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Unit 1

Track 1.01

Boy: When Mrs Perkins walked in and saw Renata, she took off her blue raincoat and was wearing the clothes that Renata usually wears! So old jeans, a band T-shirt and blue trainers! She heard Renata talking to her friends about the plan at lunchtime and decided to do the same thing! Mrs Perkins is a very funny teacher!

Track 1.02

Listen. For each question, choose the correct picture.

1 How many children went to the fashion show?

Man: Did you enjoy the fashion show, Alex?

Alex: Yes, it was great, we loved it!

Man: Did everyone in your class go?

Alex: No, five people were ill, so there were sixteen of us. But when we got there, there were only fifteen chairs for us! We all had a fun time though.

Now listen again.

Man: Did you enjoy the fashion show, Alex?

Alex: Yes, it was great, we loved it!

Man: Did everyone in your class go?

Alex: No, five people were ill, so there were sixteen of us. But when we got there, there were only fifteen chairs for us! We all had a fun time though.

2 What food will the children make?

Girl: Are you ready to make a pizza?

Boy: We don't have any tomatoes! Let's make something sweet instead.

Girl: How about some biscuits?

Boy: I think a cake would be better.

Girl: OK!

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3 How much is the raincoat?

James: Dad, can you buy me this raincoat? It's cheaper here than online.

Dad: How much is it, James? I can't spend more than thirty pounds.

James: It says twenty-six pounds but I think everything in this autumn part is half price.

Dad: Oh yes, you're right, it's only thirteen pounds. But James, that's the last thing I'm buying you until your birthday!

James: Thanks Dad!

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4 What will the weather be like when Paul goes out?

Dad: Paul, it's not foggy now. Shall we go out and buy that jewellery for your sister?

Paul: I'm doing a puzzle on my tablet now. Anyway, it's still cold and it's going to snow later.

Dad: OK. Well, shall we go out tomorrow when it's sunnier?

Paul: Yes, OK. I'll have more time then.

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5 What will the girl try on?

Girl: Mum, look at this leather jacket. Do you like it?

Mum: Mm, not really. What clothes do you need for Jane's party? A new blouse like this?

Girl: No, I don't like those spots on it. What about this striped jumper?

Mum: Yes, that's nice. Take it to the changing rooms over there.

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6 Which factory did Jim visit last year?

Woman: Where did you go for your school trip last year, Jim? Did you go to that factory that makes handbags?

Jim: I really wanted to, but we couldn't because it was closed. But our teacher took us to an even bigger one that makes trainers.

Woman: Are you going there again this year?

Jim: I don't think so. My science teacher wants to take us to a place that makes laptops this year.

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Unit 2

Track 2.01

1 How did Rafael contact Anna?

Rafael: I'm sorry I couldn't call you last night, I was busy helping my mum.

Anna: That's OK. Did you send me a text message?

Rafael: No, I sent you an email on my laptop because my phone didn't have any battery.

Anna: Oh, OK. I'll check now.

2 Which screen are they using to watch the video?

Emiliano: Oh, look. Here's a video of Sam's dog, Rupert. It's very funny. He's watching football on TV and he's trying to catch the ball!

Martina: I can't see. Move your phone up a bit, no down a bit. That's it. Ha ha!

3 What are they looking at?

Jenny: What's this file on your computer, Mum?

Mum: Oh, I don't know, Jenny. It's probably something from my work.

Jenny: I don't think it's work. It's called 'Jim and Jenny, summer'.

Mum: Oh, OK. Open it. Oh look. Photos of you and your brother when you were little. Here you both are in the playground.

4 What can Abril borrow?

Joaquín: What's wrong?

Abril: I want to take my laptop to Grandma's, but the mouse doesn't work.

Joaquín: Do you want to take mine?

Abril: What? Your very new, very expensive laptop that nobody can use?

Joaquín: No, not my new laptop! My old mouse.

Abril: Oh, OK.

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Track 2.03

Listen. For each question, choose the correct answer.

1

Dr Şafak: Good morning everyone. Last week our design-an-app competition started. If you want to enter it, send me an email with a link to your app by the end of the week. Remember, your app must help students study for their exams. Tomorrow, I'll tell you about the prizes you can win.

2

Azra: I'm really excited about the competition, Burak.

Burak: Are you going to enter it, then?

Azra: Yes! Are you going to enter it too?

Burak: I think so. I've got a good idea for an app.

Azra: Me too!

Burak: Perhaps you'll win the competition.

Azra: I hope so, Burak!

3

Dr Şafak: Good morning everyone. I've downloaded and used your apps on my mobile phone - it took me a long time; I was surprised so many students entered the competition! All your apps were great, but as you know only one student can win the competition. Before I tell you who it is, let me say 'well done' for all your work.

4

Burak: Well done, Azra!

Azra: Thanks, Burak. I didn't think I'd win the competition. I was surprised!

Burak: I wasn't. I thought your app was brilliant. I used it last night.

Azra: It took me a week to design it.

Burak: That's quick! I worked on mine for two weeks!

Unit 3

Track 3.01

Mum: Emma, Zoe your tennis coach has just phoned.

Emma: Oh, yes?

Mum: She said she wants to see you on court 2 tomorrow after school, at 4 o'clock.

Emma: Oh no, why?

Mum: Don't worry, it's nothing bad! There's a new girl called Leah starting at your club. She's the same age as you, I think. Zoe wants you and Leah to play a couple of tennis games together.

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Emma: Oh OK. I hope she's good. I hope she can hit the ball, and not into the net. Not like Ariana.

Mum: Oh Emma, I'm sure she's really good. Don't forget to take your racket! And don't be horrible about Ariana!

Track 3.02

For each question, write the correct answer in the gap. Write one word or a number or a date or a time.

You will hear a woman talking about a new sports centre.

Woman: The new Murray Sports Village is now open and it's much better than the old swimming pool and sports centre! I'm here to tell you more about this amazing building and its programmes. Firstly, where is it? It's in Valley Road, tha's V-A-L-L-E-Y. A sports star from the local football team came to open the Sports Village on the sixth of July. There were lots of activities on the day like face painting, free dance classes and gym practice.
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Unit 4

Track 4.01

1

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Receptionist: Yes, of course. What's the problem?

Mrs Watson: Well, it's Rosie, you see. She's um, got a painful ear, I think. It's very sore.

Receptionist: You think she's got a painful ear? Have you asked her?

Mrs Watson: Yes, of course I have! But she can't talk.

Receptionist: Why not? Is she a baby?

Mrs Watson: A baby? No. Rosie's my rabbit. And she's got big ears. Very, very painful big ears.

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Receptionist: But Mrs Watson. This is the doctor's. Rosie needs to see a vet.

Mrs Watson: Oh, I am so sorry. I called the wrong number. Goodbye!

2

Tom: Excuse me, sorry, I need to go first. Excuse me. Can you help me, please?

Receptionist: Yes, of course. What's wrong?

Tom: I can't find my little brother. We were in the café, but I went to get a drink and he wasn't there when I got back.

Receptionist: What's his name?

Tom: Matthew, he's 7.

Receptionist: Let me see. Oh yes. I saw him outside talking to the doctors a few minutes ago, he was asking lots of questions about ambulances!

Tom: Oh thank you!

3

Ben: Oh Martin. Look at your ankle! What have you done?

Martin: Oh, I broke it.

Ben: Playing rugby again?

Martin: Nope. Um, I broke my ankle when I got out of bed. I stepped on my computer game and fell over.

Ben: Oh no. Did you go to hospital?

Martin: Yes. I had an operation on my ankle. I wasn't a very good patient. I didn't want to be in hospital – I wanted to play rugby last weekend.

Ben: Oh dear. Hey, can I draw on your bandage?

4

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Track 4.03

Marie Curie was born on the 7th of November 1867 in Warsaw, Poland. Her parents were both teachers and Marie was a good student who worked hard at school. Marie wanted to study at university, but this was impossible in Poland in the 1800s. University was for men, not for women.

Sorbonne University in Paris allowed women to study there. It took a long time but finally Marie went to France and studied at Sorbonne University. After three years of hard work she received her degree in Physics.

Marie married Pierre Curie who was also a scientist. Together they discovered two new materials called polonium and radium. Marie also did a lot of important research into cancer.

In 1903, Marie and Pierre won the Nobel Prize in Physics. Marie was the first woman to win this prize. In 1911 she won the Nobel Prize in Chemistry. Marie Curie opened the Curie Institute in Paris which is still an important cancer research centre today. Marie Curie died on July 4th 1934.

Track 4.04

Listen. For each question, choose the correct answer.

1 You hear a nurse talking in a hospital. What does he say about his job at the moment?

Man: How long have I been a nurse? This is my third year. I worked in a smaller hospital near the sea last year. It's not very easy here because I get lost in this bigger hospital! At the moment, I'm looking after someone with a bad cut. I have to remember to bring his medicine every day, but I don't mind that.

2 You hear two friends talking about a film on TV. What did the girl enjoy most?

Boy: Did you see the film about men in space on TV last night?

Girl: Yes, I thought the actors were OK. What about you?

Boy: I didn't like it much. Especially when they described the flight to the moon.

Girl: I know. I think the best thing was the music. That was really exciting.

3 You hear part of a programme about playing basketball. What is the most important thing?

Woman: So, you want to get better at basketball? Well, first you have to buy a good ball like this one. They aren't very expensive. Next you need to practise throwing the ball over a short or a long distance. But the most important thing is to find a friend who can help you practise. Then, once you're ready, you can choose your favourite place to play. There are three sports centres in this area.

4 You hear a girl talking on the phone. What's the matter?

Girl: Well, I felt all right this morning. But in the break at school I started to feel sick. Yes, Mum has given me something to eat but my head still hurts. I'm going to lie down for a while. Mmm … I'll be on the sofa in the living room. If it gets worse, I'll call you back. OK? Thanks, bye.

5 You hear a teacher talking about a classroom. What does he want to know?

Man: When I left at the end of this morning the window was closed and the printer was on my desk. Now I find that the window is open and broken. The printer is on the floor and it looks broken as well. It's not funny and you must tell me immediately who was playing football outside the window at lunchtime.

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Unit 5

Track 5.01

Presenter: Welcome to today's final of Junior MasterChef, the cooking programme for kids aged 8-13. Let's see what Asli's cooking today. Hi Asli. How are you feeling?

Asli: Very, very nervous!

Presenter: Oh don't worry Asli. Now, what are you cooking for us today?

Asli: It's a very special cake. It's my grandmother's recipe.

Presenter: Fantastic. Tell us what you're doing.

Asli: Well, I've put the flour, sugar, spices and an egg in this bowl. I've cut the butter into small pieces and I'm frying it in the frying pan now. It goes in the bowl too. Then in this saucepan I have the tomato soup and …

Presenter: Wait a minute, Asli. Did you say tomato soup?

Asli: Yes, tomato soup. It doesn't sound nice, but it tastes great. It's an old Irish recipe – my grandmother was Irish.

Presenter: OK. What happens now?

Asli: I mix the ingredients together and put it in a dish. Then it goes in the oven to bake for 40 minutes.

Presenter: OK, well, let's taste it in 40 minutes. Good luck, Asli.

Track 5.02

Woman: I'm making a smoothie. What would you prefer – fruit or vegetables?

Boy: Can I have both?

Woman: OK. Do you want to help?

Boy: OK. Let me slice this small pear up. Was it washed?

Woman: Yes, it was. OK, so I'll cut this avocado in half. Is half an avocado OK?

Boy: Yes! I love avocados.

Woman: Put them in the blender and let's add two green beans … and one cup of spinach leaves. Would you rather have a cup of yoghurt or coconut milk?

Boy: Coconut milk, please.

Woman: There we go … and one tablespoon of lemon juice.

Boy: Yum! Thanks, Mum.

Track 5.03

Listen. For each question, choose the correct answer.

You will hear Johnny talking to his grandma about a school photo. When did he meet these people?

Grandma: Johnny, your school photo's arrived. There's your teacher Mrs Hall.

Johnny: Yes, I met her on my first day. In September.

Grandma: And who's that boy?

Johnny: That's Michel. He's French. He lives near me. I've known him since January when we moved house.

Grandma: Oh, I see. Is that your best friend Tom, on the right?

Johnny: Yes, it is.

Grandma: When did he join your school? December?

Johnny: No, it was earlier. In November. On my birthday actually!

Grandma: How lovely! What about that girl?

Johnny: Right! That's Susie. She ate too much chilli! She joined my class in June so that was her first day. Can you see the girl on the grass?

Grandma: Yes.

Johnny: That's Emilie. She prefers this class because she was too old for Class 3. She came to my class in February. She sometimes brings me a slice of cake!

Grandma: Oh right! And who's the man with dark hair?

Johnny: Mr Drinkwater. Our headteacher.

Grandma: I know him!

Johnny: Really? I met him last month in May. He's going to start a new cookery club in July.

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Unit 6

Track 6.01

Look what I found online! It's a beautiful treehouse, it's in Canada and it's made of wood. When you go inside, the first thing you see are the amazing windows. There are five! It's bright during the day, and at night, you can close the curtains.

There's electricity and one or two sockets so you can plug in your laptops and tablets when you're here. It's nice and warm here in the winter as there's heating, but in the summer, it can get warm. There isn't air conditioning, but the treehouse is in the trees so it's never too hot.

If you want to make drinks and snacks, you can use the small kitchen area. There isn't a dishwasher, but there's a sink with a tap so you can wash up your cups and plates. It's important to remember that you're in the countryside here. If you don't want wild animals or insects to come into the treehouse, you must put your rubbish in the dustbin outside!

The bed is very comfortable and there's a lamp nearby so you can read at night. New bulbs are in the cupboard if you need them. It isn't a good idea to use candles though. Remember the house is made of wood, and it's very high up!

Track 6.02

Simon: Well, here we are, Helen. The first day of our family holiday. We can spend lots of time together. What a brilliant hotel!

Helen: Yes, it is, Simon. It's really hot outside, but it's nice in here. I'm happy we have air conditioning! Where's Isabella going? Isabella! Come here, Isabella!

Simon: Um, I think she's going to look at the curtains. They've got little butterflies on them, or something. What's wrong with David?

Helen: Oh, he's looking for a socket to plug in his laptop. He needs to charge the battery. He wants to do his vlog for today.

Simon: Oh OK. He can go to his room in a minute. Victoria looks very happy.

Helen: Yes, she does, doesn't she? Do you know what she said when we got here? She said 'I love the lights! They're really pretty!'

Simon: Lights? We're in a five-star hotel, with a swimming pool and cinema! Why does she like the lights?

Helen: Well, I think she likes the bulbs. Outside the hotel they're all different colours. Red, blue, gold … What's happened?

Simon: Oh, no. There's no electricity.

Helen: David isn't going to be happy! Oh well, I've got some card games in my bag. The kids will be happy to play a game with us, won't they?

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Track 6.04

1

Man: Which is the biggest rainforest in the world?

Girl: The biggest rainforest in the world is the Amazon rainforest. It's in nine different countries.

2

Man: Where was the longest traffic jam in history?

Girl: The longest traffic jam in history was in China in 2010. People were in their cars for 12 days.

3

Man: Which of these three cities has the most expensive public transport (trains, buses. etc.)? London has the most expensive public transport. Shanghai has the cheapest.

4

Man: Which of these three countries is the worst at recycling?

Girl: The USA is the worst at recycling. It recycles 34% of its rubbish. South Korea recycles 49% and Germany recycles 62%.

5

Man: What percentage of Americans say they have dropped litter?

Girl: 43% of Americans say they have dropped litter.

Track 6.05

Freya: We should start planning our eco-art project, shouldn't we?

David: Yes, we should definitely start planning it.

Freya: So, we could start looking for some materials in nature, couldn't we?

David: Great idea! We could go to the park. There are lots of leaves and sticks in the park.

Freya: You don't have time to go to the park today, do you?

David: Well, I have to go home now. But I'm free tomorrow.

Freya: Tomorrow? Yes, that's good for me. So, shall we meet in the park at 2 p.m.?

David: Yes, the park at 2 p.m. is perfect. And we don't need to buy paints and stuff because my dad's got a lot.

Freya: Oh, really? Cool. And he's got paper too, doesn't he?

David: Yes, lots of paper. My dad's an artist, so he's got lots of art supplies that we can use.

Freya: Amazing! See you then.

Track 6.06

Good morning everyone. I'm very happy to tell you that our very popular tree planting classes are starting again next week on Saturday, 18th September.

We expect all children from 7–11 years old to go to them. Adults are very welcome to come along too.

We're going to meet at 8:30 a.m. in the main square and then we'll go to the rainforest. First the children will learn about the plants and animals in the region and then they will help plant trees in different places and look after them.

Please bring some lunch and something to drink.

Looking forward to seeing you all with your children next Saturday.

Track 6.07

Ben: My grandparent's house is wonderful. They live in the city but their house is very good for the environment and the animals that live there.

Kim: Really? What do they do?

Ben: Well, they recycle all their glass, paper and plastic but they also use energy from the sun for their hot water and heating.

Kim: That energy is cheaper than electricity, isn't it?

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Ben: Yes, it is. In summer, they don't use air conditioning because air conditioning uses a lot of electricity. They have windows at the front and back of the house which means air can pass through it and keep it cool.

Kim: Have they got a large garden?

Ben: No, they haven't but they have planted a lot of flowers so the bees love their garden. The bees are good for their fruit trees and vegetables. They have also put bird houses in the trees, so there are a few different species of birds that visit their garden.

Kim: That's great.

Ben: Yes, and they've got a small pond and last week I saw a few frogs in it but I haven't seen any fish! They've even got a hedgehog house.

Kim: A hedgehog house?

Ben: Yes. Hedgehogs come into cities to look for food, but it's dangerous for them because of the cars. So, my grandparents put water in their garden for them and a little house. This means they might stay in the garden where they are safe and warm.

Kim: Aw … I'd love to see a hedgehog.

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Ben: Yes, it is. In summer, they don't use air conditioning because air conditioning uses a lot of electricity. They have windows at the front and back of the house which means air can pass through it and keep it cool.

Kim: Have they got a large garden?

Ben: No, they haven't but they have planted a lot of flowers so the bees love their garden. The bees are good for their fruit trees and vegetables. They have also put bird houses in the trees, so there are a few different species of birds that visit their garden.

Kim: That's great.

Ben: Yes, and they've got a small pond and last week I saw a few frogs in it but I haven't seen any fish! They've even got a hedgehog house.

Kim: A hedgehog house?

Ben: Yes. Hedgehogs come into cities to look for food, but it's dangerous for them because of the cars. So, my grandparents put water in their garden for them and a little house. This means they might stay in the garden where they are safe and warm.

Kim: Aw … I'd love to see a hedgehog.

Unit 7

Track 7.01

Oliver: What are you doing, Julia?

Julia: Oh, I've found a really good quiz online. Let's do it together!

Oliver: OK. What's question 1?

Julia: Your friend put a plastic spider on your shoulder …

Oliver: So it isn't real?

Julia: No, Oliver. It's just someone being funny! Anyway, you make a loud noise and everyone looks at you. Do you … A, cry because you're embarrassed, B, shout because you're annoyed or C, laugh?

Oliver: B, shout because I'm annoyed. What's your answer?

Julia: C, laugh. It's just a joke! Question 2. You're visiting an old castle and it's raining. How do you feel? A, relaxed, B, miserable or C, interested? That's easy for me. C, interested. I love history. What about you?

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Oliver: B, miserable. Who wants to visit old castles in the rain? This is a very silly quiz! Why are we doing it?

Julia: Well, at the end of the quiz it tells you what you're like. So, if you answer B, to most of the ten questions, it says …

Oliver: Yes?

Julia: Oh, um. It says 'Are you always this negative? Try one new thing every day and smile!'

Oliver: I'm not going to smile with a spider …

Julia: A plastic spider!

Oliver: OK, I'm not going to smile with a plastic spider on my shoulder or walking in the rain. What does it say about you?

Julia: C, 'You are always very positive. This is great, but remember, not everyone is as happy as you.'

Oliver: Well that's one thing I agree with!

Track 7.02

Oliver: What are you doing, Julia?

Julia: Oh, I've found a really good quiz online. Let's do it together!

Oliver: OK. What's question 1?

Julia: Your friend put a plastic spider on your shoulder …

Oliver: So it isn't real?

Julia: No, Oliver. It's just someone being funny! Anyway, you make a loud noise and everyone looks at you. Do you … A, cry because you're embarrassed, B, shout because you're annoyed or C, laugh?

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Oliver: Well that's one thing I agree with!

Track 7.03

Oliver: What are you doing, Julia?

Julia: Oh, I've found a really good quiz online. Let's do it together!

Oliver: OK. What's question 1?

Julia: Your friend put a plastic spider on your shoulder …

Oliver: So it isn't real?

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Track 7.04

You've just got eight out of ten in a history test. How do you feel? A, amazed because you usually get five or less, B, satisfied because eight is a good mark, or C, miserable because you always get ten?

You move house and have to go to a new school. Do you feel … A, positive because you can make lots of new friends and try new things, B, relaxed because you know it will be OK, or C, worried because you don't like change?

Track 7.05

A

Man: Are you bored of going jogging around your local park? Then join our colour run! The length of the race is five kilometres and you'll be covered in paint. It's awesome, but your legs will ache the next day. When you recover, you'll want to do it again and again!

B

Woman: How many times have you laughed today? Not many? Laughter is the best way to reduce stress and it's a great way of doing exercise. So you can keep fit without going to the gym.

C

Man: If you want to be a top athlete, it's important to look after your health. You must eat the right foods and have a healthy diet. No more cola and sweets! To prepare for a race, you should practise, practise, practise. Then just before the race begins, breathe deeply, look at the finishing line and think about winning! Good luck!

Track 7.06

1

Girl: What's wrong?

Boy: There's a rugby match on Saturday and I was chosen for the team, but I hurt my foot in training last night and now I won't recover in time for the match.

Girl: Oh, that must be really upsetting for you. I know you love to play rugby.

2

Girl 1: What's wrong?

Boy: There's a rugby match on Saturday and I was chosen for the team, but I hurt my foot in training last night and now I won't recover in time for the match.

Girl 2: Oh come on Sebastian. There'll be other matches. Rugby's boring anyway.

3

Girl: You look upset. Are you okay?

Boy: Not really. Mateo said some really horrible things to me this morning. He's often unkind to me and I'm really worried about it.

Girl: Well, you're not the only one. What's our maths homework?

4

Boy 1: You look upset. Are you okay?

Boy 2: Not really. Mateo said some really horrible things to me this morning. He's often unkind to me and I'm really worried about it.

Boy 1: I know how you feel. He's sometimes rude to me too. Perhaps we ought to talk to a teacher. What do you think?

Track 7.07

1

Girl: What's wrong?

Boy: There's a rugby match on Saturday and I was chosen for the team, but I hurt my foot in training last night and now I won't recover in time for the match.

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Girl: Oh, that must be really upsetting for you. I know you love to play rugby.

2

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Track 7.08

Listen. For each question, choose the correct answer.

Woman: You will hear Janie talking to her aunt Monica about a gym.

Janie: Hey Auntie Monica, I haven't spoken to you this week. How are things?

Monica: Fine, thanks, Janie.

Janie: Listen, I wanted to quickly ask you about that new gym you work at. Where is it exactly?

Monica: It's on Heart Street.

Janie: OK, great. I need to write about it for my homework. How much does it cost?

Monica: Oh right, Well, it's 50 pounds a month! Some people say that's really expensive.

Janie: Really? I thought 50 pounds was normal!

Monica: Not always! But they do have excellent teachers. Even your cousin exercises there now!

Janie: Robert? Oh yeah, he was saying that he felt fit and strong! Can you tell me about the different sports you can do there?

Monica: Well, Robert started last month with the running and good health class, it's on Mondays. They tell you what is good to eat too! But then the teacher told him to stop eating sweets. That was the hardest thing to do!

Janie: And are there still running classes?

Monica: Yes, but the lesson time changes next month, so some people will have to do something else. There's a great cycling class where they put special aqua bikes in the pool but not many people go to it. You do exercise to music so it's very fun.

Janie: Wow, that's clever! I think I've got enough for my homework. I just need to put it on a document and save it now. Thanks Auntie Monica, see you on Friday.

Monica: Bye!

Unit 8

Track 8.01

1

Boy: I'm so excited to plan our trip to the city.

Girl: I know. Where do you want to go first?

Boy: Well, I think mum will say we should go to the hotel.

Girl: That's a good idea. Then we could leave our suitcases there.

2

Boy: Afterwards let's go to the river! If it's warm we can go swimming.

Girl: It will be late at night. You'll be freezing. Let's go to the bridge instead. We can take some cool photos of the lights of the city!

Boy: Okay.

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3

Girl: The day after I'd like to go to the museum. There's an exhibition about Ancient Egypt. That looks really cool.

Boy: Okay. I must remember to bring my camera then.

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Boy: I still want to go swimming though.

Girl: Okay, next we'll go to the river. You have to be careful though. It could be dirty.

Boy: No, I've been reading all about it. The water in this city is really clean.

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Boy: I'll be pretty tired after we go to the river.

Girl: That's true. Why don't we go to the park? We can have a picnic there.

Boy: That sounds amazing!

Unit 9

Track 9.01

1 You will hear two friends talking about a trip to the cinema. What did they both like about the film?

Boy: Where did you go last night, Cara?

Cara: I went to the cinema with Jenny. We saw the new superhero film.

Boy: Ahh, I've seen that, I loved it! What did you think?

Cara: It was OK … I got a bit bored in the parts where everyone was fighting.

Boy: But what about the main character?

Cara: She was amazing! I loved the way she saved the children on the bus!

Boy: Yeah, that was great, she's such a cool character! Although I didn't really understand the ending …

Cara: That was a little confusing, but Jenny and I still enjoyed it.

2 You will hear two friends talking about a news story. What happened to the girl in the story?

Girl: Have you heard about what happened in India?

Boy: No, what?

Girl: Well, there was a group of tourists exploring the jungle. A little girl walked down a path to see a monkey and then she disappeared.

Boy: Oh, no! So, what happened?

Girl: Well, local people came, the police came, there were helicopters in the sky, but nobody could find her.

Boy: Oh, how sad.

Girl: Not really. Five days later she walked out of the jungle and asked for her dad.

Boy: Wasn't she hurt?

Girl: No. She was hungry, thirsty, and very dirty, but that's it!

Boy: Phew. It's nice to hear a good news story.

3 You will hear two people talking about a quiz show. Which topic was the most difficult?

Girl: Have you heard about What do they know?

Boy: No.

Girl: Well, one of the contestants last night got really angry because the questions were too difficult.

Boy: Really? But they normally ask about easy things like the most popular songs.

Girl: I know! This time one person answered questions about castles and palaces.

Boy: That doesn't sound too hard.

Girl: And another had to know all of the countries in the world and the languages they speak there.

Boy: That's impossible!

Girl: I know! He was really angry.

4 You will hear two people discuss a programme they watched last night. What do they both agree on?

Man: What did you think of *Emergency* last night?

Woman: Oh, it was brilliant. I love dramas. When the family's dog fell into the lake, I thought something horrible would happen!

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Man: Me too! But then, the man who was walking past jumped into the lake and saved him!

Woman: The dog really wasn't happy about it though!

Man: Oh, I didn't notice that. I though it was amazing the dog didn't need to go to the vets. I don't think that would happen in real life.

Woman: I don't know about that, I think it could.

Track 9.01

1 How did the boy hear about the movie?

Boy: Hi Sarah. Did you know they're making another film in the series Famous Pirates?

Sarah: Really? That's fantastic! Did you see it on someone's blog?

Boy: No. There were lots of ads about it on TV.

Sarah: Oh. I really want to see it. Do you?

Boy: Yeah, let's go.

Sarah: I'm going to e-mail my friends about it.

2 What time are the friends planning to meet?

Boy: Hi Jim. Do you want to go to a concert on Saturday?

Jim: Yeah. What time does it start?

Boy: Well the concert starts at 8:00 but I think we should get there about 6.45. What do you think?

Jim: I think if we meet there around 7:15 that's early enough.

Boy: OK. That sounds good. See you on Saturday.

Jim: See you. Bye.

3 What type of movie are they going to watch?

Man: Did you watch the new detective series on TV yesterday?

Woman: No, I didn't. I don't like mysteries.

Man: What do you usually watch?

Woman: I like watching quiz shows.

Man: Oh. I can't stand them. I prefer trying to solve mysteries.

Woman: Well, I don't mind horror movies. They're fun sometimes.

Man: Okay let's watch one.

Woman: Great.

4 Where are they going to put the new TV?

Woman: Look what I've got … a new TV!

Boy: Great! It's very big!

Woman: Where shall we put it?

Boy: How about in the kitchen?

Woman: No, I like listening to the radio when I'm cooking.

Boy: Well, how about the living room then?

Woman: Everybody puts it in the living room!

Boy: We can put it in my bedroom if you like.

Woman: The living room is good!

5 What did the boy do last weekend?

Boy: Hi Jess. What did you do at the weekend?

Jess: I went to a football match with my dad on Saturday.

Boy: That sounds good. Did you do anything on Sunday?

Jess: Yes. We went cycling. How about you?

Boy: The whole family went camping and we did some extreme sports.

Jess: I didn't know you liked extreme sports!

Boy: I don't really. My brother loves them.

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