# 6 Living history

## **Glossary**

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- ruins (n pl) /'ruːɪnz/
  parts of damaged buildings, often very old
  Many tourists visit Greece to see the famous ruins of its ancient civilisation. ➤ ruin (v)
  die Ruinen (plural)
- historical (adj) /hɪs'torɪkl/
  related to history I've just read a historical
  novel about the French revolution in the 18th
  century. ➤ history (n), historic (adj)
   geschichtlicher/e/es
- site (n) /saɪt/
  a place (of archaeological importance)
  London Bridge is the most popular site in London. ❖ die Stätte

## Reading Pages 66-67

- pottery (n) /'potəri/
  plates, vases, etc. made with soft earth called
  clay and baked in an oven The souvenir
  shop sold bowls, mugs and other hand-made
  pottery. ❖ die Töpferwaren (plural), das
  Steinzeug (singular)
- silk (n) /sɪlk/
  a type of soft thin cloth that an insect makes
  She was wearing a silk shirt. ❖ die Seide
- trade (v) /treɪd/
   to buy and sell The company trades in goods from China. ➤ trade, trading (n), trader (n)
   handeln
- 6.7 route (n) /ruːt/ the way from one place to another ● What's the shortest route to York from Liverpool?
  ❖ die Strecke
- 6.8 originally (adv) /əˈrɪdʒənəli/ at first • Originally, this building was a factory before it was turned into flats. ➤ origin (n), original (adj, n), originate (v) ❖ ursprünglich
- 6.9 stretch (for) (v) /stret∫ (fɔː)/
  to cover a large area of land between two
  places The Gobi Desert stretches for over
  a thousand kilometres between Mongolia and
  China. ❖ sich erstrecken (über)
- **6.10 generally** (adv) /'dʒenərəli/ usually; in general • Generally, I don't often travel by plane, but I enjoy it when I get the chance. ➤ general (adj) ❖ im Allgemeinen

- **6.11** section (n) /'sek∫n/ one of the parts of sth • Only a small section of the road is suitable for bicycles. ❖ der Abschnitt
- 6.12 pass (sth) on (phr v) /pais ('sʌmθiŋ) pn/ to give sth to sb after you have received or used it • Did you pass on my message to Dora? ❖ (etw.) an jdn. weitergeben
- 6.13 trader (n) /treider/
   a person who buys and sells goods My
   grandfather was a sugar trader all his life.
   ➤ trade (v, n), trading (n) ❖ der/die Händler/-in
- 6.14 trading post (n) /'treɪdɪŋ pəʊst/
  a small place which is built for people to buy
  and sell goods far away from a town The
  farmers took their animals to sell at the trading
  post. ❖ der Handelsposten
- 6.15 goods (n pl) /gʊdz/
  things that belong to sb and that can be moved
  The stolen goods were returned to Mr
  Edwards. ❖ die Ware (singular)
- 6.16 fabric (n) /ˈfæbrɪk/
  material This coat is made of thick, warm
  fabric. ❖ das Gewebe
- 6.17 historian (n) /hr'stɔ:riən/
  sb who studies history A famous historian
  is going to present a TV documentary about
  ancient Rome. ➤ history (n), historic, historical
  (adj) ❖ der/die Historiker/-in
- spice (n) /spaɪs/
  a powder from a plant that you put in food to make it taste better My mum uses a lot of spices in her cooking. ➤ spicy (adj)
  das Gewürz
- 6.19 cotton (n) /ˈkɒtn/
  cloth made from the white hair of the cotton
  plant When it's very hot, you should wear
  clothes made of cotton. ❖ die Baumwolle
- 6.20 gunpowder (n) /ˈgʌnpaʊdə(r)/
  a kind of powder used in bombs, bullets or
  fireworks to make explosions The thieves
  used gunpowder to open the doors in the
  bank. ❖ das Schießpulver
- 6.21 lasting (adj) /ˈlɑːstɪŋ/
  continuing for a long time They've had a
  lasting friendship since they met at university.

  ❖ dauerhafter/e/es, anhaltender/e/es

- 6.22 military (adj) /'mɪlətri/
  related to a country's armed forces, especially soldiers We watched the soldiers marching in the military parade. ❖ militärischer/e/es,
  Militär-
- 6.23 leaflet (n) /ˈliːflɪt/
  a piece of paper or a few pages that advertise
  sth or give information about sth The shop
  assistants handed out these leaflets which give
  details of prices and special offers. ❖ der Flyer,
  das Prospekt
- 6.24 continent (n) /ˈkɒntɪnənt/
  one of the seven main areas of land on Earth,
  e.g. Africa, Asia, etc. Italy is situated
  in the south of the continent of Europe.
  ➤ continental (adv) ❖ der Kontinent
- 6.25 literature (n) /ˈlɪtrətʃə(r)/
  novels, plays and poetry He enjoys reading
  South American literature. ❖ die Literatur
- 6.26 physical (adj) /ˈfɪzɪkl/ that can be seen, felt or touched ● The map showed the physical features of the land, like the hills and rivers. ➤ physically (adv) ♣ materieller/e/es
- 6.27 cellist (n) /'t∫elɪst/
  a musician who plays the cello Andy is
  one of the best cellists in the country at the
  moment. ❖ der/die Cellist/-in
- 6.28 ancient (adj) /'eɪnʃənt/
  very old The ancient statue was found under
  the castle ruins. ❖ altertümlicher/e/es
- 6.29 collaboration (n) /kə,læbə'reɪʃn/
  the process of working together to achieve
  something The summer activity project for
  schoolchildren is run in collaboration with
  local volunteers. ➤ collaborate (v) ❖ die
  Zusammenarbeit
- 6.30 fireworks (n pl) /ˈfaɪəwɜːks/
  colourful explosions of light in the sky, usually
  used for celebrations We watched the
  fireworks in the sky from our balcony on New
  Year's Eve. ❖ das Feuerwerk (singular)
- army (n) /'ɑːmi/ a country's organised military group who are trained to fight on land • Napoleon's army was finally defeated by the Russians. ❖ das Militär, die Armee
- 6.32 navy (n) /'neɪvi/
  a country's organised military group who are trained to fight at sea Alan was a ship's captain in the British Navy. ➤ naval (adj)
  ❖ die Marine
- airforce (n) /'eə fɔːs/
  a country's organised military group who are
  trained to use aircraft to fight in the air He
  joined the airforce to become a pilot in a fighter
  plane. ❖ die Luftwaffe

## Vocabulary Page 68

- exhibit (n) /ɪgˈzɪbɪt/
  an object of interest in a museum The
  best exhibit in this museum is the dinosaur
  skeleton. ➤ exhibit (v), exhibition (n) ❖ das
  Exponat, das Ausstellungsstück
- archaeologist (n) /ˌɑːkiˈblədʒɪst/
  sb who studies the cultures of the past by
  researching old buildings and things found
  in the ground A team of archaeologists
  uncovered the streets of the ancient city
  below the museum. ➤ archaeology (n),
  archaeological (adj) ❖ der Archäologe/die
  Archäologin
- 6.36 investigate (v) /ɪnˈvestɪgeɪt/ to try to find out the truth about sth like a crime or scientific problem • The police are investigating the theft of the painting from the museum. ➤ investigation, investigator (n) • untersuchen
- historic (adj) /hɪs'torɪk/
   that is an important part of history The ancient market is one of the city's most famous historic places. ➤ history (n), historical (adj)
   historischer/e/es
- 6.38 preserve (v) /prr'z₃:v/ to save sth from being destroyed • The body of the animal was preserved in the ice. >> preservation (n) ❖ erhalten
- 6.39 destroy (v) /dɪs'trɔɪ/ to ruin ● Sadly, the historic art college and library were destroyed by fire. ➤ destruction (n), destructive (adj) ❖ zerstören
- 6.40 invade (v) /In'veɪd/ to go into another country, town, etc. with an army to take control of it • The Romans invaded France in 121 BCE. ➤ invader, invasion (n) ❖ einfallen in
- a building made in a solid triangular shape whose sides join in a point at the top Several pyramids were built in different parts of Ancient Egypt. ❖ die Pyramide
- temple (n) /'templ/
   a building used for the worship of a god or gods One of the most famous ancient temples of Apollo is situated at Delphi.
   der Tempel
- the Middle Ages (n) /ðə ˌmɪdl 'eɪdʒɪz/ the period of European history from about the 6th to the 15th century The fortress at the top of the hill was built during the Middle Ages.
   das Mittelalter

- 6.45 catch fire (phr) /kæt∫ 'faɪə/
  to begin to burn When we were cooking on
  the barbeque, the wooden fence caught fire.
  ❖ in Brand geraten
- 6.46 replace (v) /rr'pleɪs/
  to put sth new in the place of sth old Robots
  have already replaced people in many
  factories. ➤ replacement (n) ❖ ersetzen
- 6.47 mediaeval (adj) /ˌmediˈiːvl/
  of the Middle Ages We visited some
  mediaeval castles on our tour of western
  France. ❖ mittelalterlicher/e/es, Mittelalter-
- 6.48 civilisation (n) /ˌsɪvəlarˈzeɪʃn/
  the way people live together in organised
  groups with laws, a government, etc. It's
  an article about the importance of technology
  in modern civilisation. ➤ civilised (adj)

  ❖ die Zivilisation
- 6.49 emperor (n) /'empərə(r)/
  the person who rules a group of countries or
  states Julius Caesar was a powerful Roman
  emperor. ❖ der Kaiser
- artefact (n) /'ɑːtɪfækt/
  an object that is historically interesting

   There are many interesting artefacts at the new museum. ❖ das Artefakt № Also: artifact (US Eng)
- narrow (adj) /'næroʊ/
  measuring a small distance from one side
  to the other The path is narrow, so people
  can only go along it one at a time. ➤ narrowly
  (adv) ❖ schmaler/e/es ⑤ Opp: wide
- 6.52 tomb (n) /tuːm/ a large grave ● When the rich man died, he was buried in the family tomb. ❖ die Gruft
- era (n) /'ɪərə/
  a period that is different from other periods
  because of particular characteristics, events,
  etc. We are living in an era of change.

  die Ära, die Epoche
- the royal family (n) /ðə ˌrɔɪəl ˈfæməli/
  the present king or queen and their close
  family members Philip became a member of
  the British royal family when he married Queen
  Elizabeth II. ❖ die königliche Familie
- extremely valuable The Mona Lisa is priceless and it's impossible to say how much it would be worth. ➤ price (n)

   unbezahlbarer/e/es ◎ Opp: worthless, valueless

## Grammar Page 69

- 6.57 treasure (n) /'treʒə(r)/ valuable things such as gold or jewellery • In the book, the children had an adventure and found the treasure. ❖ der Schatz
- 6.58 colleague (n) /ˈkɒliːg/ sb you work with ● My colleagues usually arrive at work at 9 a.m. and leave at 5 p.m. ❖ der Kollege/die Kollegin

## Listening Page 70

- ash (n) /æʃ/
  soft grey powder that remains after sth has
  burnt Black ash covered the sun when the
  volcano erupted. ❖ die Asche
- 6.60 lava (n) /ˈlɑːvə/
  hot melted rocks that come out of a volcano

   The hot lava poured down towards the
  village when the volcano erupted. ❖ die Lava
- 6.61 erupt (v) /r¹r∧pt/
  If a volcano erupts, it sends fire, smoke and rocks into the sky. People had to leave their homes when the volcano erupted. ➤ eruption (n) ❖ ausbrechen
- arrangement (n) /əˈreɪnʤmənt/
  a plan for an event or action We've made
  arrangements to meet tonight. ➤ arrange (v)
  die Vorkehrung
- eruption (n) /ɪˈrʌpʃən/
  when a volcano throws out a lot of hot ash, lava
  and steam The volcanic eruption of Vesuvius
  in 79 CE completely destroyed the city of
  Pompeii. ➤ erupt (v) ❖ der Ausbruch
- absolutely (adv) /ˈæbsəluːtli/ completely • Are you absolutely sure?
   ❖ völlig, absolut
- terrifying (adj) /'terrfaɪɪŋ/
  very frightening They heard a terrifying
  scream in the middle of the night and were
  very shocked. ➤ terrifying (adj), terrify (v),
  terror (n) ❖ schreckenerregender/e/es
- 6.66 flow (v) /fləʊ/
  to move easily in one direction The River
  Thames flows through Southern England.
  >> flow (n) ❖ fließen

## Speaking Page 71

- 6.67 effective (adj) /ɪˈfektɪv/
  sth that works well Swimming is an effective
  way of keeping fit. ❖ wirksamer/e/es,
  effektiver/e/es
- 6.68 monument (n) /ˈmɒnjʊmənt/ an old building which is an important part of a country's history • The Colosseum in Rome is a famous monument. ❖ das Baudenkmal
- discount (n) /'dɪskaʊnt/
   a reduction in the usual price of sth There is a ten per cent discount on these shoes.
   ❖ die Ermäßigung

### **Archaeology and history**

ancient historic ruins archaeologist historical shipwreck artefact the Middle Ages statue craft medieval site civilisation monument temple dig up pottery treasure historian tomb pyramid

## Grammar Page 72

- 6.70 loaf (n) /ləʊf/
  an amount of bread that is cooked in a shape

   He bought a loaf of sliced bread to make sandwiches. ❖ der Laib
- 6.71 statue (n) /'stætʃuː/
  a figure of a person, animal or object that sb
  makes from stone or metal There's a statue
  of Lord Nelson in Trafalgar Square in London.
  ❖ die Statue

## Use your English Page 73

- 6.72 pass down (phr v) /pass daon/
  to give or teach sth to the younger generation
  which they will continue to do or keep and give
  to the next generation Traditional pottery
  making methods have been passed down for
  centuries on the island. ❖ weiterreichen
- 6.73 date back (to) (phr v) /dert 'bæk (to)/
  to have existed (since) That building dates
  back to 1922. ❖ zurückdatieren (auf)
- dig up (phr v) /dig ∧p/ excavate; remove sth from the ground that was buried • Many interesting things were dug up during the excavation. ❖ ausgraben
- 6.75 ask around (phr v) /aːsk əˈraʊnd/
  to ask several different people to try and get
  some information I have never been to
  Zurich, but I'll ask around and see if anyone
  can recommend a hotel there. ❖ sich umhören

- 6.76 burn down (phr v) /bɜːn daʊn/
   to completely destroy with fire Thousands of forests are burnt down every summer.
   ❖ niederbrennen, abbrennen
- 6.77 die out (phr v) /daɪ aʊt/
   become extinct or disappear Neanderthals died out thousands of years ago.
   ❖ aussterben
- analysis (n) /ə'næləsɪs/
  a scientific examination of sth in order to
  understand it better An analysis of the bone
  structure showed that the mummy was a
  tteenager. ➤ analyse (v), analytical (adj)
  die Analyse
- 6.79 analytical (adj) /ˌænəˈlɪtɪkl/
  very detailed and logical; involving analysis
  The child has an analytical mind and wants
  to know how everything works. ➤ analyse (v),
  analysis (n) ❖ analytischer/e/es
- 6.80 repetitive (adj) /rr'petətrv/
  involving doing or saying the same thing
  again and again I can't stand doing the
  same repetitive tasks every day. I need to be
  challenged. ➤ repeat (v), repetition (n)

  monotoner/e/es
- 6.81 proven (adj) /'pruːvn/ that has been proved to be true ● If you have proven experience as a researcher, I'm sure you'll get the job. >> prove (v), proof (n) ♣ nachgewiesener/e/es
- 6.82 conclusive (adj) /kənˈkluːsɪv/
  showing that sth is true; ending any doubt
   We were all convinced by the conclusive
  evidence that the vase did, in fact, date back
  to 1200 BCE. ➤ conclude (v), conclusion (n)
  ❖ schlüssiger/e/es 

  Opp: inconclusive
- 6.83 conclusion (n) /kənˈkluːʒn/
  a final opinion The conclusion of my report
  is that the school curriculum should include
  Chinese as a foreign language. ➤ conclude (v)
  ❖ das Fazit, die Schlussfolgerung
- identify (v) /ar'dentrfar/
   to find or discover who/what sb/sth is Can you identify the people in this old photo?
   ⇒ identification, identity (n), identical (adj)
   rekennen, identifizieren
- 6.85 craft (n) /krɑːft/
  a profession for which you need a special skill
  As a film director, he is very proud of his craft and wants all his work to be perfect. ❖ das Handwerk
- 6.86 remove (v) /rr'muːv/
  to take sth away from somewhere or off sth
  They have removed the painting from the museum. ❖ entfernen

experienced (adj) /ɪksˈpɪərɪənst/
with experience • The experienced
photographer had an exhibition of her images.

> experience (n, v) ❖ erfahrener/e/es

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#### Phrasal verbs

ask around date back (to) dig up burn down die out pass down

## Writing Pages 74-75

6.88 slightly (adv) /'slaɪtli/
a little • He was slightly annoyed that he didn't
have more time to see all of the museum.

➤ slight (adj) ❖ leicht, etwas

disappointed (adj) /ˌdɪsə'pɔɪntɪd/
unhappy when sth doesn't go as well as you
wanted it to • I felt so disappointed that the
archaeological site was closed when we went
to see it. ➤ disappoint (v), disappointing (adj),
disappointment (n) ❖ enttäuschter/e/es

6.90 utterly (adv) /'ʌtəli/
completely ● Dad looked utterly ridiculous in
the Thanksgiving turkey costume. ➤ utter (adj)
♦ total

freezing (adj) /ˈfriːzɪŋ/
very cold; at a temperature below zero ● You
look absolutely freezing! Would you like some
hot soup? ➤ freeze (v) ❖ eiskalter/e/es

6.92 terribly (adv) /'terəbli/ very • It gets terribly hot here in summer. Sometimes it's over 40°C. ➤ terrible (adj) • furchtbar

enormous (adj) /r'nɔ:məs/
extremely large • That pie is enormous. Who's
going to eat it all? ➤ enormously (adv)
• enormer/e/es, riesiger/e/es Syn: huge

6.94 bet (v) /bet/
to say that you're sure sth is true or will
happen ● I bet the phone will ring as soon as I
get in the shower. ❖ wetten

6.95 single (adj) /'sɪŋgl/ particular; specific ● The app crashes every single time I try to open it on the laptop. ❖ einzelner/e/es

6.96 highlight (n) /ˈhaɪlaɪt/
the best moment ● The highlight of the year
was our school trip to the Natural History
Museum. ➤ highlight (v) ❖ der Höhepunkt

6.97 not believe (my) eyes (expr) /not bəli:v (maɪ) aɪz/
to be very surprised by what I see ● I couldn't
believe my eyes when I opened the door and
saw her. ❖ seinen Augen nicht trauen

6.98 craftsman (n) /ˈkrɑːftsmən/
sb who makes things skilfully with their hands
• A craftsman made these hand-made chairs.

> craftsmanship (n) ❖ der Handwerker

6.99 relate (v) /rɪˈleɪt/ to explain events or tell a story • He related his memories of the climbing trip. ➤ relation (n) • erzählen

6.100 unbelievable (adj) /ˌʌnbɪˈliːvəbl/
that you can't believe is true or possible
An unbelievable number of fans attended the concert at the stadium. ➤ unbelievably (adv)
\$\text{unglaublicher/e/es} \sigma \text{Opp: believable}

## Video Page 76

6.101 diver (n) /'daɪvə(r)/ a person who works underwater, usually with special equipment; a person who dives for pleasure ● The divers found the treasure at the bottom of the sea. ➤ dive (v, n) ❖ der/die Taucher/-in

6.102 boulder (n) /'bəʊldə(r)/
a huge rock • We felt lucky to be alive when
the boulder rolled down the mountain and
landed in front of us. ❖ der Felsblock

6.103 crown (n) /kraʊn/
a circular object, usually made of valuable
metal and jewels, worn by a king or queen at
official events ● Queen Victoria's priceless
diamond crown, made in 1870, is on display in
the Tower of London. ❖ die Krone

emblem (n) /'emblem/
a symbol that represents a country, family
or organisation, etc. ● Her school uniform
includes a small emblem with an image of an
open book. ❖ das Abzeichen

definition (n) /ˌgləʊbəlarˈzeɪʃn/
the fact that cultures and lifestyles around the world are becoming similar due to international trade and communications • As a result of globalisation, many of the goods we buy are made very cheaply by low-paid workers in the world's poorest countries. ➤ globalise (v)
die Globalisierung

instantaneously (adv) /,ɪnstənˈteɪniəsli/
immediately ● This app allows you
to upload photos instantaneously to
several websites without wasting time.

instantaneous (adj) ❖ augenblicklich, sofort

- 6.108 relatively (adv) / relətivli/
  compared with sth else; comparatively The
  exam was relatively easy compared with the
  practice exercises we did in class. ➤ relate (v),
  relative (adj) ❖ relativ
- **6.109 symbol** (n) /'sɪmbl/ sth that represents an idea • *The olive tree is* a symbol of peace. ➤ symbolise (v), symbolic (adj) ❖ das Symbol, das Sinnbild
- 6.110 circular (adj) /'sɜːkjələ(r)/
  that is round in shape; that moves around in a
  circle Take the circular route around the city
  to avoid driving through the centre. ➤ circle
  (v, n) ❖ umlaufender/e/es, kreisförmiger/e/es
- 6.111 economy (n) /r'kɒnəmi/
  the system of production and trading that
  creates income The country's economy
  suffered when the hotels and restaurants
  had to close. ➤ economise (v), economic,
  economical (adj) ❖ die Wirtschaft
- 6.112 explorer (n) /ɪk'splɔːrə/
  sb who travels to new places to find out about
  them The explorer Christopher Columbus
  sailed to the coast of America. ➤ explore (v),
  exploration (n) ❖ der/die Entdecker/-in
- 6.113 shipwreck (n) /'sɪprek/ an occasion in which a ship sinks ● The shipwreck happened in a storm off the coast of Sicily. ❖ der Schiffbruch
- 6.114 bell (n) /bel/
  an object like an upside-down cup made of
  metal with a hard piece of metal inside that
  makes a ringing sound against the sides The
  villagers rang the warning bell when they saw
  the fire. ❖ die Glocke
- 6.115 coat of arms (n) /ˌkəʊt əv ˈɑːmz/
  a special symbol of a family, place or
  organisation Above the palace gate,
  the royal coat of arms was carved in stone.
  ❖ das Wappen
- 6.116 condition (n) /kənˈdɪʃn/
  the state of sth The road was in a terrible
  condition after the earthquake. ❖ der Zustand
- 6.117 copper (n) /'kopə(r)/
  a reddish-brown metal The old bridge was
  made of copper which was green in places
  from corrosion. ➤ copper (adj) ❖ das Kupfer

- alloy (n) /ˈælɔɪ/
  a mixture of two or more metals Bronze is
  a brownish metal made from copper and tin
  alloy. ❖ die Legierung
- 6.119 ghost (n) /gəʊst/
  the spirit of a dead person that sb thinks they
  can see Alistair believes he saw the ghost of
  a Roman soldier in the castle. ❖ der Geist
- 6.120 rare (adj) /reə(r)/
  unusual; not happening often His photo
  collection includes images of rare insects and
  plants that are only found in South America.
  >> rarely (adv) ❖ seltener/e/es

#### Power and war airforce crown globalisation destroy invade army battle economy military coat of arms emblem navy the royal family collaboration emperor

People			
archaeologist cellist colleague	craftsman diver emperor	explorer	