

59.1 Look again at the situation in Section A on the opposite page ("Lisa is American . . ."). The following situations are similar. Complete the sentences using **used to**.

1. Juan is Spanish and went to live in Canada. In Spain he usually had dinner late in the evening, but in Canada dinner was at 6:00. This was very early for him, and he found it very strange at first.

When Juan first went to Canada, he wasn't used to having dinner so early, but after a while he _____ it. Now he finds it normal.

He _____ at 6:00.

2. Julia is a nurse. A year ago she started working nights. At first she found it hard and didn't like it.

She _____ nights, and it took her a few months to _____ it. Now, after a year, she's pretty happy. She _____ nights.

59.2 What do you say in these situations? Use **I'm (not) used to . . .**

1. You live alone. You don't mind this. You have always lived alone.

Friend: Do you get a little lonely sometimes?

You: No, I'm used to living alone.

2. You sleep on the floor. You don't mind this. You have always slept on the floor.

Friend: Wouldn't you prefer to sleep in a bed?

You: No, I _____

3. You have to work long hours in your job. This is not a problem for you. You have always worked long hours.

Friend: You have to work very long hours in your job, don't you?

You: Yes, but I don't mind that. I _____

4. You usually go to bed early. Last night you went to bed very late (for you) and as a result, you are very tired this morning.

Friend: You look tired this morning.

You: Yes, _____

59.3 Read the situations and complete the sentences using **get/got used to**.

1. Some friends of yours have just moved into an apartment on a busy street. It's very noisy.

They'll have to get used to the noise

2. Sue moved from a big house to a much smaller one. She found it strange at first.

She had to _____ in a much smaller house.

3. The children at school got a new teacher. She was different from the teacher before her, but this wasn't a problem for the children. They soon _____

4. Some people you know from the United States are going to live in your country. What will they have to get used to?

They'll have to _____

59.4 Complete the sentences using only one word each time (see Section C).

1. Lisa had to get used to driving on the left.

2. We used to live in a small town, but now we live in Los Angeles.

3. Tom used to _____ a lot of coffee. Now he prefers tea.

4. I feel very full after that meal. I'm not used to _____ so much.

5. I wouldn't like to share an office. I'm used to _____ my own office.

6. I used to _____ a car, but I sold it a few months ago.

7. When we were children, we used to _____ swimming every day.

8. There used to _____ a movie theater here, but it was torn down a few years ago.

9. I'm the boss here! I'm not used to _____ told what to do.

UNIT 59

59.1

1. When Juan first went to Canada, he **wasn't used to having** dinner so early, but after a while he **got used to** it. Now he finds it normal. He **is used to eating** / **is used to having** dinner at 6:00.
2. She **wasn't used to working** nights and it took her a few months to **get used to** it. Now, after a year, she's pretty happy. She **is used to working** nights.

59.2

2. 'm used to sleeping on the floor.
3. 'm used to working long hours.
4. I'm not used to going to bed so late.

59.3

2. get used to living in a much smaller house.
3. got used to her. / ... to the/their new teacher.
4. *Example answers:*
They'll have to get used to the weather. / ... to the food. / ... to speaking a foreign language.

59.4

3. drink
4. eating
5. having
6. have
7. go
8. be
9. being

UNIT 60

60.1

2. doing
3. coming/going
4. doing/trying
5. buying/getting
6. hearing
7. going
8. having/using
9. being
10. watching
11. inviting/asking

60.2

2. in solving
3. of living
4. of causing
5. (from) walking
6. for interrupting
7. of spending
8. from escaping
9. on carrying
10. to seeing

60.3

2. on driving Ann to the station / ... on taking Ann ...
3. on getting married
4. Sue for coming to see her
5. (to me) for not calling earlier
6. me of being selfish

UNIT 61

61.1

2. There's no point in working if you don't need money.
3. There's no point in trying to study if you feel tired.
4. There's no point in hurrying if you've got plenty of time.

61.2

2. asking Dave
3. in going out
4. calling her
5. complaining (about what happened)
6. taking
7. keeping

61.3

2. remembering people's names
3. getting a job
4. getting a ticket for the game
5. understanding him

61.4

2. reading
3. packing / getting ready
4. watching
5. going/climbing/walking
6. applying
7. getting / being

61.5

2. went swimming
3. go skiing
4. goes riding
5. 's gone shopping / went shopping

UNIT 62

62.1

2. to get some money.
3. 'm saving money to go to Canada.
4. I went into the hospital to have an operation.
5. I'm wearing two sweaters to keep warm.
6. I called the police to report that my car had been stolen.

62.2

2. to read
3. to walk
4. to drink
5. to put / to carry
6. to discuss / to talk about
7. to buy / to get

8. to talk / to speak
9. to wear / to put on
10. to celebrate
11. to help

62.3

2. for
3. to
4. to
5. for
6. to
7. for
8. for ... to

62.4

2. warm clothes so that I wouldn't be cold.
3. left Dave my phone number so that he could contact me. / ... would be able to contact me.
4. We whispered so that ... else would hear our conversation. / ... so that nobody could hear ... would be able to hear ...
5. arrive early so that we can start the meeting on time. / ... so that we'll be able to start ...
6. Jennifer locked the door so that she wouldn't be disturbed.
7. I slowed down so that the car behind me could pass. / ... would pass.

UNIT 63

63.1

2. easy to use.
3. was very difficult to open.
4. are impossible to translate.
5. car is expensive to maintain.
6. chair isn't safe to stand on.

63.2

2. easy mistake to make.
3. nice place to live. or ... a nice place to live in.
4. good game to watch.

63.3

2. 's careless of you to make the same mistake again and again.
3. It was nice of them to invite me (to stay with them). / It was nice of Dan and Jenny to ...
4. It's inconsiderate of them to make so much noise (at night). / It's inconsiderate of the neighbors to ...

63.4

2. am glad to hear or was glad to hear
3. were surprised to see
4. 'm/am sorry to hear or was sorry to hear