



UNIT 4: **LEARNING WORLD**

Lesson 7

WRITING • An email about your school





I. New words

1. medium-sized (adj) size vừa
between small and large in size

→ A medium-sized school

2. compulsory (adj): bắt buộc

Ex: Math is *compulsory* at my school.

3. optional (adj): tự chọn

THINK! What do you know about schools in other countries?

EXERCISE 1

Hi Ela,

I'm happy that you can study here next month. Here's some information for you.

Clonakilty Community College is a medium-sized school with about 500 students. It's in Clonakilty, Ireland. Classes are from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Some subjects are compulsory like maths and English. Others are optional. I like languages, so I study French.

Here's a photo of my classmates. Send me a photo of yours.

Write soon,

Danny

1. How many students are there in Danny's school?
 - There are about 500 students.
2. Is Danny school very different from your school?

Complete key phrases with verbs in the email

KEY PHRASES

Giving information about your school

- 1 I'm that
- 2 It's a small / / big school.
- 3 Some subjects are compulsory like
- 4 Others are
- 5 Here's a of
- 6 Send me



EXERCISE 3

Example: I like languages, so *I study French.*

- **So** expresses the result of something stated on the previous clause.



EXERCISE 3

Language point: so

Study the examples. Then match 1–4 with a–d and write sentences with so.

I like languages, so I study French.

- 1 I'm learning some Spanish words
 - 2 I've got two bikes
 - 3 There's a history exam tomorrow
 - 4 There aren't any classes this afternoon
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- a we can go and play football.
 - b I'm revising now.
 - c I need a dictionary.
 - d you can use one of them.

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WRITING GUIDE


A. TASK

A Student from a different country is visiting your school in three weeks. Write an email and give him some information.

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B. THINK AND PLAN

- 1** Who is the visitor and when is the visit?
 - 2** How big is your school?
 - 3** Where is your school?
 - 4** When are the lessons? What are the subjects?
 - 5** What is in the photo you are emailing?
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C. OUTLINE

*The reason
you write*

Hi/ Hey ...,

← I'm happy that ...

... is a small / medium-sized / large school ...

Classes are ... Some subjects are Others

...

*The information
you need*

← Here's Send me ...

Write soon,

Name

←
.....



D. CHECK

- + Present simple**
 - + Giving example**
 - + So**
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