

**Description** Students read a text and correct errors with collocations

**Lesson link** Use this activity after exercise 5d, page 35

**Time** 15 minutes

**Extra material** Print out and photocopy the *My Typical Day* worksheet – one for each student (Use worksheet 1 for weaker SS and worksheet 2 for stronger SS).

## Instructions

- a Ask SS if they can think of any people who might have a different daily routine. Elicit *doctor, nurse* (working a night shift), and any more SS might know. Elicit *DJ*. Ask SS what they think a DJ's typical day might be like.
- b Divide SS into pairs. Give each student a copy of the worksheet *My Typical Day*. Pre-teach / elicit *club, fashionable, and equipment*. Explain that they should read the text and correct the errors. These are the **bold** phrases in text 1.
- c After SS have finished the exercise, join two pairs together and ask them to compare their answers. Review any answers that the class disagrees about.

## Answers

My name is Jaden and I'm a DJ at a popular club in Ibiza, Spain. My day is quite different from most people's. I [**get up**] at about 2.00 p.m. in the afternoon. I [**have lunch**] – usually just a coffee and a sandwich. After lunch I [**do some housework**] and then go for a walk. I often [**go shopping**]. I buy a lot of T-shirts and trainers – I have to look fashionable in the club. At 6.00 p.m. I [**go to the gym**] for about an hour. I usually invite friends to my house in the evening. I love cooking, so I [**make dinner**] and we all eat together. At 9.30 p.m. I go to the club. I [**go to work**] in a big car, because I have to take all my equipment and my music collection. I DJ until about 4.00 in the morning. After work I [**have breakfast**] at the club and then I [**go home**]. At about 5.00 in the morning I [**go to bed**], just before most people [**get up**]!

## My Typical Day (1)

Work with a partner. Correct the errors that are **bold** in the text.

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## My Typical Day (2)

Work with a partner. Find and correct the errors in the text. There are 11 errors.

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