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Mã đề 101

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Email us at jobs@coffeebeans.co.uk

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pick up (v) nhặt lên, đón đưa, học lỏm/học từ thực tế

Pick me up at 10. – đón tớ lúc 10h nhé

Question 8. A. **to** B. with C. for D. in

S + used to do = đã từng làm gì mà nay không làm nữa S + didn't use to do. **Noun/Ving**

I went fishing with him. We were kids at that time.

I used to go fishing with him [when we were kids]

S + get + used to doing = quen dần với cái gì

Năm ngoái học chiều. Năm nay học sáng. Tớ đang quen dần với việc dậy sớm

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hesitate to do = ngại ngần làm gì

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look up = tra cứu [giấy tờ, sổ sách, data...]

get by on/with = xoay xở được – sống sót, vượt qua khó khăn vì có đủ một thứ gì đó [tiền chẳng hạn]



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even with = kể cả khi – nhấn mạnh sự so sánh

He didn't win the competition even with his talent.

nhưng chú ý là “even with” đi với Noun/Ving

even as = cùng lúc/ sự việc đối ngược

Even as it rains, we kept on going

Even as it rains heavily outside, he sits by the windows and enjoys music

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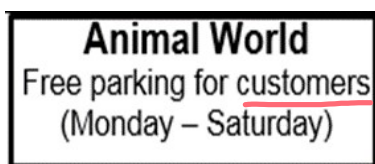
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pity (adj)

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Join us as a Team Member, Assistant Manager (36) Café Manager, depending on your skills and experience.

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provide sth for sb – hãy dùng hơn

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tuyển các vị trí khác nhau

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Câu hỏi đuôi

Khẳng định, phủ định?

You hate me, **don't** you?

You are fat, **aren't** you?

Phủ định, nghi vấn?

She doesn't love you, **does** she?

She isn't good, **is** she?

She never helps you, does she?

— not

lưu ý:

chỉ dùng trợ động từ [do/does/did/have/has/had/is/am/are/was/were/can/may....]

không dùng **I amn't** mà thay bằng **aren't I**

nếu có ý ở tương lai hãy dùng Shall we/I

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nếu tớ là cậu = lời khuyên

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ADV of manner

1. đứng trước động từ chính

2. đứng sau main verb + Object

carefully (adv) cẩn thận

She [✓]passed ^{carefully}the ball [✓]

She carefully passed the ball

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----- **THE END** -----