Transportation

Conversation Practice this conversation:

Erica: Excuse me. Could you tell me where the bank is?

Man: There's one upstairs, across from the duty-free shop.

Erica: Oh, thanks. Do you know what time it opens?

Man: It should be open now. It opens at 8:00 AM.

Erica: Good. And can you tell me how often the buses leave for the city?

Man: You need to check at the transportation counter. It's right down the hall;

Erica: Ok. And just one more thing. Do you know where the nearest restroom is?

Man: Right behind you, ma'am. See that sign?

Erica: Oh. Thanks a lot.

Grammar focus

Write indirect question using these Wh-questions.

- 1- How much does newspaper cost?
- 2- Where is the nearest cash machine?
- 3- What time do the banks open?
- 4- How often do the buses come?
- 5- Where can you get a good hamburger?
- 6- How late do the nightclubs stay open?

Making wishes

Conversation Practice this conversation:

Brian: So where are you working now, Terry?

Terry: Oh, I'm still at the bank. I don't like it, though.

Brian: That's too bad. Why not?

Terry: Well, it's boring, and it doesn't pay very well.

Brian: I know what you mean. I don't like my job either. I wish I could find a better job.

Terry: Actually, I don't want to work at all anymore. I wish I had o lot of money so I could retire now.

Brian: Hmm, how old are you, Terry?

Terry: Uh, twenty-six.

Grammar focus:

- **1.** Write a response using wish for each statement.
 - 1- My class is boring.
 - 2- I have to take the bus to work every day.
 - 3- Our apartment is too small.
 - 4- I have too much homework.
 - 5- I'm not in good shape.
 - 6- I don't have enough money.
 - 7- I don't have any free time.
- 2. Rewrite these sentences using not.....enough or too and the word from this list/

Dark, modern, reasonable, small, cramped, quit, inconvenient, safe.

- 1- The house is too expensive.
- 2- The rooms aren't light enough.
- 3- The living room isn't spacious enough for the family.
- 4- The bathroom is too old.
- 5- The yard isn't big enough for the children.
- 6- The street is too noisy for us.
- 7- The neighborhood is too dangerous.
- 8- The kitchen isn't convenient enough.
- **3.** Which words or phrases often go with verbs?

| My appearance | happier | no homework | my job |
|----------------|-----------|----------------|----------------|
| More free time | healthier | somewhere else | to a new place |
| be | change | have | move |
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Writing: write about one of your wishes from that list:

Your appearance your skills your home

Your family your school or job your free time.