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1	In Britain, shockwaves from Israel– Hamas war are jolting domestic politics	UK • politics • war in Gaza • Labour Party • Conservative Party • society • elections • voters	
2	My first name does me no favours in Germany. That's why I rely on Julia, Lena, and Anja.	Opinion • Germany • society • prejudices • second-generation immigrants • young people • names	Exam practice (comprehension • analysis • evaluation • comment • discussion)
3	As Switzerland's glaciers shrink, a way of life may melt away	Switzerland • environment • climate change • society • traditions • business • transhumance	
4	Beverly Hills elite banned from home improvements	US • California • housing • society • rich vs poor • politics	
4	Senators warn AI could lead to 'destruction' of local news	US • artificial intelligence • news media • politics	
5	Some states want to help kids question social media and news	US • education • curriculum • young people • social media • news • fake news • disinformation • media literacy	Advanced training (discussion • matching definitions • reading comprehension • analysis • vocabulary • group debate • cartoon analysis • presentation practice)
6	Jürgen Klopp understands Liverpool – and has made everything hit different	Opinion • UK • football • Jürgen Klopp • Liverpool FC • society	
6	US diplomacy calms storm in salty teacup	UK • US • tea • special relationship • science	

7	Boom time for mini nuclear power plants across Britain	UK • nuclear energy • environment • green energy • politics	Audio
8	India snubs Scotch for homemade whisky	India • whisky • business • society	
8	Invasive fire ants form 'rafts' as they spread on Australia's waterways	Australia • environment • invasive species	
9	'The social contract has completely ruptured'	Ireland • Dublin • housing crisis • society • politics	Speaking practice (forming an opinion • discussion • pair work • role-play • presentation practice • video message)
10	Hospitals are desperate for workers. They might find them in high schools.	US • education • vocational training • health care • young people • business • working world • society	Audio
11	Where textile mills thrived, remnants battle for survival	US • garment industry • textile business • politics • Chinese imports	
12	This pay phone is free, but it only plays birdsongs	US • art • society • wildlife	Audio
13	Dinner parties are back: But smaller, more casual – and with Twiglets	UK • lifestyle • dinner parties • society • cost-of-living crisis	Audio Listening comprehension (short answer round • gap fill activity • H5P online vocabulary exercise)
14	Hologram lecturers thrill students at trailblazing UK university	UK • higher education • artificial intelligence • science • technology	Audio Crossword puzzle (page 15)
14	Why do dogs wag their tails?	Netherlands • science • dogs and humans	Crossword puzzle (page 15)
15	'Orbital' by Samantha Harvey	Literature	Crossword puzzle (page 15)
16	Fans of 'Chicago Rat Hole' rescue rodent-shaped crater	US • Chicago • society • rats	

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