

## UNIT 68 Exercises

### 68.1 Answer these questions in the way shown.

Example: "Was it a good movie?" "Yes, it was *the best movie*. I've ever seen."

- "Is it a big hotel?" "Yes, it is *the biggest* ..... in the city."
- "Is he a rich man?" "Yes, he is *the richest man* I've ever met."
- "Was it a bad accident?" "Yes, it was *the worst* ..... I've ever seen."
- "Is it a cheap restaurant?" "Well, it is *the cheapest* ..... you will find."
- "It's hot today, isn't it?" "Yes, it is *the hottest* ..... day of the year."

### 68.2 Put in a/an or the. Sometimes you don't need either word – you leave it blank. (If necessary see Unit 67 for a/an and the).

Examples: We went to *the* ..... most expensive restaurant in town.

Do you want to watch ..... television this evening?

Last night we went out for ..... *a* ..... meal in ..... *a* ..... restaurant.

- I wrote my name at *the* ..... top of the page.
- The* ..... moon goes around *the* ..... earth every 27 days.
- The Soviet Union was *the* ..... first country to send a man into ..... *X* ..... space.
- Did you see the movie on *the* ..... television or in *the* ..... movie theater?
- After ..... *X* ..... lunch, we went for a walk by ..... *the* ..... sea.
- I'm not very hungry. I had *a* ..... big breakfast.
- John was *the* ..... only person I talked to at the party.
- Liz lives in ..... *a* ..... small village in ..... *the* ..... country.
- Peru is ..... *a* ..... country in South America. *the* ..... capital is Lima.
- I never listen to *the* ..... radio. In fact, I don't have ..... *a* ..... radio.
- It was ..... *a* ..... beautiful day. *the* ..... sun shone brightly in ..... *the* ..... sky.
- I've invited Tom to *X* ..... dinner next Wednesday.
- What is ..... *the* ..... highest mountain in *the* ..... world?
- We don't go to *the* ..... theater very much these days. In fact, in *the* ..... town where we live there isn't ..... *a* ..... theater.
- It was a long voyage. We were at ..... *X* ..... sea for four weeks.
- I prefer swimming in ..... *the* ..... sea to swimming in pools.
- Can you turn *the* ..... television down, please? It's a little loud.

### 68.3 Here are some things Tom did yesterday. Write a sentence for each.

Morning:	8:00 breakfast	8:30–9:00 radio	9:30 walk/country
Afternoon:	1:00 lunch	2:30 movies	
Evening:	6:30 dinner	8:00–10:00 television	

- At 8:00 he had breakfast* .....
- From 8:30 until 9:00 he listened *to the radio* .....
- At 9:30 he went for a walk in *the country* .....
- At 1:00 he *had lunch* .....
- At 2:30 ..... *he went to the movies/to see a movie* .....
- At 6:30 ..... *he had dinner* .....
- From ..... *8pm to 10pm he watched television* .....