Series 2 Episode 10: A Date

Introduction
This support pack accompanies:

Big City Small World – Series 2 Episode 10

This support pack contains the following materials:

- Before you listen
- Comprehension Task
- Grammar Task
- Grammar Task 2
- Vocabulary Task
- Audio script

Before you listen
We suggest you do the vocabulary activity below before you listen. Then listen to the episode and do the first task to check your understanding. Finally, practise some vocabulary and grammar.

Match the words and phrases in the boxes to the definitions.

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<td>2. pushy</td>
<td>3. both</td>
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<td>5. invitation</td>
<td>6. expensive</td>
<td>7. mate</td>
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Definitions:

a. Feeling negatively towards someone because you want something of theirs
b. Over–enthusiastic persuading
c. Having a lot of energy
d. Costing a lot of money
e. Colloquial term for friend
f. Feeling or showing envy of someone or their achievements and advantages
g. To ask someone to go somewhere or do something with you
h. An offer to take part in or attend something
i. Used to indicate two choices, two of something

Now, listen to episode 8.
Comprehension Task

Order the events
Put the events into the order they occurred in the episode.

- a. Olivia explains that Harry is working on her computer.
- b. Olivia invites Harry and Bindyu to her flat.
- c. Harry tells the others that Bindyu is not happy about the time he spends with Olivia.
- d. Sarah invites Carlos to an art gallery.
- e. Carlos confesses that he knows nothing about art.
- f. Fadi and Olivia joke about the number of girlfriends he has.
- g. The boys are discussing Carlos’ date with Sarah.
- h. Bindyu arrives at the café.
Grammar Task

Reorder the words
Put the words in the right order to make 8 sentences from the recording.

1. where take you So going are to her?
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2. well! money spend my like I to
   ________________________________

3. Don’t to your house date, though. invite her on a first
   ________________________________

4. really me. angry Bindyu’s with
   ________________________________

5. fix Did help website? you to Harry your
   ________________________________

6. I nephew evening. have after my look Joe to this
   ________________________________

7. I’ll all evening! you Well, this see
   ________________________________

8. don’t worry you her! have to about to Now take where
   ________________________________

Grammar Task 2

Select the right word
Choose the correct words in each sentence.

1. She thinks I’m spending too much / many time with Olivia.
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2. He still needs do / to do some more work.
   ________________________________

3. I’ll make dinner for anyone / everyone.
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4. Are you jealous as much / well?
   ________________________________

5. Would you like come / to come with me?
   ________________________________

6. I’ll meet you here by / at six!
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7. You’re going to find it / out!!
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Vocabulary Task

Complete the table
Fill in the table with the correct adverb or adjective.

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Audio Script

Carlos: I can’t believe Sarah said ‘Yes’!
Fadi: Well done, mate!
Johnny: So where are you going to take her?
Carlos: Oh, I don’t know... We didn’t decide where to go.
Fadi: Take her out for dinner, somewhere nice.
Carlos: Yeah, that’s a good idea...
Johnny: I know a great Chinese place.
Carlos: Yes, but she always eats Chinese food – perhaps she’d like a change, try something different?
Fadi: All the restaurants Johnny goes too are really expensive! Take your credit card if you go there!
Johnny: I like to spend my money well!
Carlos: I thought I could cook something for her. I want to be a chef, you know.
Johnny: Yes, we know.
Fadi: Yes, we know.
Fadi: Don’t invite her to your house on a first date, though.
Carlos: No? Why not?
Fadi: It looks too pushy, too forward.
Carlos: Oh, I see.
Johnny: Yeah... take it slowly!
Carlos: Oh, OK. She’s coming to the café soon, so we’ll talk about it then.
Olivia: Hello guys!
Harry: Alright!?
Fadi: Yeah, I’m fine mate. You?
Harry: Hmm... Not so great...
Fadi: What’s up?
Harry: Bindyu’s really angry with me.
Johnny: Why’s that?
Harry: She thinks I’m spending too much time with Olivia.
Olivia: But it’s work! I told Bindyu that Harry’s helping me to fix my webpages.
Fadi: Is she jealous?
Harry: Shhhh! Be quiet! Here she is now!
Harry: Hi!
Bindyu: Hello Harry! Hi all!
All: Hello!
Bindyu: Hello Olivia.
Olivia: Hello.
Bindyu: Did Harry help you to fix your website?
Olivia: Well, not quite. He still needs to do some more work.
Bindyu: Hmmppph.
Olivia: Listen, I’ve got an idea – why don’t you both come to my flat this evening? Harry can do some work for me, and I’ll make dinner for everyone.
Harry: OK! What do you think Bindyu?
Bindyu: Well, OK, I suppose so.
Olivia: Erm, there is just one problem – I have to look after my nephew Joe this evening. He’s very, erm, energetic....
Bindyu: Oh, that’s OK... I love children!
Olivia: Great! Well, I’ll see you all this evening!
Bindyu: We’ll come about seven o’clock! Come on Harry, we have to go now.
Harry: Er, OK, yeah... Bye everyone!
All: Bye!
Fadi: So Olivia, you’re spending a lot of time with Harry!
Olivia: Oh shut up you! Are you jealous as well?

Fadi: Me? No! No way!

Olivia: Good. You’ve got lots of girlfriends, haven’t you?

Fadi: Me? Oh yeah. Hundreds!

Carlos: It’s Sarah!

Sarah: Hello all!

Carlos: Hi there!

Sarah: Hi Carlos!

Carlos: Hey!

Sarah: Listen, I’ve only got a minute, I can’t stay.

Carlos: Er… OK...

Sarah: I just wanted to say, I’ve got an invitation to a new art gallery opening this evening.

Carlos: Great.

Sarah: Would you like to come with me?

Carlos: Erm, er, yeah! Sure!

Sarah: Great! I’ll meet you here at six!

Carlos: OK. See you later then. Bye!

Sarah: See you later! Bye!

Fadi: Hey! That’s your date!

Johnny: Now you don’t have to worry about where to take her!

Carlos: But… but… I am worried! I don’t know anything about art! What will I say?

Fadi & Johnny:

You’re going to find out!

Answers

1. Would you like to come with me?
2. I’ll meet you here at six!
3. Er… OK...
4. You’re going to find out!

Grammar Task:

Complete the sentences:

- I’d like to spend my money well.
- I don’t have any money.
- I’d love to learn a new language.

- What are you doing to learn it?
- What are you doing to learn English?