

PODCASTNIC



EPISODE 14: SITTING IN THE STUDENT'S LOUNGE

ANSWER KEY

1. Choose the most appropriate reply to the following statements:

a. "I feel like taking five."

"I think that's just what the doctor ordered. Let's go outside. "

b. "Don't slack off!"

" I'll keep working hard."

c. "It's not worth losing any sleep over it."

" I know, but I just can't help worrying about it. "

d. "I really have to hit the books!"

"I know what you mean. I'm going to stay up all night studying. "

e. "I'm feeling stressed out!"

" Take five and relax. You'll get sick if you keep this up."

2- Fill in the gaps with the expressions in the box.

1. Jessica is really tired. Her English **midterm** is just **around the corner**. I think it's next week.

2. Jack couldn't care less about his exams. He still has a **pile** of essays to write.

3. The teacher told us not to **slack off**. We have to keep working hard.

4. You should **go over** your notes again. There are still things you don't really understand.

3. Listen to the dialogues one more time and order the sentences below:

José- Hi! Uau... You've been working hard. What's with all the papers?

Jessica- I've just finished a **pile** of homework. and now I have some serious studying to do. **Midterms** are just **around the corner...**

José- Oh... Well don't get too **stressed out** about it. I'm sure you will do well. I mean, you shouldn't **slack off**, but it's not worth **losing any sleep over it**.

Jessica- That's easy for you to say.... I've seen you **hit the books** last week when you had to take your English exam.

José- Thank goodness that is over! I feel like someone lifted a **huge weight off my shoulders.**

Jessica- I think I know what you mean. Well... let me **go over** my notes one more time.

José- OK. Have fun! I'm going to the movies tonight with Martina and then to the café. If you feel like **taking five...**

Jessica- Yeah... Thanks a lot!