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VOCABULARY

Nouns

amusement park art market autograph barbecue camping comedy concert excuse (street) fair (art) festival food court

invitation message musical musician play show shower stage trip

Verbs

babysit call (you) back go out with (my girlfriend/boyfriend) have to help need to want to would like/love to

Adjective amazing

Adverbs

already around (seven o'clock)

Prepositions

at (home/school/work) at the (beach/library/ mall) in (bed/class/Mexico) in a (meeting) in the (hospital/shower) on (her break/a trip/ vacation)

EXPRESSIONS

Making a phone call

Hello. Is . . . there/in?Hi. Can I speak to/with . . . ?I'm sorry, but she's in a meeting right now.Sorry I called you at work.

Taking a phone message

Do you want to leave a message? Can I take a message? Sure. Please give her my number. Yes. Please ask/tell her to call me. I'll give her your message.

Making and accepting an invitation

Do you want to . . . (with me)? Would you like to . . . (with me)? Sure. I'd really like to . . . (with you). Yes, I'd love to.

Declining an invitation and making an excuse

I'm sorry, but I can't. I have to . . ./I need to . . . I'd like to, but . . .

Suggesting a different activity

I don't really like . . . Do you want to do something else?

Asking what is happening What's up?

Asking for a favor Can you . . . ? Please . . .

Offering to help Can I help you?

Expressing happy surprise Terrific!

