

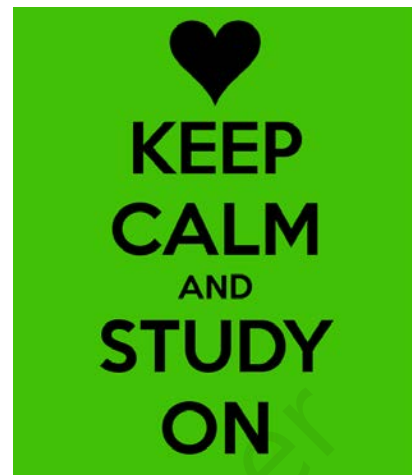
Unit 6, lesson 1

Learning is fun!



1. **World record:** παγκόσμιο ρεκόρ
2. **Knowledge quiz:** κουίζ γνώσεων
3. **Mountain:** βουνό
4. **Dictionary:** λεξικό
5. **Present:** παρουσιάζω
6. **Gift:** δώρο
7. **Mid-morning snack:** κολατσιό, δεκατιανό
8. **Glide:** γλιστρώ
9. **Glider:** ανεμόπτερο
10. **Exciting:** συναρπαστικός
11. **Modern:** μοντέρνος
12. **Old-fashioned:** παλιομοδίτικος
13. **Fun:** διασκέδαση (**I'm having fun:** περνώ καλά)
14. **Fast:** γρήγορος
15. **Easy:** εύκολος
16. **Difficult:** δύσκολος
17. **Exactly:** ακριβώς
18. **Tourist attraction:** τουριστικό αξιοθέατο
19. **Amusement arcade:** a venue where people play video games etc.
20. **Compare:** συγκρίνω
21. **Lucky:** τυχερός
22. **Anywhere:** παντού
23. **All expenses paid:** όλα τα έξοδα πληρωμένα
24. **Exchange:** ανταλλάζω
25. **Destination:** προορισμός
26. **In order to:** για να, με σκοπό να
27. **So as to:** για να
28. **Preference:** προτίμηση
29. **Share:** μοιράζομαι
30. **Contrast:** συγκρίνω, αντιπαραβάλλω
31. **Countryside:** εξοχή
32. **Worry about:** ανησυχώ για
33. **Chat (v):** κουβεντιάζω
34. **Breathe (v):** αναπνέω
35. **Breath (n):** ανάσα, αναπνοή
36. **Safe:** ασφαλής

37. **To be cut off:** είμαι αποκομμένος
38. **Offer:** προσφορά
39. **Agree:** συμφωνώ
40. **Disagree:** διαφωνώ
41. **Population:** πληθυσμός
42. **Average:** μέσο όρο
43. **Monthly:** μηνιαίος
44. **Temperate:** θερμοκρασία
45. **Daily occupancy:** κυκλοφοριακή ροή
46. **Exclude:** αποκλείω
47. **Size:** μέγεθος



Lesson 2

1. **Performer:**
2. **Aircraft:** αεροσκάφος
3. **Retire:** συνταξιοδοτούμαι
4. **Circuit:** κύκλωμα
5. **Currently:** επί του παρόντος
6. **Public relations company:** εταιρεία δημοσίων σχέσεων
7. **Residence:** κατοικία
8. **Belong to:** ανήκω σε
9. **Balance:** ισορροπία
10. **Balanced:** ισορροπημένος
11. **Gigantic:** τεράστιος, γιγαντιαίος
12. **Neck:** λαιμός
13. **Venomous:** δηλητηριώδης
14. **Length:** μήκος
15. **Width:** πλάτος
16. **Swallow:** καταπίνω
17. **Prey:** λεία (birds of prey: αρπακτικά πουλιά)
18. **Poison:** δηλητήριο
19. **Whole:** ολόκληρος
20. **Research:** έρευνα, μελέτη
21. **Layout:** plan
22. **Above:** από πάνω

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WHICH IS THE “TALLEST” BUILDING IN THE WORLD?

Since the dawn of history man has been trying to build the ‘tallest building’, ‘tallest tower’ or ‘tallest structure’ in the world. During the first 90 years of this century, the USA dominated the race for the title of the tallest building in the world, and constructed a range of famous buildings that sometimes only for a few months, and sometimes for many years, were widely recognized as being the ‘tallest building’ in the world.

In 1974, Chicago’s Sears Tower was completed, and generally seen as the ‘tallest building’ in the world. Sears held on to that title for over 20 years. But since the nineties the USA gets some stiff competition from Asia. In 1996 this resulted in the completion of the Petronas Twin Towers in Kuala Lumpur. From that moment on a sort of media clash was unleashed. All over the world people debated about the question which one was the tallest; Sears or Petronas. Now the answer to this question seems so easy. Just measure both buildings from bottom to top, and the tallest one gets the title. Question answered, case closed, no more debate needed. Forget it! As usual, life is not that simple. One could consider how to measure these buildings. For example, do we take in account spires and antennas? To end this discussion, the Council on Tall Buildings and Urban Habitat made a compromise. They defined 4 categories for measuring tall buildings; Height to the structural or architectural top.

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