



# NUMBERS & TIME

## How To Use Numbers And Times In A Dialogue

*Work in pairs and create dialogues. Practice the dialogues, change roles, and practice again*

1. You are planning a trip. Discuss the departure times, ticket prices, and duration of the journey with a travel agent.

**Example - Student A:** "Good morning, how can I help you?"

**Student B:** "I want to go to Paris. I need some information, please."

**Student A:** "What time do you want to leave, in the morning, afternoon, or evening?"

**Student B:** "I want to go this morning. What time does the train leave?"

**Student A:** "The train departs at 9:30 a.m. and arrives at 2:45 p.m. Ticket price is \$25."

Make sure you complete all the lines. You can also go to one city and from there take another train to the next city. You can also ask if the tickets are cheaper on the weekend, or in the evenings, etc.

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

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2. You are shopping for clothes. Negotiate prices and discuss available sizes and colors with a salesperson.

**Example - Student A:** "How much is this shirt?" **Student B:** "The shirt is \$20. We have it in sizes small, medium, and large in blue and white."

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Discuss meal options, prices, and serving times with a waiter at a restaurant.

**Example - Student A:** "What time is breakfast served?" **Student B:** "Breakfast is served from 7:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. The continental breakfast is \$10."

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Plan a movie outing with a friend. Discuss movie showtimes, etc.

You get to the ticket office and you are told that all the tickets for the movie you want to see are sold out. You have to discuss other possibilities...

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

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5. You must decorate the classroom. The classroom is 10m long. You must hang 12 streamers. How far apart should they be?

**Example - Student A:** how many streamers do we need to hang across the room?

**Student B:** Twelve and they should be evenly spaced.

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Your mother bakes dozens of chocolate chip cookies. She wants you to sell the cookies and she needs 50 cents per cookie. You and your friend also need to make some money. Decide how many cookies you are going to put in a packet and how much it will cost.

**Example - Student A:** I think we should put 3 cookies in a packet and sell them for \$2.00.

**Student B:** That's too cheap.

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

Student B: \_\_\_\_\_

Student A: \_\_\_\_\_

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