



Heinle Cengage Learning
Visions B
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Arizona Department of Education
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Grades 6 - 12

ELL – English Language Learners

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Past Tense of the Verb <i>be</i>	VERBS: ELL II - Past tense of “to be”
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<i>And</i> to Join Words and Sentences	CONJUNCTIONS: ELL I - Coordinating
Chapter 4 - Yang the Youngest	
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Complex Sentences with Dependent Clauses	SENTENCE STRUCTURE: ELL IV - Complex sentences (Independent clause + relative pronoun + dependent clause: “Juan and Maria went to the movies after they finished studying.”)

Chapter 5 - The Scholarship Jacket	
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<i>Could and Couldn't for Past Ability</i>	VERBS: ELL V - Past tense of modal auxiliaries SPELLING: REVIEW - Negative contractions
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Simple Present Tense	VERBS: ELL I - Simple present tense
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Future Tense with <i>Will</i>	VERBS: ELL I - Simple future tense "will"; ELL II - Modal auxiliaries
Chapter 3 - And Now Miguel	
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Future Conditional	SENTENCE STRUCTURE: ELL IV - Present future conditional ("If it snows, I will go skiing.")
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Adjectives Before Nouns	ADJECTIVES: ELL I - Size/quantity
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Prepositional Phrases		PREPOSITIONS: ELL I - Location; PHRASE CONSTRUCTION: ELL I - Prepositional phrase
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Pronoun Referents		PRONOUNS: ELL I - Personal singular subjective; Personal plural subjective; SENTENCE CONSTRUCTION: ELL IV - Complex sentences
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<i>Be</i> + Adjective + Infinitive	VERBS: ELL II – Infinitives; PHRASE AND CLAUSE CONSTRUCTION: ELL II - Infinitive verb phrase
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Present Conditional	SENTENCE STRUCTURE: ELL IV/V: REVIEW - Present real conditional; ELL IV: REVIEW - Present unreal conditional (If + simple past ... would + verb...: "If I had a car, I would drive to work."); Present unreal conditional with modal auxiliaries (If + simple past ... would/could modal auxiliary "If I went to the store, I could bring home dinner." "If I left now, I might get home sooner."); Present future conditional ("If it snows, I will go skiing."); ELL V: REVIEW - Past unreal conditional ("If I had asked you, I would have known."); Present progressive real conditional ("If Jill was not so tired, she would watch the film." "If it had not been raining, Jack would have gone skiing.")
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