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Workbook 1

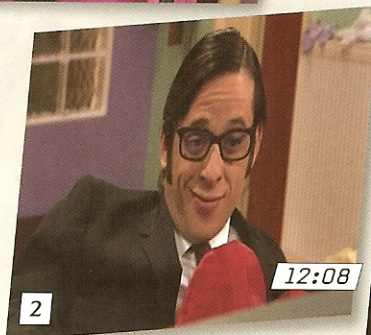
The English language comedy with
Bridget, Nick, Annie, and Hector

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1 Welcome to extr@!

Meet the characters. Match photos 1–5 with the descriptions.

- a) Bridget is slim and she has blonde hair. 5
- b) Nick is tall and slim and he has blonde hair.
- c) Hector has black hair and dark eyes.
- d) Annie has long brown hair and dark eyes.
- e) Charley is black and white and has four legs.



2 In this episode ...

Read the information about the characters and then complete the sentences.

Bridget and Annie live together in a flat in London. Bridget is pretty and likes exercising. Annie is friendly and relaxed. She has a dog. Nick is a neighbour of Bridget and Annie, and he spends a lot of time in their flat. Hector is from Argentina. Seven years ago, he was Bridget's pen pal. Now he's in London but he doesn't speak English very well. Hector is quite rich. At home in Argentina, he has a lot of fast cars and there are several servants in his house.

- 1 Bridget and Annie
 - a) are neighbours.
 - b) share a flat.
 - c) are very similar.
- 2 Hector and Bridget
 - a) are old friends.
 - b) used to write to each other.
 - c) live in the same flat.
- 3 Nick and Hector
 - a) are the same nationality.
 - b) come from different countries.
 - c) look very similar.

3 Check the meaning ...

Complete the sentences with the correct word.

- ★ funny 1 People who say *Please* and *Thank you* are very _____.
- ★ polite 2 It was very _____ of you to tell the police officer that he was ugly!
- ★ rich 3 That pop star looks VERY _____ in that dress.
- ★ sweet 4 He's _____ enough to stay in the most expensive hotels.
- ★ strange 5 My sister told us a really _____ story about a monkey at the zoo.
- ★ stupid 6 That man in the street with the dark glasses looks a bit _____.
- ★ sexy 7 It was very _____ of you to buy me some flowers.



4 Before you watch ...

Look at the photos and answer the questions.



- 1 How does Bridget feel about Nick watching her ride her exercise bike?
 - a) She likes it.
 - b) She doesn't like it.
 - c) She's used to it.
- 2 What do the girls think when they see Hector come out of the bathroom?
 - a) They are impressed.
 - b) They are unimpressed.
 - c) They have no opinion.

"Let's find out!"

5 Part one ...

A Watch Part one of the programme and choose the correct word or phrase to complete these sentences.

Bridget gets a letter from Argentina.
email / letter / postcard / parcel

- 1 Hector wants to _____ with Bridget and Annie. *visit / live / stay / go out*
- 2 He is going to arrive _____.
today / tomorrow / next week / in November
- 3 Bridget has an _____ in the flat.
dog / bedroom / exercise bike / sofa
- 4 Bridget gets very _____ with Nick when he uses it. *friendly / angry / happy / sad*
- 5 When Hector arrives at the door, he's wearing _____.
a suit and tie / sunglasses / pyjamas / a raincoat

B Complete the answers to these questions.

- 1 Who's Hector? He was my pen pal
 - a) seven years ago.
 - b) ten years ago.
 - c) eleven years ago.
- 2 When is he coming? He's coming on the
 - a) first of November.
 - b) fifth of November.
 - c) fifteenth of November.
- 3 Would you like a drink, Nick?
 - a) Yes, please.
 - b) No, thanks.
 - c) No, thank you.

C After watching Part one, do we know ...

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|---------------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1 where Hector comes from? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |
| 2 Bridget's job? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |
| 3 who Nick fancies? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |
| 4 the name of the dog? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |
| 5 the nickname of the landlady? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |

6 Part two ...

A Watch Part two and number these events in the correct order.

- Annie writes an email to her friend Nadia.
- Hector meets Nick and thinks he's a butler.
- Bridget and Annie show Hector the bedroom.
- Bridget writes an email to someone called Chrissy.
- Hector shows his photographs to Bridget and Annie.
- Bridget and Annie talk in the bathroom.
- The girls leave and Nick gives Hector an English lesson.



B Complete the corrections to these statements.

Annie's dog sleeps in the oven.
No, it doesn't. It sleeps in a basket.

- Hector speaks English very well.
No, _____ very badly.
- Bridget is happy when other people use her bicycle.
No, _____ angry.
- Hector wants to have a bath after riding the bicycle.
No, _____ shower.
- Hector's family is one of the poorest in Argentina.
No, _____ richest.
- At the end, Bridget wants Hector to leave her flat.
No, _____ stay.

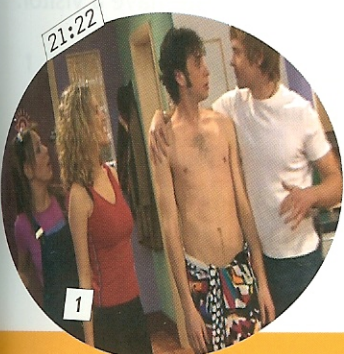
B Are these sentences true ✓ or false ✗ ?

- Hector has a lot of cars at home in Argentina.
- Hector must sleep in the lounge.
- In the bathroom the girls talk about Nick.
- Nick is happy that Hector thinks he's a butler.
- Bridget wants Hector to leave.

7 Part three ...

A Watch Part three. Who says these lines? Match them with the pictures.

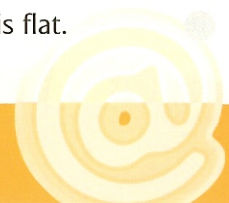
- Hector, is this you? The Romero family. One of the richest families in Argentina.
- Yeah, I am hot. I need a shower.
- Hector, please come out, we want to talk to you.
- Hector, come and stay with me. I have two rooms.



8 In this episode ...

Are these sentences true ✓ or false ✗ ?

- Hector arrives at the flat for the first time.
- He has met Bridget before.
- At first, Bridget and Annie think Hector is strange.
- Nick teaches Hector some useful English expressions.
- Nick finds out about Hector from a magazine.
- Bridget and Annie also know about Hector's family.
- Bridget's attitude changes when she sees Hector in the bathroom.
- Nick invites Hector to live in his flat.



9 Say something extr@!



Meeting people for the first time

- Hello, I am called Hector.
- I am from Argentina.

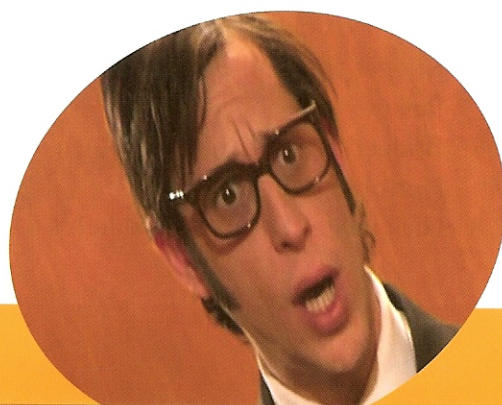
A Work in groups of three. Read the conversation between Hector, Annie and Bridget.

Hector: Hello.
 Annie: Hello.
 Hector: I am called Argentina. I am from Hector.
 Annie: You mean 'I am called Hector.'
 Hector: You are called Hector?
 Annie: Oh, no, no, no, I am called Annie.
 Hector: I am called Annie.
 Bridget: No! She means 'I am called Hector, I am from Argentina.'
 Hector: You are from Argentina!
 Bridget: Oh! Come in!

B Now make up a new conversation between someone who has just arrived in London and two people who live there. Act out your conversation for the rest of the class.

Offering someone food and drink

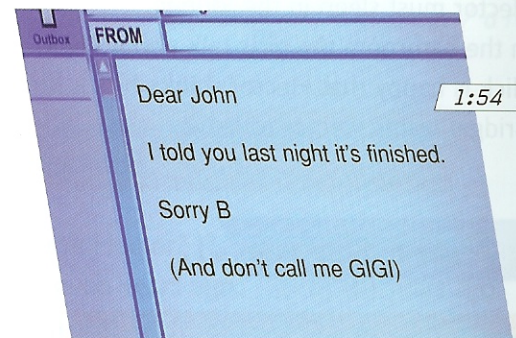
- What would you like to eat?
- Would you like (to have) a coffee?



C Work in pairs. Complete these short conversations.

- 1
 A: Are you hungry?
 B: Yes, I am.
 A: _____
 2
 A: Do you like coffee?
 B: Yes, I do.
 A: _____
 3
 A: _____ a cup of _____
 B: Yes, please.
 A: _____ some milk and sugar _____

10 extr@ email!



A Read these lines from emails in the programme. Who wrote them?

- Gigi! Did you get my message? Please call me.

- I told you last night, it's finished. (And don't call GIGI.) _____
- Hi, Nadia! Bridget's pen pal arrived this morning.

- The chicks in the apartment opposite have a visit.

- Nick from next door is so funny!

- He thought I was the butler!

- I will teach him to speak English!
