

# Vision 1

## Lesson One

### Part A

#### Conversation

Maryam is visiting the Museum of Nature and Wildlife. She's talking to Mr. Razavi, who works in the museum.

**Maryam:** Excuse me, what is it? Is it a leopard?

**Mr. Razavi:** No, it is a cheetah.

**Maryam:** Oh, a cheetah?

**Mr. Razavi:** Yeah, an Iranian cheetah. It is an endangered animal.

**Maryam:** I know. I heard around 70 of them are alive. Yes?

**Mr. Razavi:** Right, but the number will increase.

**Maryam:** Really?! How?

**Mr. Razavi:** Well, we have some plans. For example, we are going to protect their homes, to make movies about their life, and to teach people how to take more care of them.

### Part B

#### Reading

##### Endangered Animals

Today, there are some endangered animals on Earth. It means that we can find only a few of them around us. Some examples are whales, pandas, tigers and Asian elephants.

Humans destroy the natural homes of the animals in the forests, lakes, and plains. When the number of people on Earth increases, they need more places for living. They cut down trees and destroy lakes. They make homes and roads instead. Then the animals won't have a place to live. They will die out.

The Iranian cheetah is among these animals. This wild animal lives only in the plains of Iran. Now there are only a few Iranian cheetahs alive. If people take care of them, there is hope for this beautiful animal to live.

Recently, families pay more attention to nature, students learn about saving wildlife, and some hunters don't go hunting anymore. In this way, the number of cheetahs is going to increase in the future.

## Part C

### Listening and Speaking

**A:** What are you going to do this weekend?

**B:** I am going to go to Golestan Forest.

**A:** Are you going to visit a museum?

**B:** No, I am going to go out and enjoy wildlife.

## Part D

### Conversation 1

**A:** Where are you going to do in summer?

**B:** I am going to go to Brazil.

**A:** Really? What will you do there?

**B:** I will visit people and places.

**A:** What's interesting about Brazil?

**B:** Well, its nature and wild animals.

1. Alice is going to go to .....

2. Alice will visit .....

### Conversation 2

**A:** Are you going to stay home this weekend, Shahab?

**B:** No, we aren't. We'll go out.

**A:** Where will you go?

**B:** We'll visit our relatives in Varamin.

**A:** Will you do anything else? **B:** I am not sure yet.

1. Shahab is going to .....

2. His family will .....

## Part E

### What you learned

#### listen to a report about Earth:

Earth is the home of living things. People, animals, and plants live on Earth. There are many beautiful lakes, plains, and forests. There were many more beautiful things here before, but humans destroyed them. They hunted animals and harmed nature.

1. What is Earth? ..... 2. Humans ..... nature.

## Lesson Two

### Part A

#### Conversation

**Alireza is visiting an observatory. He is talking to Ms. Tabesh who works there.**

**Ms. Tabesh:** Are you interested in the planets?

**Alireza:** Yes! They are really interesting for me, but I don't know much about them.

**Ms. Tabesh:** Planets are really amazing but not so much alike. Do you know how they are different?

**Alireza:** Umm... I know they go around the Sun in different orbits.

**Ms. Tabesh:** That's right. They have different colors and sizes, too.

Some are rocky like Mars, some have rings like Saturn and some have moons like Uranus.

**Alireza:** How wonderful! Can we see them without a telescope?

**Ms. Tabesh:** Yeah..., we can see the planets nearer to us without a telescope, such as Mercury, Venus, Mars, Jupiter and Saturn. We can see Uranus and Neptune only with powerful telescopes.

**Alireza:** And which planet is the largest of all?

**Ms. Tabesh:** Jupiter is the largest one. It has more than sixty moons.  
Do you want to look at it?

**Alireza:** I really like that.

### Part B

#### Reading

##### A Wonderful Liquid

The human body is a real wonder. It is sometimes good to think about our body and how it works. Our body is doing millions of jobs all the time.

One of the most important parts of the body is blood. The heart pumps this red liquid around the body. This keeps us healthy and alive. More than half of blood is plasma. This is a clear and yellow liquid.

It carries red and white cells. There are millions of red blood cells in one small drop of blood. They carry oxygen round the body and collect carbon dioxide from body parts. There are thousands of white cells in a drop of blood. They are bigger than red cells. They defend our body against microbes.

This wonderful liquid is a great gift from Allah. We can thank Allah by keeping our body healthy. One way to do that is eating healthy food and doing daily exercises. Another way is to donate our blood to those who need it.

## Part C

### Listening and Speaking

**A:** How was the movie?

**B:** It was very interesting. I am going to watch it again.

**A:** Was it an old film?

**B:** Yeah, actually it was black and white.

## Part D

### Conversation 1

**A:** I bought a dress for my mother's birthday.

**B:** Good. What color was it?

**A:** It was red. It was really beautiful.

**B:** Was it expensive?

**A:** No, it was not.

**B:** Did she like it?

**A:** Yeah, she got very happy when she saw it.

1. She bought ..... . a. a dress    b. a coat
2. It was .....    a. cheap    b. expensive

### Conversation 2

**A:** Do you cook?

**B:** Yes, sometimes. I like cooking healthy food.

**A:** Is it difficult to cook?

**B:** No, actually it is very easy.

**A:** Who helps you when you cook?

**B:** My mother and my younger sister.

**A:** How interesting! Can you tell me how to cook?

**B:** Yes, of course,

1. She likes to cook .....    a. fast food    b. healthy food
2. Cooking is .....    a. easy    b. difficult

## Part E

### What you learned

listen to a passage that lists five interesting things about our brain:

1. The brain is more active at night than during the day.
  2. Most part of the brain is water.
  3. When you laugh five different parts of the brain are active.
  4. Information moves in the brain faster than the fastest cars.
  5. When the brain does not have good and healthy food, it becomes smaller.
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1. The brain becomes smaller when ..... doesn't .....enough .....
  2. When you laugh ..... parts of the .....are .....

## Lesson Three

### Part A

#### Conversation

**Roya and Mahsa are leaving the library.**

**Roya:** When I came in, you were reading a book. What was it?

**Mahsa:** I was reading a book about famous Iranian scientists.

**Roya:** But such books are not very interesting.

**Mahsa:** At first, I had the same idea, believe me!

**Roya:** Did you find it useful?

**Mahsa:** Oh yes. Actually, I learned many interesting things about our scientists' lives.

**Roya:** Like what?

**Mahsa:** For example, Razi taught medicine to many young people while he was working in Ray Hospital Or Nasireddin Toosi built Maragheh Observatory when he was studying the planets.

**Roya:** Cool! What was the name of the book?

**Mahsa:** Famous Iranian Scientists.

### Part B

#### Reading

##### No Pain No Gain

Human knowledge develops with scientists' hard work. Many great men and women try hard to find facts, solve problems and invent things.

Some of these scientists did not have easy lives. But they tried hard when they were working on problems. They never felt weak when they were studying. They never gave up when they were doing research.

There are great stories about scientists and their lives. One such a story is about Thomas Edison. As a young boy, Edison was very interested in science. He was very energetic and always asked questions. Sadly, young Edison lost his hearing at the age of 12. He did not attend school and learned science by reading books in the library himself. When he grew up he worked in different places, but he never lost his interest for making things. Edison was famous for doing thousands of experiments to find answers to problems. He said, "I never quit until I get what I'm after". Edison had more than 1,000 inventions and was very successful at the end of his life. Many great names had stories like this. But the key to their success is their hard work and belief in themselves. If you want to get what you want, work hard and never give up.



## Part E

### What you learned

Sajjad is a journalist. Yesterday at 5 o'clock, he was taking pictures in a park. He was taking pictures of people and birds. He saw a fire when he was walking in the park. It was an old building. Some people called 125. Sajjad was waiting there for the firefighters. He was taking some pictures of the fire when the firefighters arrived.

1. Sajjad was .....pictures when ..... came to help .
2. What was Sajjad doing in the park? .....
3. What is Sajjad? .....



## Lesson Four

### Part A

#### Conversation

**Diego is a Spanish tourist who is planning for his summer vacation. He is talking to Carlos Sabato, a travel agent in Madrid.**

**Diego:** Excuse me, sir! I am planning for my summer vacation.

**Carlos:** How can I help you?

**Diego:** Actually, I want to visit Asia, but I am not sure about my destination. Do you have any suggestion?

**Carlos:** Well, you may have some choices. You can visit China. It is famous for the Great Wall.

**Diego:** Yes, but I was in Beijing two years ago.

**Carlos:** What about India? In fact, the Taj Mahal is a popular destination, but it is hot in summer. Probably Iran is the best choice.

**Diego:** I heard Iran is a great and beautiful country, but I don't know much about it.

**Carlos:** Well, Iran is a four-season country. It has many historical sites and amazing nature. Also, its people are very kind and hospitable.

**Diego:** It seems a suitable choice. But how can I get more information about Iran?

**Carlos:** You can check this booklet or may see our website.

### Part B

#### Reading

##### Iran: A True Paradise

Every year, about one billion tourists travel around the world. Tourism is traveling for entertainment, health, sport or learning about the culture of a nation. Tourism can be domestic or international. Domestic tourists travel to different parts of their own country. International tourists travel abroad.

Some countries attract a lot of tourists every year. Egypt is one of the oldest countries of Africa. It is famous for its wonderful pyramids. France, Italy and Spain are three beautiful European countries. They attract many tourists from other parts of the world. Brazil, Peru and Chile are in South America. They are famous for their ancient history and amazing nature.

In Asia, Iran is a great destination for tourists. This beautiful country is a true paradise for people of the world. Each year, many people from all parts of the world visit Iran's attractions. Iran is a four-season country and tourists can find a range of activities from skiing to desert touring in different parts of the country. Many Muslims

also travel to Iran and go to holy shrines in Mashhad, Qom and Shiraz. Iranian people are hospitable and kind to travelers and tourists.

## Part C

### Listening and Speaking

**A:** May I use your camera for my trip?

**B:** Honestly, no. I need it this week. You should buy a camera for yourself.

**A:** But I can't pay for it now. I should pay for the ticket and other things.

**B:** Well, you may ask Parvin. She can help you.

## Part D

### Conversation 1

**A:** Are you OK?

**B:** No, I feel sick. I should visit a doctor.

**A:** Can you go yourself?

**B:** I called my wife. She is on her way.

**A:** Can I help you?

**B:** Yes, please help me go out.

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| 1. The man is ..... | a. OK      | b. sick     |
| 2. Who is coming?   | a. his son | b. his wife |

### Conversation 2

**A:** Teacher, may I go out?

**B:** What's wrong?

**A:** I must take my medicine at 9.

**B:** OK, you may go. But you should come back soon.

**A:** Yes, mam. Thank you .

1. What must the girl do at 9? .....
2. Should she come back soon? .....

## Part E

### What you learned

#### listen to a radio program about traveling:

It is very difficult to find your favorite food when you travel. Sometimes it is even difficult to find healthy food. Besides, the prices of foods may be so high on the roads or in airports. Long trips may make you tired and weak and this can increase the risk of illness. So you should eat well while you are traveling.

1. The prices of .....may be so .....on the roads or in the .....
2. Long trips may make you ..... and ..... and this can ..... the risk of illness.