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Episode Intro/Preview		
<i>Gizmo Robot</i>	<p>Planning for the weekend</p> <p>In this episode the Lu and the Moore family are planning a special weekend. They are going to the state park, where there are many fun things to do. Too many! Lu must decide which activity to do on Saturday, and which activity to do on Sunday. Then the family will need to decide what to bring along. Here are some words and phrases you will hear in the story.</p> <p><i>(In English w/ Chinese text under English text)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ We can go fishing. ▪ We can go hiking. ▪ There is a beautiful mountain ▪ There are trees. ▪ I want to go boating ▪ The lake is beautiful. ▪ The trees are tall ▪ Activity ▪ Calm ▪ Camera ▪ Exciting ▪ Forest ▪ Lake ▪ Picnic ▪ River ▪ Weekend <p>Let's begin. Click on "Your Mission".</p>	<p>Episode Intro / Episode Preview</p> <p>Helper is on a screen, giving a brief description of what learners are about to see in English. Chinese translation on screen; all the vocabulary is listed in English with translations. Words highlighted are synced to audio. Movie windows include controls, pause/play and close.</p>


Set Up Story Script

Display title

Planning for the weekend

Intro shot

Music up: Scene opens in the kitchen at the Moore's home. Lu is eating a bowl of something when Shannon comes in.


Shannon	Good morning, Lu.	Long shot of family behind barrier, Shannon waving.
Lu	Good morning.	Medium shot of Lu and Shannon
Shannon	We are going to have a special weekend. We are going to the state park.	Close up Lu
Lu	Yes. I am happy. I like parks. 	Medium shot of Family
Shannon	What do you want to do?	
Lu	I'm sorry. I don't understand.	

Shannon	We can do many things at the state park. We can hike in the mountains. We can catch fish in the lake. We can sail on the lake in a boat. What do you want to do? Do you like to hike?	
Lu	What do hike mean?	
Shannon	What does hike mean?	
Lu	Oh. What does hike mean?	
Shannon	Hike means to walk along a trail. I like to hike in the state park. There are some great trails!	
Lu.	Oh. Yes. I like to hike.	
Mrs. Moore	Good morning.	
Shannon	'Morning.	
Lu	Good morning.	
Mrs. Moore	Lu, you are going to enjoy the state park. There is a beautiful forest. There is a large, quiet lake. I like to go to the lake. It is relaxing.	
Lu	What does relaxing mean?	
Mrs. Moore	Relaxing means calm and peaceful.	
Mr. Moore	Yes, the lake is relaxing. But the rafting on the river is great. The river is fast. It is exciting on the river.	
Mrs. Moore	I don't like the river. It is too dangerous.	
Shannon	What do you want to do?	
Mrs. Moore	I want to sail in a boat on the lake. I enjoy sailing. The lake is calm. The scenery is beautiful. We can take the camera. We can take lots of photos. We can eat a picnic lunch beside the lake.	
Shannon	I like the mountains.	
Lu	Why?	
Shannon	The mountains are high. The mountains are beautiful. There are many trails. I enjoy hiking the trails. We can hike the trails in the morning. We can raft on the river or sail on the lake in the afternoon.	
Mr. Moore	I enjoy fishing. I want to go fishing in the morning. There are many fish in the lake. I like to cook the fish. They taste delicious!	
Lloyd	I don't like fish. I like breakfast!	

Lu	Good morning, Lloyd.	Lu looks at the clock and then Lloyd looks at the clock
Lloyd	I like to sleep late.	Lloyd shrugs
Mrs. Moore	Lloyd always sleeps late on Saturday morning. He enjoys sleeping!	
Shannon	Lloyd, we are going to the state park today. What do you want to do?	
Lloyd	I want to eat lunch. Then, I want to take a nap beside the lake!	Everyone laughs
Mrs. Moore	I want to rent a boat. We can sail and fish today. We can hike the trails tomorrow.	
Mr. Moore	I want to go fishing. I don't enjoy hiking. I like rafting on the river. We can raft down the river today. We can sail on the lake tomorrow.	
Lloyd	I don't like hiking. It is too hard. I don't like fishing. It is too boring. I want to sail on the lake this morning. Then, I want to eat a big lunch! We can take a nap in the afternoon.	
All 3 Moores	What do you want to do Lu?	
Lu	I don't know.	
Shannon	We have the whole weekend. We can hike. We can fish. We can sail on the lake or raft on the river. Lloyd can take a nap! Do you want to take a nap?	
Lu	I need to think. There are too many choices.	
Mr. Moore	I have an idea. Now, let me see.	He rummages around in a door, then a cabinet
Shannon	What are you doing, dad?	
Mr. Moore	Here you are, Lu. This is a brochure for the state park.	
Lu	Thank you.	
Mrs. Moore	Look at the brochure, Lu. You are going to choose our activities.	
Shannon	Yeah, we want to do too many things. You need to choose one activity for today. You need to choose one activity for tomorrow.	

Lloyd	I want to do something right now.	
Mrs. Moore	Really? What do you want to do Lloyd?	
Lloyd	I want to eat breakfast!	
Music up		Stares into the camera, brochures in hand
End of Set Up-Robot		
Robot Helper	The Moore family is making plans. Where are they going? Can you help Lu decide? Watch the movie, scene-by-scene, and then read along with the same dialog. When you are ready to move on, return to the map by clicking on the Compass.	

Quizzes

Knowledge Bridge1		
Questions appear in Chinese, answers in English.		
<p>What does Lu need to do?</p> <p>a. buy supplies for school</p> <p>b. choose two activities</p> <p>c. plan a trip to Colorado</p>		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.
<p>What does Shannon want to do at the state park?</p> <p>a. She wants to go to the store.</p> <p>b. She wants to go hiking.</p> <p>c. She wants to take a nap.</p> 		User watches scene of set up story answers question.
<p>What does Mr. Moore want to do on the weekend?</p> <p>a. He wants to go hiking.</p> <p>b. He wants to eat breakfast.</p> <p>c. He wants to go fishing.</p>		User watches scene of set up story answers question.
<p>What will Lu use to make his decision?</p> <p>a. brochure from the park</p> <p>b. a schedule from school</p> <p>c. an email from Ping</p>		User watches scene of set up story answers question.
Knowledge Bridge 2		
<p>Question 1</p> <p>How would you describe a lake?</p> <p>a. The lake is clear.</p>		User selects answer then clicks submit to see if they were right.

<p>b. The lake is tall. c. The lake is fast.</p>	
<p>Question 2 Lu wants to tell Lloyd about something they can do at the park. What does Lu say?</p> <p>a. We can rent a boat. b. We can shop at the store. c. We can find a restaurant.</p>	<p>User selects answer then clicks submit to see if they were right.</p>
<p>Question 3 Mrs. Moore wants to tell Lu about what she wants to do. What does Mrs. Moore say?</p> <p>a. The mountain is fast. b. What should I wear? c. I want to go sailing.</p>	<p>User selects answer then clicks submit to see if they were right.</p>
<p>Question 4 Lloyd asks Lu about parks in China. What should Lu say?</p> <p>a. The cars are very fast. b. We can take photos. c. There are beautiful lakes and rivers.</p>	<p>User selects answer then clicks submit to see if they were right.</p>

 **ading Machine Text**

Read Section

<p>Narrator</p>	<p>This is the brochure.</p> <p>The state park is beautiful. There is a high mountain. There is a very big river and a clear lake. There are many tall trees and wild animals in the park. You can have a relaxing time or an exciting adventure.</p> <p>Do you want to see nature? Many visitors want to hike on the trails. (The mountain trail is too hard for some hikers.) Do you enjoy water sports? The rafting on the river is very exciting. The river is very fast. However, it is too dangerous for small children.</p> <p>Many families want to spend the day at the lake. The lake is calm. Visitors like to go sailing and fishing. The state park is a special place for everyone.</p>	<p>Audio sync to highlight. User explores meaning with dictionary.</p>
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Links Section		
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Grammar Links		
want to see	<i>Want</i> + infinitive	
There are, there is	<i>There is/There are</i>	
The lake is calm	<i>To be</i> + adjective	
too, very	<i>Very</i> = greatly so; <i>too</i> = pejorative meaning excessively	
go sailing	go + ...-ing : verb + gerund = introduction of gerundive form of verb	
tall, high	tall versus high	
Culture Links		
rafting	<p>Rafting is short for whitewater rafting which is a popular water sport in America. It involves taking a rubber raft down a fast running river made up of "rapids" for an afternoon adventure.</p> <p>Since a sudden drop in elevation creates a whitewater river, the most popular locations for rafting in the US are around mountainous areas. The Appalachian mountains, Rocky mountains, and the Sierra Nevada Mountains all have many whitewater rivers and outfitters who guide tourist down these fast moving waters.</p> <p>Whitewater has a difficulty level classification system intended to alert paddlers on the skill level necessary to safely navigate the river. Class 1 being the easiest to class 5 recommended only for an expert. There is a class 6, which is described as extreme and exploratory. Class 6 rapids have almost never been attempted.</p>	

<p>water sports</p>	<p>Lakes, rivers, and beaches are popular tourist attractions. Common water sports include; boating, fishing, jet skiing, kayaking, rafting, sailing, surfing, scuba diving, water skiing, kite boarding, and wind surfing.</p> <p>There are several clubs and competitions available for all of these sports.</p>	
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Images

<p>hikers fishing Mountain Trees animals River lake children</p>		
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Fallout Section

<p>tall lake</p>	<p>The state park is beautiful. There is a high mountain. There is a very big river and a clear lake. There are many ___ trees and wild animals in the park. You can have a relaxing time or an exciting adventure.</p> <p>Do you want to see nature? Many visitors want to hike on the trails. (The mountain trail is too hard for some hikers.) Do you enjoy water sports? The rafting on the river is very exciting. The river is very fast. However, it is too dangerous for small children.</p> <p>Many families want to spend the day at the lake. The _____ is calm. Visitors like to go sailing and fishing. The state park is a special place for everyone.</p>	
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<p>everyone river fishing mountain</p>	<p>The state park is beautiful. There is a high _____. There is a very big river and a clear lake. There are many tall trees and wild animals in the park. You can have a relaxing time or an exciting adventure.</p> <p>Do you want to see nature? Many visitors want to hike on the trails. (The mountain trail is too hard for some hikers.) Do you enjoy water sports? The rafting on the _____ is very exciting. The river is very fast. However, it is too dangerous for small children.</p> <p>Many families want to spend the day at the lake. The</p>	
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Record Section

1. high 2. There are 3. Do you want 4. beautiful 5. spend the day 6. water sports 7. lake 8. relaxing 9. visitors 10. The river is very fast.	The state park is beautiful. There is a high mountain. There is a very big river and a clear lake. There are many tall trees and wild animals in the park. You can have a relaxing time or an exciting adventure. Do you want to see nature? Many visitors want to hike on the trails. (The mountain trail is too hard for some hikers.) Do you enjoy water sports? The rafting on the river is very exciting. The river is very fast. However, it is too dangerous for small children. Many families want to spend the day at the lake. The lake is calm. Visitors like to go sailing and fishing. The state park is a special place for everyone.	
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Coaching 1 & 2

Be the Coach 1

Lu and Shannon are talking at school.

Shannon	Do you want to go to the state park?	
Gizmo	Lu wants to ask about activities for the weekend. What does he say? How does he say, "What do you want to do at the state park?" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What do you want to do at the state park? • <i>What can we do at the state park?</i> • <i>What should we do at the state park?</i> 	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		
Shannon	Do you want to go to the park?	
Lu	What do you want to do at the state park?	
Shannon	We can hike the trails.	
Lu	Thanks for your help.	Lu turns to camera
Be the Coach 2		
Lloyd and Lu are at the house.		
Lloyd	What do you want to do at the state park?	
Gizmo	<p>Lu needs some help to answer Lloyd's question. How do you say, "I want to go sailing"?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ We can fish in the lake. ▪ Here is my backpack. ▪ I want to go sailing. 	<p>User watches the intro movie. Helps carry the story mission along through the episode.</p> <p>User answers question. If correct, advance to next scene.</p> <p>If incorrect 1st time, gets a "try again"</p> <p>If incorrect 2nd time, program auto answers the question sending the user back to practice. User will not advance on the map.</p>
Closing Scene		
Lloyd	What do you want to do at the state park?	
Lu	I want to go sailing.	
Lloyd	I like to sail on the lake.	
Lu	Thanks for your help.	Lu turns to camera

Featured Cultural Content –

States	<p>The name United States of America refers to the 50 states that are united together to form the entire country. States in the US are very important and people often have strong allegiances to the state where they are from, where they were raised. If you ask someone where they are from, often they will reply simply with the state, like Kansas or California.</p> <p>In the past, a person might spend their entire life in a single state, perhaps only visiting another state. Today, with the</p>	
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	<p>ease of travel and modern communication, a person may live in many states in their lifetime. Common reasons for moving to another state include going to college, pursuing a specific career, family and job transfers.</p> <p>Each state has its own capital and state government. The people that live in a specific state elect a governor for the state. States are sub-divided into districts or counties and these are represented in state government as well.</p> <p>States have a lot of responsibilities. They provide public education, maintain roads and oversee the provision of water and electric. They often require residents to pay a state tax to help pay for these services.</p> <p>Forty-eight of the fifty states are located in a single landmass between the Atlantic and Pacific oceans and between Canada and Mexico. The other two states are Hawaii and Alaska. Hawaii is a tropical island and Alaska is in the frozen north, bordered on one side by Canada, but is mostly surrounded by ocean.</p>	
<p>State Parks</p>	<p>Each individual state in the United States has unique history, geography and wildlife. State parks were created in order to preserve and display all of these features, and allow the people to enjoy them and learn about them.</p> <p>State parks usually have some sort of focal point like a spectacular waterfall or perhaps a rock formation or canyon. They often offer visitors lodging or camping facilities. Some state parks even let you bring the family dog!</p> <p>The first park that was created by a state (and that still exists today) is Niagara Falls, created in New York in 1885. Landowners generously donated some of the land for the early parks, and others were purchased. Some of the original state parks were historical parks established to preserve Revolutionary War sites, Civil War battlefields, military forts, and battle sites from the Indian wars in the West.</p> <p>Most state parks require an entrance fee and a charge for camping or other special activities. This money is then used to maintain the park. Over 700 million people visit state parks in the US. California alone has 277 different state parks.</p>	

Email Engine		
Activity 3 = Email engine: Lu sends email to Ping describing the National Park and asking for advice.		
Email practice activity starts with a bit of a movie. Lu is at a desk. He pushes play on the answering machine and hears this in Chinese: "Hello Lu – it's Ping! Email me and tell me what's going on." Shot cuts to the close up of the computer screen with the email program open.		
Computer Voice	<i>SFX plays as an email window with ping@chenggo.org pops up</i>	Close up of Monitor - Email to Ping opens automatically.
Gizmo:	<i>How would you begin this email?</i> Clickable phrases (text only): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hello Ping!• Sincerely• Dear Lu	One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.
Gizmo:	<i>Describe the weekend for Ping.</i> Clickable phrases (text only): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The mountains are tall• We are going to a state park.• What can we do at the park?	One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.
Gizmo:	<i>Tell Ping what you want to do.</i> Clickable phrases (text only): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• I want to go to the mall.• I need to go to the movies.• I want to see the mountain.	One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.
SFX indicates the degree of difficulty goes up.		
Gizmo:	<i>Listen to these phrases and decide which one describes the mountain.</i> Clickable icons (audio only): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The mountain is high.• The lake is beautiful.• The trees are tall.	One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.
Gizmo:	<i>Listen to these phrases and decide which one describes an activity on the mountain.</i> Clickable icons (audio only): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• I want to go hiking.• The lake is beautiful.• I can go sailing.	One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.
Gizmo:	<i>Listen to these phrases and decide which one describes another area in the park.</i> Clickable icons (audio only): <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The mountain is high.• There is a beautiful lake.• I can go rafting.	One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.
Gizmo:	<i>Listen to these phrases and decide which one describes something that can be done at the lake.</i>	One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it

	<p>Clickable icons (audio only):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The mountains are tall • We can go hiking. • I can fish in the lake 	<p>appears in place in the email.</p>
Gizmo:	<p><i>Listen to these phrases and decide which one describes the river.</i></p> <p>Clickable icons (audio only):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What should I wear? • There is a big river. • We can bring a picnic. 	<p>One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.</p>
<p>SFX indicates the degree of difficulty goes up. Now the user assembles sentences.</p>		
Gizmo:	<p><i>Listen to this phrase and add it, word by word to the email. "I want to go rafting".</i></p> <p>Click and drag words. (Text and audio):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I • hiking • to go • want • rafting 	<p>One Distracter – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.</p>
Gizmo:	<p><i>Listen to this phrase and add it, word by word to the email. Tell Ping, "I can take my camera."</i></p> <p>Click and drag words. (Text and audio):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I • mountain • take • my • can • bottle • camera 	<p>Two Distracters – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.</p>
Gizmo:	<p><i>Listen to this phrase and add it, word by word to the email. Ask Ping, "What do you want to do?"</i></p> <p>Click and drag words. (Text and audio):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • to do • do you • I • what • want • to see 	<p>Two Distracters – When correct phrase is selected it appears in place in the email.</p>
<p>Ending – Play when user answers correct: the feedback is Lu saying thank you and hitting the send button:</p>		

APPLY- FINAL CHALLENGE

Read Assessment – Lu makes a list		
Lu is going to make a list of activities to choose from		
Gizmo:	<p>Things to do at the state park.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We can go hike on the trails We can shop in the store We can go tomorrow <p>Text below displays on screen in Chinese:</p> <p>“Which line says, “We can hike on the trails.”?”</p>	<p>Student must read the options and click on one of three M/C answers</p> <p>1st time fail: User hears first feedback in English with Chinese text only translation displaying on screen: “No, try again.”</p> <p>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.</p>

Listening Assessment – Lu at the gym		
In the kitchen with the Moores -		
Gizmo:	It’s time to listen and help Lu.	
Mrs. Moore (Ann)	The lake is clear.	Mrs. Moore and Lu in the kitchen
Gizmo:	<p>What did the Mrs. Moore say?</p> <p>Click on one of these three answers. (Text multiple choice appears).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The lake is over. The lake is tall. The lake is clear. 	

Speaking Assessment - Your turn		
Lloyd is sitting at the table and eating breakfast.		

Conversation 01		
Gizmo	Now it is your turn. Lu can’t make up his mind. If you help answer Lloyd and Shannon’s questions, you can go to the state park, too!	Lloyd, Lu and Shannon and the user at the table in the kitchen, mom is doing dishes in the background.

Lloyd	What can we do at the park?	Close up Lloyd to the user
Gizmo	Say – We can fish in the lake. (1)	Medium shot of all 3 at the table.
If correct:		
Lloyd	I don't like to fish. Tell me about the lake.	Close up Lloyd to the user
Gizmo	Say -- The lake is calm. (2)	Medium shot of all 3 at the table.
If correct:		
Lloyd	What can we do at the lake?	Close up Lloyd to the user
Gizmo	Say -- We can sail on the lake. (3)	Medium shot of all 3 at the table.
If correct:		
Lloyd	Yeah! I like to sail. .	Close up Lloyd
If correct:		
Conversation 02		
Gizmo	Ask Shannon, "What can we do on Sunday?" (4)	Medium shot of all 3 at the table.
If correct		
Shannon	We can hike the trails. Do you like to hike?	Close up Shannon
Gizmo	Say – Yes. I like to hike. (5)	Medium shot of all 3 at the table.
If correct		
Shannon	Do you like to take pictures?	Close up Shannon
Gizmo:	Say -- Yes. I want to take my camera. (6)	Medium shot of all 3 at the table.
If correct		
Shannon	.What can we see at the park?	Close up Shannon
Gizmo	Say – There are many plants and animals. (7)	Room Shot – Mrs. Moore approaches and stands behind Lu – hand on shoulder
If correct		
Mrs. Moore (Ann)	Great! We can sail on the lake on Saturday and hike the trails on Sunday.	oom Shot – Mrs. Moore approaches and stands behind Lu – hand on shoulder
If correct		
Gizmo	That was very good! You have helped the whole family!	Screen transitions to the game – we hear the snap of a camera
Gizmo	Here is a photo of all of you at the state park.	Photo of the previous scene in center of the screen.

Global Content for Word Wizard / Sentence Scramble / Simon		
Vocabulary		
Target	Recycled	Enrichment
activity also beautiful boat Brochure calm camera Choices clear Dangerous exciting fast forest friendly high jacket lake little lots mountain Mountains Nap Park (noun; state park) Photos of picnic Rafting relaxing Rent river scenery special state to fish to hike to rent Trails weekend or to take	'd like a/an big blue green I in notebook on paper pencil should sports the that this to be to eat to go to like to play (sports) to play to see what friend great water Breakfast choose delicious tomorrow	bottle snack
Phrases		
We can go fishing. We can go hiking. There is a beautiful mountain. There are trees. I want to go boating The lake is beautiful. The trees are tall.	What can we do? I'd like I want I don't understand	What should I take? Should I take snacks? Should I take a water bottle?