Lesson 7:

To say what kind of car you have :-

Dè seòrsa càr a th' agaibh?	Jay shawr-sa car a hakiv What kind of car do you have?
'S e Ford Focus a th' ann. 'S e Volkswagen Golf a th' ann	
'S e a th' ann	It is a

To say where you are staying.

Càit a bheil sibh a' fuireach?	Where are you staying?
Tha sinn a' fuireach ann an taigh-òsta.	We are staying in a hotel.

Càit a bheil sibh a' fuireach, ann an taigh-òsta? Where are you staying, (is it) in a hotel?

Chan ann. Tha sinn a' fuireach còmhla ri mo phiuthar. Tha taigh snog aice ann an Glaschu. No. We are staying with my sister. She has a nice house in Glasgow.

Am bheil an taigh aice mòr. Is her house big Chan eil, 's e taigh beag a th'ann. No it is small (if "ann" is at the end of the sentence then start the sentence with " 'S e ")

Phrases to use to intimate that something is very good etc.

Glè mhath	glay vah	very good
Tha sin uabhasach math	hah shin oo-ava-such mah	that is very good (-such as in loch) (sin=that)
Tha sin math.	hah shin mah	that is good.
Math dha-rìribh	mah gah ree-riv	good indeed
'S math sin	smah-shin	that's good

To say you will see someone you say:

Chi mi a-màireach sibh or	chee me ah marach shiv	See you tomorrow (formal)(plural)
Chi mi a-màireach thu	chee me ah marach oo	See you tomorrow. (informal)

Literally (I will see tomorrow you)

You can replace a-màireach with eg "an-nochd" for tonight or "an ath sheachdain" for next week or "an ath bhliadhna" for next year. The "an ath" means next.

To say you will see her:

Chi sibh i anns an Dàmhair ann am Pàislig.	You will see her in October in Paisley.
Chi sibh e an uair sin.	You will see him then. (an uair sin) = then

Your sentence starts with "you will see" (Chi sibh) then put what or who you will see, in this case "him or her" ie "e" or "i".

More Greeting phrases:

Dè do chor a-nis?jay daw chawr ah-neeshHow are things at the moment (now)Dè ur cor a-nis?jay oor kawr ah-neeshHow are things now (more formal) or plural.Cor math. Chan eil dona idir. Kawr mah chan yale dawna eechar Things are going well, not bad at all.

Tha mi gu dòigheil tapadh leibh *hah mee goo doy-yal tapah leev* Very pleasant thank you.

To say you must go somewhere:

Faodaidh mi a dhol dhan fharpais Cuach Cuimhneachan Mairead nic Dhonnchaidh

Fi-tee mee a gawl gan ar-peesh Koo-uch Kyn-yichin My-rat neechk goo-nachy.

I must go to the competition Margrat Duncan Memorial Trophy.

Faodaidh sinn a dhol dhan chlas Ghàidhlig We must go to the Gaelic Class. Faodaidh sibh a dhol dhan taigh-dhealbh a-nochd You must go to the cinema tonight

Taigh-dhealbh - literally house of pictures is the cinema.

Faodaidh sibh - says that you must go ---- wherever.

To say you are thinking of something or you have an opinion on something:

5 5	Vhat is your opinion or what do you think. What is your opinion (formal)(Plural)	
'S e mo bheachd(sa) Sheh moh vyachk	<i>x(sa)</i> It is my opinion	
Tha mi a' smaoineachadh hah mee ah smin-yi-chug I think		
Dè do bheachd air a' chursa Ghàidhlig Ulpan. What is your opinion of the Gaelic course Ulpan.		
Reply: Bha e uabhasach math	It was very good	

To say that you did or made something you say:

Cha robh e uabhasach math idir.

Rinn mi *ryne mee* I did or I made. Rinn mi Cursa Gàidhlig ann an Sabhal Mòr. *ryne mee coor-sa galik a-oon an sah-ul more* I did a Gaelic course in Sabhal Mòr Ostaig (the Gaelic College on Skye)

Rinn mi cupa tì an-diugh I made a cup of tea today Rinn mi clas Gàidhlig còmhla ri Iain Blàr. I did a Gaelic class with John or Iain Blair.

It wasn't very good at all