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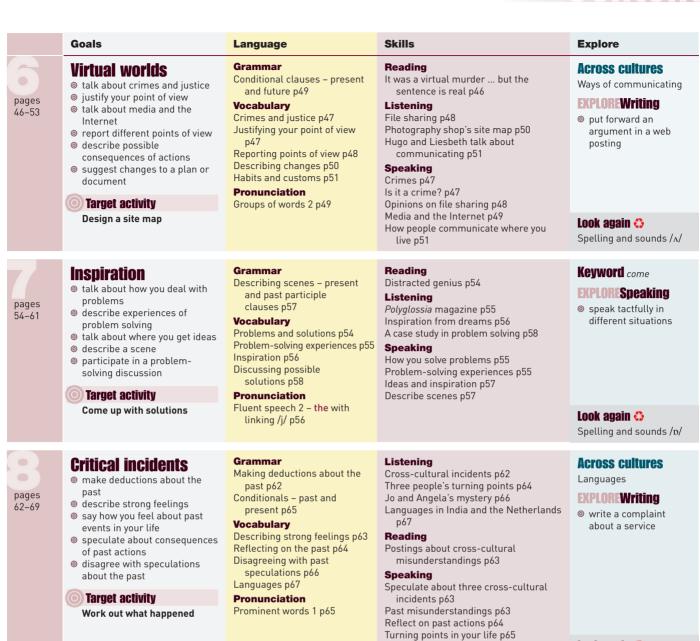
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pages 14-21	Misunderstandings olimits dear with misunderstandings describe experiences of things going wrong tell a story from your country explain why you're not satisfied with a service Target activity Make a complaint	Grammar Past simple and past perfect simple p15 Past progressive and past perfect progressive p17 Vocabulary Dealing with misunderstandings p14 Adverbs for describing actions p16 Explaining a complaint p18 Generalising and talking about differences p19 Pronunciation Contrastive stress p14	Listening Rainer's difficult day p14 Sen no Rikyū p16 Ian calls a dissatisfied customer p18 David talks about Portuguese culture p19 Speaking Three misunderstandings p15 Misunderstandings in your life p15 Tell the story of Sen no Rikyū p16 A story from your country p17 A talk for visitors to your country p19	Across cultures Aspects of culture EXPLOREWriting write a dramatic story Look again Spelling and sounds /n/
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Choose a logo



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How it's done

- explain how something is made
- organise a description
- describe responsibilities and roles in different situations
- explain how a team or organisation works
- give a detailed presentation on a familiar topic
- Target activity

 Give a factual talk

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Keyword way

Look again 🐴

EXPLORES peaking

Spelling and sounds /e/

- check that people understand
- add more detail
- ask people to clarify or repeat things

Look again 🛟

Spelling and sounds /v/

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