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 - *Relax* is not a noun in English, use *relaxing* (adj.) or *relaxation* (n.)
 - Especially in the summer, swimming is very **relaxing** for me.
2. **Interesting is** that octopuses have three hearts and their blood is blue.
 - “Zajímavé je, že...” is missing a subject: *it*.
 - **It's interesting** that octopuses have three hearts and their blood is blue.
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 - In English, you don't *have* a good mood you are in a good mood.
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4. On our anniversary, **we** went to the cinema **with my husband** and then had a drink.
 - *We* = two or more people, so *we...with my husband* means there were at least 3 people.
 - On our anniversary, **my husband and I** went to the cinema and then had a drink.
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 - The preposition is *in*: exam *in* English, B *in* Geography
 - We have the final exam **in** English... or: We have the final **English exam**...