Chapters 18 and 19

(Underlining indicates a word or word form from the Academic Word List)

Target Vocabulary: Chapter 18

**available** adj.: able to be found

**constantly** adj.: without stopping, all the time

**intercom** n.: a communication system that allows people in different parts of a building to talk

**repertory** n.: a type of theatre work in which actors perform different plays on different days, instead of doing the same play for a long time

**schedule** n.: a plan of what someone is going to do and when they are going to do it

**security** n.: safety

**tryout** n.: a test so that the best can be chosen; an audition

**tumble out** v.: moving quickly without much thought or control

Target Vocabulary: Chapter 19

**confide** v.: tell someone you trust about secrets or personal things

**lovesick** adj.: spending a lot of time thinking about someone you love and missing them

**relax** v.: enjoy yourself while not working

**struggles** n.: challenges, difficulties

**successful** adj.: well-known, respected, often implying earning a lot of money

**Activity 1: Definitions**

Look at the way each underlined word is used in each sentence. Match each underlined word with the correct definition.
1. I’m already busy Friday, but I’m available for work Saturday and Sunday.

2. She talks constantly – she never shuts up!

3. I try to schedule my classes in the morning, so I can work in the afternoon.

4. Security guards stood near the doors of the bank.

5. They spent the day swimming, reading and relaxing by the pool.

6. Jim started with one small store, but now he owns several successful businesses.

_____ 1. available  a. a list of events that happen at a certain time
_____ 2. constantly  b. present or ready for use
_____ 3. schedule  c. safe, free from fear or danger
_____ 4. security  d. not working; enjoying oneself
_____ 5. relaxing  e. to turn out well; to be profitable; to succeed
_____ 6. successful  f. all the time

Activity 2: Word Families

Use the words given below to fill in the word family chart. Some of the words will be used more than once. The first one has been done for you.

available  constantly  relax  security
availability  constant 2x  relaxed  secures 2x
avail  relaxation  securely
relaxing

successful
successfully
success
succeed
Activity 3: Word Forms

Complete each sentence with one of the words below. Change the word form by adding -s, -ed, -ly, or -ing if necessary.

available  constantly  schedule  security  relax  successful

1. Airport ________ has gotten much tighter since 9/11/2001. Now every suitcase is opened and examined carefully.
2. What’s your ________ like this afternoon? Can you take a coffee break at three?
3. Many people like ________ in front of the TV.
4. The sale was very ________. We made a lot of money.
5. Are there still tickets ________ for Saturday night?
6. He’s ________ on his computer, but he’s not working he’s playing games.