BASIC ACTIONS: PART I

5.1. Vocabulary

Ex. 1. Match the words to their Russian equivalents.

1. segment	а. регулировать
2. tilt	b. отмечать
3. slice	с. сегмент
4. cut	d. пила
5. turn	е. часть
6. slide	f. резать
7. saw	g. скользить
8. rotate	h. перекос
9. mark	і. измерять
10. measure	ј. вращать
11. adjust	k. поворачивать

Ex. 2. Complete the sentences with the given words:

cut, adjust, measure, segments, mark, rotate, slice, saw, tilted

I will(1) the date on the calendar when we make our plans.
Can I have a(2) of cake, please?
The picture frame is(3), I need to straighten it. We need to(4) the length of the table before buying a tablecloth.
You can(5) the screen on your phone by turning it sideways.
Be careful when using the (6), it is sharp.

Can you(7) the vegetables into smaller pieces for the salad?
The orange is divided into(8) that are easy to peel.
You can(9) the volume of the TV using the remote control.

5.2. Reading

Ex. 1. Read the text.

What A Plumber Does

A plumber is a person who fixes water pipes, baths, toilets, etc. Here are some of the basic actions done by plumbers:

Cutting: A plumber cuts metal and plastic pipes with different tools like a saw or a tube cutter.

Measuring: A plumber measures the length of the pipe before cutting it. They mark the place where they want to cut the pipe.

Turning: A plumber uses a wrench to turn nuts and bolts. The wrench helps them to tighten or loosen these things.

Adjusting: A plumber adjusts the parts of a tap, showerhead, etc. They change the direction in which water flows by adjusting the handle of a faucet.

Rotating: A plumber rotates a valve to control the flow of water. They can either open or close the valve.

Sawing: A plumber uses a hacksaw to cut through metal pipes.

Sliding: A plumber slides a rubber ring onto a pipe before connecting two pipes together. This ring is called a washer.

Tilting: A plumber tilts a pipe so that water can flow easily.

Joining: A plumber joins two pipes together using a connector. They also connect two pieces of a broken pipe using adhesive or other methods.

These are just a few examples of what plumbers do. Plumbers need to have a lot of knowledge and skill to fix plumbing problems.

Ex. 2. Answer the questions.

- 1. What are some of the basic actions done by plumbers?
- 2. How do plumbers cut metal and plastic pipes?
- 3. Why do plumbers measure the length of the pipe before cutting it?
- 4. What tool do plumbers use to turn nuts and bolts?
- 5. How do plumbers adjust the parts of a tap or showerhead?
- 6. What does a plumber do when they rotate a valve?
- 7. What tool do plumbers use to cut through metal pipes?
- 8. What is the purpose of sliding a rubber ring onto a pipe?
- 9. How do plumbers tilt a pipe?
- 10. How do plumbers join two pipes together?

5.3. Communication

Ex. 1. Make sentences using the following words:

- 1. plumber/fixed/leaky
- 2. plumber/unclog/toilet
- 3. plumber/installed/water
- 4. plumber/repair/broken
- 5. plumber/replaced/showerhead
- 6. plumber/check/water
- 7. plumber/cleaned/drain
- 8. plumber/fix/dripping
- 9. plumber/removed/blockage
- 10. plumber/connect/dishwasher