

# UNIT 12

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## LESSON A



**put off**



**set a record**

**achievement**



**sail**  
**explorer**  
**climb**  
**adventure**  
**departure**  
**set a record**  
**attempt**  
**balloon**  
**call off**  
**carry on**  
**give up**  
**put off ≈ delay**  
**sort out**  
**take off**  
**achievement**

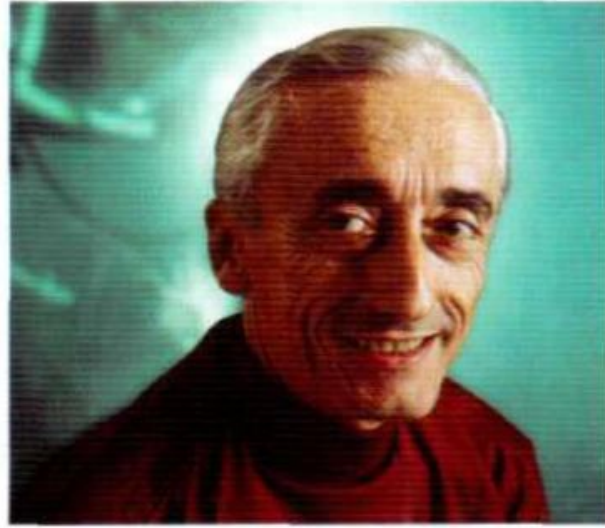
- **to decide or arrange to do something at a later time**
- a large strong bag filled with gas or hot air that can float in the air
- **to continue doing something**
- to go up something or to move somewhere using your hands and legs
- **an exciting and sometimes dangerous experience**
- to travel somewhere by boat or ship
- **when someone or something leaves a place, especially to start a journey to another place**
- to show the best result in a competition
- **someone who travels to places where no one has ever been in order to find out what is there**
- the act of trying to do something, especially something difficult

***Guess the missing word:***

1. The **d**\_\_\_\_\_ time for the train to Victoria station is 10.30 a.m.
2. The athlete won a gold medal by running and she also **s**\_\_\_\_\_ a new record.
3. One day I would like to **c**\_\_\_\_\_ Mount Everest.
4. He almost called off his **a**\_\_\_\_\_ to fly around the world.
5. She needs to **s**\_\_\_\_\_ her money problems.
6. Do you know of any **e**\_\_\_\_\_ or adventurers from your country?
7. Peter **p**\_\_\_\_\_ going to the dentist but he knew he had to do it.
8. Are you going to **c**\_\_\_\_\_ studying next year?
9. Keira was nervous when the plane was about to **t**\_\_\_\_\_ because it was her first flight.
10. Brad has decided to **g**\_\_\_\_\_ smoking.
11. I like to travel to different countries because it feels like an **a**\_\_\_\_\_.
12. I went on a cruise and **s**\_\_\_\_\_ around the Mediterranean Sea.

# **EXPLORER vs. ADVENTURER**





## SPEAKING

- 1 Work in groups. Answer these questions.
  - What do you know about the people below?
  - Where did they come from?
  - Why are they famous?
  - What else do you know about them?

Christopher Columbus

Neil Armstrong

Jacques Cousteau

Roald Amundsen

Marco Polo



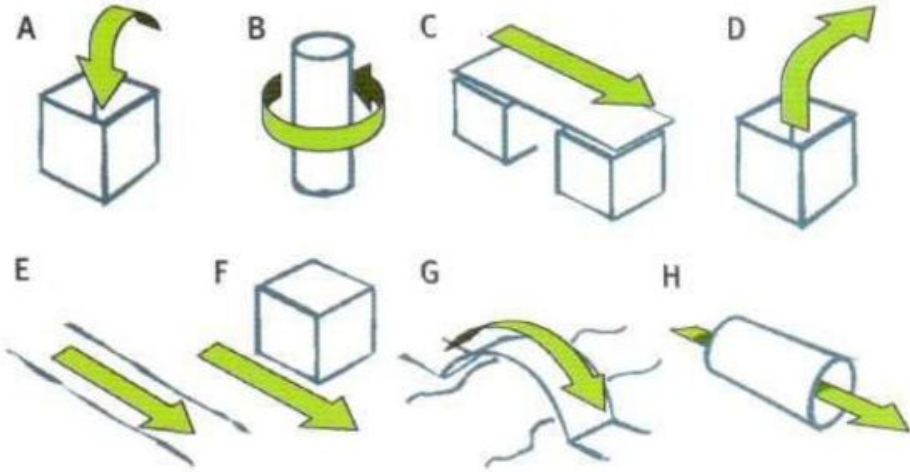




## GRAMMAR: prepositions of movement

1 Match the prepositions in the box to the pictures A–H.

across along around into out of  
over past through



2 Choose the correct preposition to complete these sentences.

1 **1434** The Portuguese explorer, Gil Eannes, was the first European to sail *over* / *past* Cape Bojador on the coast of Africa.

2 **1492** Columbus first sailed *across* / *along* the Atlantic Ocean.

3 **1522** Juan Sebastian del Cano became the first man to sail *around* / *through* the world.

4 **Around 1800** The Scottish explorer, Mungo Park, travelled on horse and on foot *along* / *into* the Niger River in West Africa.

5 **Around 1800** The German explorer, Alexander von Humboldt, travelled *out of* / *through* the Amazon jungle and collected plants.

6 **1928** Amelia Earhart was the first woman to fly *over* / *past* the Atlantic Ocean.

7 **1961** Yuri Gagarin was the first man to go *across* / *into* space.

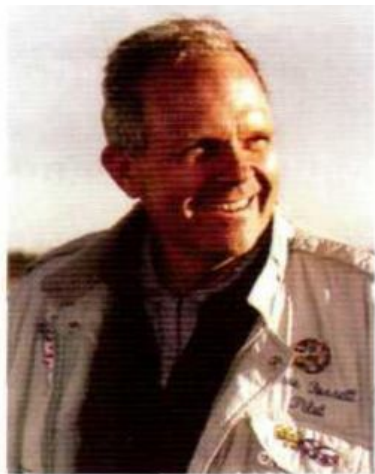
8 **1969** Neil Armstrong climbed *around* / *out of* his spaceship and became the first man on the Moon.

3 Describe your journey from home to school. Use as many prepositions of movement as possible.

*I go out of my house and get into my car. I drive along Green Street ...*

## LISTENING

- 1 🎧 2.50 Listen to a news report about the American adventurer, Steve Fossett. Answer these questions.



- 1 Why is the reporter talking about Steve Fossett?
- 2 Which of these activities did Steve Fossett **not** try?

ballooning   dog racing   flying  
 long-distance swimming   motor racing  
 space travel   speed sailing

- 2 🎧 2.50 Listen again and complete the sentences with the correct number.

- 1 Steve Fossett was \_\_\_\_\_ when he died.
- 2 He set \_\_\_\_\_ records in \_\_\_\_\_ different sports.
- 3 He flew \_\_\_\_\_ kilometres in a balloon around the world.
- 4 He made \_\_\_\_\_ attempts to fly around the world in a balloon.
- 5 He succeeded in swimming between England and France on his \_\_\_\_\_ attempt.
- 6 He took part in a \_\_\_\_\_-kilometre race in Alaska.
- 7 He set \_\_\_\_\_ world records for sailing.

## PRONUNCIATION: /ɜ:/

1  2.51 Listen and repeat these phrases.

first person	third world
journey to work	word search

2 Underline the word in each group that does **not** contain the sound /ɜ:/.

- |   |          |         |       |         |
|---|----------|---------|-------|---------|
| 1 | burn     | circle  | heart | journey |
| 2 | birth    | compare | early | nervous |
| 3 | earn     | girl    | heard | record  |
| 4 | interest | learn   | nurse | service |

3  2.52 Listen to the recording to check your answers.

## VOCABULARY: phrasal verbs

- 1 Replace the words in *italics* with a phrasal verb from the box.

called off   carried on   gave up   put off  
sorted out   took off

- 1 Steve Fossett's balloon *left the ground* from a town in Western Australia.
  - 2 He almost *cancelled* his attempt to fly around the world.
  - 3 He had to *delay* his departure because of a problem with the wind.
  - 4 He *found a solution to* his difficulties.
  - 5 He *continued* with his journey.
  - 6 He *stopped* ballooning after this journey.
- 2 In these sentences, one of the words or phrases is **not** possible. Cross out the incorrect words.
- 1 Unfortunately, the *concert / weather / wedding* was called off.
  - 2 Are you going to carry on *seeing him / the Atlantic Ocean / with your studies*?
  - 3 He has decided to give up *his job / his wife / smoking*.
  - 4 The *decision / meeting / world* was put off until next week.
  - 5 She needs to sort out her *good health / money problems / relationship with her boss*.
  - 6 The *helicopter / plane / ship* took off one hour late.

### ***Galaxy Tours***

5, 4, 3, 2, 1. Take off! Be one of the first humans to visit space.

From next January our amazing new spaceship will be making regular trips into space. You'll see your beautiful blue home planet far below you and you'll have the amazing experience of weightlessness.

Before you go we'll give you a month's preparation in our Astronaut centre.

Our space tourists will have about two hours in space and travel once round the Earth. Anyone can go, but you must be fit and healthy!



### ***3 Months in the Desert***

Take part in an incredible experiment in co-operation and survival.

Join our international desert camp.

For three months, 150 people from many different countries will live together in the middle of the desert.

You will be given one week's training and a week of basic supplies. After that, you are on your own! No shops. No TV. No piped water or electricity. You can only survive by working together.

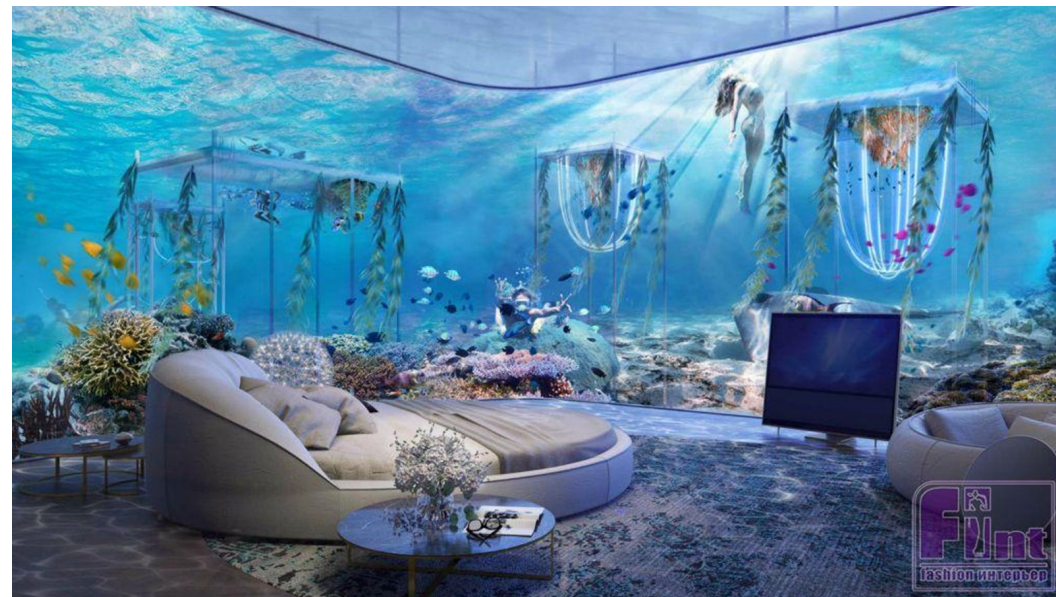




land of the fairies



underwater city



# MONEYBOX

You should/shouldn't...

You can...

You have to/you don't have to...

You mustn't...)

*You shouldn't buy things you don't really need.  
You have to save part of your salary every month etc.*





# VOCABULARY

**give somebody a hand**

*ПОМОЧЬ*



**participate in a court case**  
*участвовать в судебном  
разбирательстве*

# VOCABULARY

**shopping victim**

жертва  
шоппинга

**overcome**

преодолеват  
ь

**should / shouldn't**



# VOCABULARY

**coffee addict**





# VOCABULARY

it is painful *to touch the hot kettle*

*болезненный*

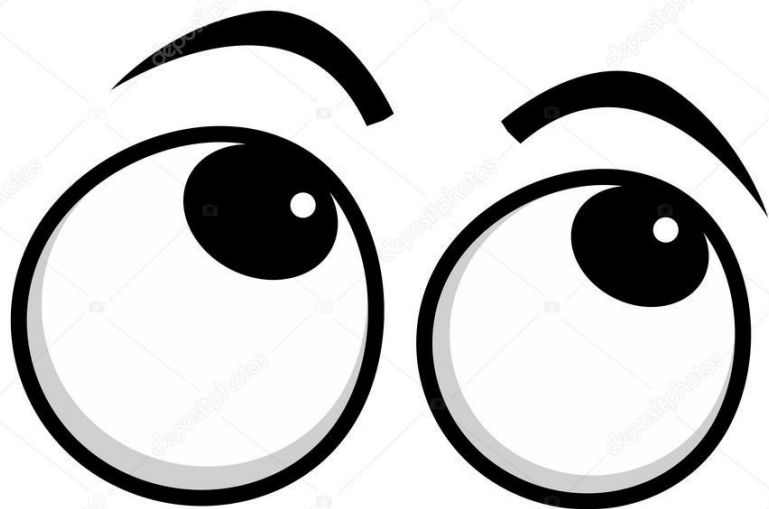
- hear
- see
- feel
- say
- drink
- eat



# VOCABULARY

**see double**

КОГДА ДВОИТСЯ В  
глазах



# VOCABULARY

**sunrise**

*рассвет*



# VOCABULARY

**a) up to date**

содержащий  
**актуальную**  
информацию,  
отвечающий  
современным  
требованиям

**b) updated**

**обновленный**  
(в отличие от  
предыдущей  
старой версии)

**c) recent**

появившийся  
**недавно**

# GRAMMAR

## PAST SIMPLE VS. PRESENT PERFECT

действие свершилось в прошлом, есть указание, **когда** именно оно свершилось, не имеет отношения к настоящему моменту – просто факт

*I saw a good movie 2 days ago.*

*I cooked breakfast yesterday*

*Last week I talked to 25 clients*

действие свершилось какое-то время назад – нет точного указания на время

*I`ve seen a good movie recently*

на первом плане – результат действия, а не время его свершения

*I`ve cooked dinner (сейчас можно его есть)*

временной промежуток еще не окончен, можем изменить свой полученный опыт

*I`ve talked to 25 clients this week (неделя еще продолжается)*



- \_\_\_ the water in the lake \_\_\_ yet?

Did / frozen

Have / frozen

Have / freeze

Has / frozen

- I \_\_\_ my certificate last night.

have framed

has framed

framed

frame

- Tom \_\_\_ a lot of weight since last summer.

gained

has gained

have gained

didn't gain

- Bob still \_\_\_ the washing out.

hasn't hung

haven't hung

didn't hung

hasn't hang

- Smartphone sales \_\_\_ last year.

have increased

has increased

increased

didn't increased

- In 1992, I \_\_\_ the funds to do what I wanted.

have lacked

lacked

haven't lacked

lack

# HOME TASK

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Vocabulary 12b