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Episode Intro and Preview Episode Ping has just arrived at her new home in the U.S. Ella Robot: The voice over is in English is showing her around the house. The family sits down with Chinese translation on to talk about their schedules and how to adjust to the screen. Each word/phrase new addition to the family. Have are a few words and has the Chinese beside or phrases you will here in this story. below the English and highlights as the robot says What time to you...? them. Do you eat breakfast? What time to you take a shower? When do you...? I usually I always... I never.... Sunday Monday Tuesday ...in the morning ...in the afternoon Are you ready? Click on "Your Mission" to begin.

Set Up Story Script

Display title

Home Sweet Home

Intro shot

Music up: Interior house shot on the front door. Front door opens and the family is behind it. Ella runs in.

Maria	Welcome. Please come in! This is our home sweet home.	Maria and Ping in doorway
Ella	Ping! Ping! Please come here.	Close up ping listening
Ella	This is your bedroom. Your room is pink.	Medium shot of Ping and Ella
Ping	What's that in English?	Ping points to the desk.
Ella	That is a desk. It is white. This is a computer. Those are beds. There are two beds in your room. This is a green chair, and that is a white dresser. This is a window.	Shot of the room. Ella points out the contents of the room.
Ella	That is the bathroom.	Ping and Ella in hallway looking into bathroom
Ping	What's that in English?	Ping points to the shower.
Ella	That is the shower. The bathroom has a bathtub, a toilet, and a sink, too.	Ella points out the various fixtures
Stan	Ella! Please show Ping the kitchen.	Close up Ella listening
Ella	Here is the kitchen.	Ella and Ping looking into kitchen where Stan and Maria are at the table

Stan	Please have a seat, Ping. Here is your tea.	Tighter shot of all them at the table Ping and Ella still standing; Stan gestures to chair as speaking
Ping	(tentatively) Have a seat? I don't understand.	Ping moves toward chair
Ella	"Have a seat" means "Please sit in the chair."	Ping sits down. Ella sits beside Ping.
Maria	We want you to be happy here, Ping. We are going to make a family schedule.	Close up Maria
Ella	What is your schedule? What time do you get up?	Close up Ella
Ping	Get up?	Starts to rise from her chair
Ella	No, Ping. "What time do you get up" means "What time do you get out of bed in the morning."	Ella makes a sleeping gesture with her hands and then pantomimes sitting up and yawning
Ping	Oh. I get up at 6:30 in the morning.	Close up Ping
Stan	What time do you get up on Saturday?	Shot of all of them
Ping	I get up at 8:00 on Saturday.	Close up Ping
Ella	Always?	Ella and Ping
Ping	Usually. (giggles)	Ping and Ella
Ping	Ella, what time do you go to school?	Close up Ping
Ella	I usually go to school at 8 o'clock.	Close up Ella
Ping	Ella, what time do you study?	Close up Ping
Ella	I always study in the afternoon. I usually study at night, too. I always study in my bedroom.	Ella and Ping
Stan	When do you study, Ping?	Close up of Stan
Ping	In China, I always study in the afternoon and at night. I usually study on Saturday, too. In America, I am going to study English all the time. English is difficult!	Everyone smiles sympathetically
Stan	Chinese is difficult, too!	Everyone laughs
Maria	Do you eat breakfast, Ping	Close up of Maria and Ping
Ping	Yes. When do you eat breakfast?	
Maria	We often eat breakfast at 7:30.	Shot of family at table
Stan	I always like breakfast.	Close up Stan smiling
Maria	We are going to write up a new schedule.	Close up Maria

	schedule. It is good English practice!	close up of Ping listening
Ella	Here is some paper.	Shot of Ella leaving the table
		to a close up of Ping
Music up		Ping looking at the camera
		skeptical.

End of Set Up-Robot

Robot Helper	In Chinese	
Trobot Tielpei	Animated Helper: (speaking in Chinese) Ping needs your help. She needs to find out the daily routines of each person in the house and write a schedule for getting up, showering, eating breakfast, leaving for school, returning from school, doing homework, watching TV, eating dinner, and using the computer. You will need to also know times and room names.	
	Start by watching the movie, scene by scene, and then reading along with these same scenes. When you are ready to master the language to help build the schedule, return to the map by clicking on the Compass.	

Quizzes

Knowledge Bridge1	
Questions appear in Chinese, answers in English. Where Is Ping? a. at the airport b. at a hotel c. at her host family's home	User watches the scene from set up story, selects answer, clicks feedback, gets Robot pos/neg response. Clicks next to advance to the next question.
How many beds are there in Ella's room? a. four b. two c. three	User watches scene of set up story answers question.
What does Mr. Johnson ask Ping to do? a. Please write a letter. b. Please make a new schedule. c. Please call me.	User watches scene of set up story answers question.
Knowledge Bridge 2 Question 1 User sees an image of Ping and host mom Maria having a dialogue. There is an empty text bubble above Ping's head. And a bubble above Maria's head that says "What time to you eat dinner?"	User selects answer then clicks submit to see if they were right.

Ping's host mother wants to plan dinner. She needs to know Ping's schedule. What does she say? I eat breakfast at 6:30. I eat dinner at 6:00. I go to bed at 10:00.	
Question 2 User sees an image of Ella and Ping having a dialogue. There is an empty text bubble above Ping's head.	User selects answer then clicks submit to see if they were right.
Ping asks Ella about her daily schedule and want to know when Ella needs the computer room. What should she ask? When do you shower?	
When do you use the computer? What time do you get up?	
Question 3 User sees an image of Stan and Ping having a dialogue. There is an empty text bubble above Ping's head. And a bubble above Stan that says "I go to work at 8:30." What question did Ping ask?	User selects answer then clicks submit to see if they were right.
When do you eat dinner? What time to you go to bed? What time to you go to work?	

Reading Machine Text

Read Section		
Narrator	Ping's letter to Lu Dear Lu: How are you? I am fine. I like my family. This is my house. This is my room. This is the bathroom and the kitchen. What's in your house? In China, I always get up at 6:15 a.m. I usually take a shower 6:45. I go to school at 7 o'clock. In America, I am going have a different schedule. What time do you get up? It means What time do you get out of bed in the morning. When do you go to school? My family likes weekends. They usually eat a big breakfast on Saturday. Do you eat breakfast on Saturday? The Johnson's like sleep. They never get up before 10:00 on Sunday! I miss you! Ping	Audio sync to highlight. User explores meaning with dictionary. We will include a drawing or superimpose the text over a layout picture of the house.

Links Section		
	Ping's letter to Lu Dear Lu: How are you? I am fine. I like my family. This is my house. This is my room. This is the bathroom and the kitchen. What's in your house? In China, I always get up at 6:15 a.m. I usually take a shower 6:45. I go to school at 7 o'clock. In America, I am going have a different schedule. What time do you get up? It means What time do you get out of bed in the morning. When do you go to school? My family likes weekends. They usually eat a big breakfast on Saturday. Do you eat breakfast on Saturday? The Johnson's like sleep. They never get up before 10:00 on Sunday! I miss you!	blue = grammar green = culture orange = images
	Ping	
Grammar Links		
Do you	2 nd person simple present question "Do you + verb (+ noun)": <i>is a</i> question about whether a person performs an action. With the questions "Do you eat breakfast on Saturday?" the questioner asks if the person spoken to carries out the activity of eating breakfast. The answer could be affirmative – "Yes" – or negative – "No."	
I always	Simple present tense verb + frequency adverb: "I always" is a phrase that describes the frequency of occurrence of an action. "Always" is an adverb which generally describes an action which happens at all times or consistent times or in any event. This phrase would be followed by a verb, the action described. For example, I always get up at 7:00. Other frequency adverbs are "sometimes", and "usually".	
What time do you/When do you	Wh question + 2 nd person: What time do you/When do you: These are questions about a period or point that an action occurs. "What time" asks for a point or period that something happens. "Six o'clock," "Noon," "Later," could all be answers to questions that start with "what time" or "When." "What time do you" "When do you" Would be followed by a verb since they question the occurrence of an action or activity.	
What's	Contraction of to be with what, same as "what is".	
What's that in English?	Common form used to request information.	

It means/That means/	This is a common phrase used to explain new ideas.	
Culture Links		
Saturday/weekend	Saturday as known as America's play day – it is often an outdoor sporting event day.	
Sunday/weekend	In the past Sunday was considered a day of rest or a religious day by early lawmakers in U.S. This has changed in the American culture in the last 50 years. Some businesses aren't open, on the weekends like banks or offices.	
Images		
Room	Photos	
Kitchen		
Bathroom		
Schedule		
Shower		
breakfast		
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Fallout Section		
Schedule	Ping's letter to Lu	
shower	Dear Lu: How are you? I am fine. I like my family. This is my house. This is my room. This is the bathroom and the kitchen. What's in your house?	
	In China, I always get up at 6:15 a.m. I usually take a 6:45. I go to school at 7 o'clock. In America, I am going have a different What time do you get up? It means What time do you get out of bed in the morning. When do you go to school?	
	My family likes weekends. They usually eat a big breakfast on Saturday. Do you eat breakfast on Saturday? The Johnson's like sleep. They never get up before 10:00 on Sunday!	
	I miss you!	
	Ping	
kitchen school get up	Ping's letter to Lu Dear Lu: How are you? I am fine. I like my family. This is my house. This is my room. This is the bathroom and the What's in your house?	
Saturday	In China, I always get up at 6:15 a.m. I usually take a	

when what breakfast Sunday usually get up that this	shower 6:45. I go to at 7 o'clock. In America, I am going have a different schedule. What time do you? It means What time do you get out of bed in the morning. When do you go to school? My family likes weekends. They usually eat a big breakfast on Do you eat breakfast on Saturday? The Johnson's like sleep. They never get up before 10:00 on Sunday! I miss you! Ping Ping's letter to Lu Dear Lu: How are you? I am fine. I like my family. This is my house. This is my room. This is the bathroom and the kitchen. What's in your house? In China, I always get up at 6:15 a.m. I usually take a shower 6:45. I go to school at 7 o'clock. In America, I am going have a different schedule. What time do you get up? It means What time do you get out of bed in the morning do you go to school? My family likes weekends. They usually eat a big breakfast on Saturday. Do you eat breakfast on Saturday? The Johnson's like sleep. They never get up before 10:00 on!	blue are distracters
	I miss you! Ping	
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Record Section	Ping's letter to Lu	[MEN/DO]
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	How are you? I am fine. I like my family. This is my house. This is my room. This is the bathroom and the	
3. What time do you get up?	kitchen. What's in your house?	
4. usually	In China, I always get up at 6:15 a.m. I usually take a shower 6:45. I go to school at 7 o'clock. In America, I	
5. Saturday	am going have a different schedule. What time do you	
6. breakfast	get up? It means What time do you get out of bed in the morning. When do you go to school?	
7. kitchen		
8. always	My family likes weekends. They usually eat a big breakfast on Saturday. Do you eat breakfast on	
9. shower	Saturday? The Johnson's like sleep. They never get	
10. Sunday	up before 10:00 on Sunday!	
	I miss you!	

Ping	

COACHING 1 &2

Be the Coach 1		
Ping takes a Pol	aroid photo of her room. Over her shoulder, Maria points at the pic	cture and asks questions.
Maria	What's that in English?	
Gizmo	Ping needs some help to answer Maria's question. How do you say, "This is my room."? That is the kitchen. This is my room. This is the bathroom.	User watches the intro movie. Helps carry the story mission along through the episode. User answers question. If correct, advance to next scene. If incorrect 1 st time, gets a "try again"
		If incorrect 2 nd time, program auto answers the question sending the user back to practice. User will not advance on the map.
Closing Scene		
Maria	What is that in English?	Maria asks
Ping	This is my room.	Ping speaks to Maria
Ping	Thanks for your help.	Ping turns to camera
Be the Coach 2		
Stan and Ping in	the kitchen	
Stan	What time do you get up?	User listens to the scene then responds to Gizmo's question.
Gizmo	Time to be the coach! Ping needs to answer Stan's question. What should Ping say? I always get up at 6:00 a.m. Usually go to school at 7 o'clock. I never eat breakfast.	
Ending – Play w	hen user answers correct.	
Stan	What time do you get up?	Stan and Ping
Ping	I always get up at 6:00 AM.	Stan and Ping
Stan	Great.	Stan and Ping
Ping	Thanks for your help.	Ping turns and nods to the camera. Exit back to the map.

Featured Cultural Content

American Homes

What's an American home like? There are quite a few different types of housing for American families that come in all sizes and prices. They range from apartments, duplexes, condominiums, and town houses to single family houses of many different sizes. The basic elements are usually the same: kitchen, living room, bathrooms, and bedrooms. The there are countless other kids of spaces: basement, attic, family room, recreation room, formal dining room, office, etc.

Images of many different styles of homes at different economic levels – interior, exterior and some close up room shots.

Some Americans have the "do it yourself" attitude when it comes to home improvement. They spend a noticeable amount of time and energy on projects such as painting, wallpapering, or landscaping to improve their homes. Often the whole family is involved and children learn to help when they are quite young. Tools and materials are widely available from national local retail stores. There are also a large variety of instructional books, videos and workshops available to help people learn the skills. A growing number of television stations are devoted exclusively to home and garden topics.

American Breakfast

Breakfast is the favorite meal for many Americans. Some restaurants even serve a breakfast menu throughout the day. Breakfast lovers can pick from a huge variety of selections. Dairy products, such as milk, yogurt, or cheese, are some of the main ingredients for breakfast dishes. Milk, coffee and juice are most common beverages to drink. Eggs, bacon, sausage, and ham are often served, along with breads such as biscuits, toasts, pancakes, waffles and muffins. There are a number of sweet toppings available for the breads, such as syrup, jelly (jam) and honey. Busy families often eat easy-to-prepare foods, such as cold or "instant" hot cereals. ("Instant" hot cereals need only hot water added in order to prepare them for eating.) Fruit is popular for breakfast, too, particularly melons and berries. Watermelon, cantaloupe, honeydew melon, strawberries, and blueberries all can make breakfast very colorful. Breakfast can be very fancy but is usually most enjoyable when it is prepared at home on a weekend morning with friends or family.

Businesses sometimes have "breakfast" meetings. Some daycares and schools have a simple breakfast available for children. You may see hotels advertise that Continental Breakfast is included in a daily stay. That usually means coffee, juice, pastries, and sometimes fruit. When meat and eggs are added, it is called an "American Breakfast". The word "brunch" was invented to describe the combination of breakfast and lunch. Brunch is a nice and leisurely meal, usually eaten late in the morning, with the menu extended from typical breakfast items to other things that you might eat for lunch.

However, sitting down and having a "real" breakfast is a luxury for most working families during the week. Most people have a simple and quick breakfast that requires little or no preparation. In addition to cold and "instant" hot cereals, individuals might eat doughnuts, bagels, or a store-bought "breakfast pastry" that is warmed up in the toaster. Some people go by the fast food restaurants or gas stations to get their morning coffee and breakfasts. It is very common to see someone drinking coffee and eating a biscuit or muffin while driving in a car on the way to school or work.

Karaoke

What's your schedule?

Narrator

Sunday, Monday Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday, Friday And Saturday.

What's your schedule? What's your schedule? Please tell me. Please tell me.

I always get up at 6:45 in the morning I usually go to bed at 9:15 at night. I never go to bed at 2:30 in the afternoon That is never right!

Do you eat breakfast? Yes, I do. Yes, I do I always eat my breakfast. But I never eat breakfast at 2:00 Each cut/normalized audio file needs markers on every word as well as a text file for each verse.

APPLY-FINAL CHALLENGE

Read Assessment - making the schedule

Ping and the family at the table.

Robot: What family wants to write a new schedule – what should the put at the top of the paper?

- Kitchen
- Breakfast
- Schedule

Text below displays on screen in Chinese:

"Which line says, "Schedule"?

Student must read the options and click on one of three M/C answers

1st time fail:

User hears first feedback in English with Chinese text only translation displaying on screen:

"No, try again.".

2nd time fail:

User hears 2nd feedback:

"It's this one.""

After 2nd fail and auto answer displays, advance the student to the next scene.

	sment – ping at the table	
Ping and the fami	•	T
Gizmo:	It's time to listen and help Ping.	
Stan	When do you go to bed?	Stan addresses ping
Gizmo:	What did Stan ask Ping?	
	Click on one of these three answers. (Text multiple choice appears).	
	When do you go to bed?What time do you eat breakfast?	
	When do you take a shower?	
	sment - Your turn	
	d Ping and the family at the table.	
Conversation 01		
Gizmo	Now it is your turn. You have help Ping and the Johnson's write a new family schedule. Click on the Maria to begin.	User is in the scene with Ella, Ping and the porter
Maria	Ping. What time do you get up?	Maria speaks to user
Gizmo	Say, I always get up at 6:15 a.m. (1)	
If correct:		
Maria	When do you go to school?	Maria speaks to Ping and Ping looks at user
Gizmo	Say, I go to school at 7 o'clock. (2)	
If correct:		
Maria	Always?	Maria speaks to Ping and Ping looks at user
Gizmo	Say, Usually. (3)	
If correct:		
Maria	(Writing as she speaks) Ping usually goes to school at 7 o'clock.	Maria passes the paper to Ping
Conversation 02		
Gizmo	Ask Ella, Where do you eat breakfast? (4)	
If correct:		
Ella	We eat breakfast in the kitchen	Ella answers
Gizmo	Say, What time do you get up on Monday? (5)	
If correct:		
Ella	I get up at 7:45 on Monday.	Ella answers
Gizmo	Say, Where do you study? (6)	
If correct		
Ella	I usually study in my bedroom.	Ella answers

Gizmo	Say, Thank you. (6)	Ping passes paper to Stan
If correct		
Stan	Great. Now we have a schedule.	Stan smiles at the family
Gizmo	Here is a copy of the schedule for you!	Copy of the schedule in the center of the screen.

Vocabulary		
Target	Recycled	Enrichment
a.m.	American	bed(s)
always	afternoon	closet
bath	and	computer
bathroom	at	dresser
bedroom	black	home
breakfast	blue	indeed
brother	Eight	night
chair	eleven	or
desk	evening	schedule
dinner	fifteen	to send (email)
Friday	Five	welcome
lamp	Four	what's
lunch	Go	window
Monday	help	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Never	Here	
new	1	
pink	in	
p.m.	kitchen	
room	morning	
Saturday	Nine	
sister	o'clock	
shoe(s)	on	
shower	One	
sometimes	Our	
Sunday	paper	
table	red	
tea	school	
Thursday	Seven	
to come	Six	
to do homework/chores	ten	
to eat	Thirty	
to get up	Three	
to leave (for)	to	
to return (from)	twelve	
to study	Two	
to take (shower)	we	
	yellow	
to use (computer) Tuesday		
usually	your	
	youi	
Wednesday white		
work		
Phrases	15	Te
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Write up
