

1. I'm not sure. Shall we go to the cinema?
2. I think I'll have a cup of coffee.
3. I have to go now. I'll call / ring / phone you next week.
4. a. I'm ...ing / going to ...
 b. I think I'll ...
 c. I don't think I'll go swimming.

§8 should, could & would ▶ SB, page 151

A: What are you doing on Saturday?

B: I don't have any plans yet.

A: **Would** you like to go to the theatre? There's a new play at the Oil Lamp Theatre.

B: That sounds great! But we **should** reserve tickets, the Oil Lamp is really busy on Saturdays.

A: OK. And we **could** have dinner before the show.

B: Good idea. We **could** go to Kim's Diner. I love the food there.

A: Yes, perfect! See you on Saturday at 7.

Unit 6

§9 much & many ▶ SB, page 152

1

- too much** pocket money
- too much** coffee
- too many** tourists
- too much** noise
- too much** salt
- too many** TV channels

2

- I couldn't sleep. There was **too much** noise during the night.
- I think parents give their children **too much** pocket money.
- I didn't like the soup. It had **too much** salt in it.
- I really liked London, but there are **too many** tourists there in summer.
- The only problem with American TV is that there are **too many** TV channels to choose from.
- It's not good for you to drink **too much** coffee in the evening.

§10 reported speech ▶ SB, page 153

- The food at your hotel is very spicy. *Nobody told us** (that) the food **would be / was** spicy.
- There is no children's play area. *When we booked it said** (that) the hotel **would have / had** a playground.
- Your room is very small. *In the brochure it said** (that) the rooms **would be / were** big.
- Drinks at the bar are very expensive. *Nobody said that** drinks **would be / were** so expensive.

* *De eerste delen van de zin zijn uitwisselbaar.*

Unit 7

§11 past continuous ► SB, page 154

1. Yesterday I **was watching** TV when my sister **called** me from Australia.
2. We **were driving** along the road and suddenly a dog **ran** out in front of our car.
3. John nearly **had** an accident because he **didn't look / wasn't looking** where he **was going**.
4. It **wasn't raining** this morning when I **went jogging**. / It **didn't rain** this morning when I **went jogging**.
5. What **were we talking** about before I **answered** the phone?

§12 past perfect ► SB, page 155

1

- a. I arrived at the party at 10 o'clock, but Paul had already left.
- b. Mark had seen the film before, so he didn't come with us to the cinema.
- c. When they stopped their car the man had disappeared.

2

- a. When I arrived home, my husband **had** already **made** dinner for us.
- b. We arrived at the cinema 5 minutes late, but luckily the film still **had not started**.
- c. Our son rang us and said that he **had had** an accident.

Unit 8

§ 13 Question tags (1) ► SB, page 157

1. They went to Greece last year, **didn't they?** – Yes, **they did**.
2. Your mom doesn't bake her own bread, **does she?** – No, **she doesn't**.
3. Ken didn't buy this cheese at the supermarket, **did he?** – Yes, **he did**, actually!
4. This cake tastes delicious, **doesn't it?** – Mmm, yes, **it does**.
5. You don't know Paul, **do you?** – No, **I don't**.
6. We didn't meet anyone from Australia, **did we?** – Yes, **we did**. Bruce and Anna.

§14 Question tags (2) ► SB, page 157

1. They'll be here in 10 minutes, **won't they?** – Yes, **they will**.
2. You've already paid the bill, **haven't you?** – No, sorry, **I haven't**.
3. Julia can't come to the meeting, **can she?** – No, **she can't**.
4. We wouldn't choose that restaurant again, **would we?** – No, **we wouldn't!** The food was terrible.
5. Your sister's got three children, **hasn't she?** – Yes, **she has**.*
6. We could go to South Africa next year, **couldn't we?** – Yes, **we could**.

* ook mogelijk (AE): ..., doesn't she? / ..., she does. .

Unit 9

§15 If I (had) + would ► SB, page 158

1. If I **had** more time, I **would read** more books.
2. If I **were** you, I **wouldn't buy** that hat.
3. If my parents **lived** in the same town as me, I **would visit** them more often.
4. If I **didn't have to** work so much, I **would do** more sports.
5. If Paul **could**, he **would go** on a journey around the world.
6. If I **had** my time again, I **wouldn't go** into politics.