Revision Questions

Fill in the gaps. Then answer the questions:

1. What ____ ____ ____doing since your last English class?
2. What _____ you doing this time last month?
3. ____ ____ new people do you meet each week, more or less?
4. ____ ____ live to work or work to live?
5. ____ ____ ____ you been studying English?
6. Where do you think you ____ ____ ____ in 5 or 10 years’ time? What ____ ____ ____ doing?
7. Do you sometimes _____ nervous when you meet new people? In what situations?
8. If you _____ to a party and _____ know anyone, what ____ you do?
9. The last time you _____ somebody in a lift, what ____ you talk ____?
10. Tell us something you _____ _____ to do a lot (in the past), but don’t do anymore?
11. What’s the _____ way to _____ a good impression?
12. Would you say you are a task-orientated or people-orientated person ____ work?
13. If you _____ _____ the lottery last Christmas, what _____ you have done?
14. If you _____ to choose one person to represent your country, who _____ ____ ____?
15. What ____ ____ ____ to do after this class (for sure)?
TEACHERS' NOTES.

You can use this in different ways. I prefer to put my students in pairs and tell them to try to fill in the gaps, before looking at the questions all together. Some of the grammar aspects included are:

PRESENT PERFECT
USED TO
PREPOSITIONS
CONDITIONALS
FUTURE (WILL/GOING TO)
GET

Depending on the size of the class you might want the students to answer the questions one by one as you go through them, or complete all the questions first, and then get each student to choose the question he/she wants to answer. That way they talk about something that interests them.

Alternatively, you can turn it into a complete pairwork activity, and get each student to give a summary of his partner’s answers to the class afterwards.

Answers

1. What HAVE YOU BEEN doing since your last English class?
2. What WERE you doing this time last month?
3. HOW MANY new people do you meet each week, more or less?
4. DO YOU live to work or work to live?
5. HOW LONG HAVE you been studying English?
6. Where do you think you WILL BE in 5 or 10 years’ time? What WILL YOU BE doing?
7. Do you sometimes GET nervous when you meet new people? In what situations?
8. If you GO to a party and DON’T know anyone, what DO you do? OR: If you WENT to a party and DIDN’T know anyone, what WOULD you do?
9. The last time you MET somebody in a lift, what DID you talk ABOUT?
10. Tell us something you USED TO do a lot (in the past), but don’t do anymore?
11. What’s the BEST way to MAKE a good impression?
12. Would you say you are a task-orientated or people-orientated person AT work?
13. If you HAD WON the lottery last Christmas, what WOULD you have done?
14. If you HAD to choose one person to represent your country, who WOULD YOU CHOOSE?
15. What ARE YOU GOING to do after this class (for sure)?