

## WEEK 22 – TEST 2

### READING

#### 1 Read the article and tick (✓) A, B, or C.

##### Survivors

*This month our travel editor interviewed three people who survived a natural disaster. Here are their stories.*

##### **Linda Burrows, age 31**

'I got divorced last year and decided to buy a ticket to New Zealand. It was an impulse, but I just wanted to go for it and enjoy this once in a lifetime trip. I spent two fantastic weeks there. At the end of my trip, I was leaving the hotel to go back to the airport when the earthquake struck. I was very frightened and I saw some terrible things. I stayed there for three more days. The situation was desperate. I realized I was very lucky to get home safely. If I ever see New Zealand on the TV, I immediately have to watch something different. I hope things will get better for me in the future.'

##### **Klaus Roski, age 21**

'My wife and I were on our honeymoon in Thailand when the tsunami happened. We were swimming in the sea and then everyone was running to the beach. We followed them, because we could see that something strange was happening. We climbed some stairs and went into a tall building behind the beach. We did the right thing and for some reason we were lucky; other people were not. We've been together for eight years now. If we talk about the tsunami, it helps us to understand our feelings about it.'

##### **Andy Peters, age 26**

'My brother works as a pilot in Canada and earns a lot of money. Last year he sent me a ticket to Vancouver. So I went there to visit him. We were having a great holiday until we saw the news on TV one night. There were big forest fires near us and there was a lot of smoke. My brother got a phone call and went to fly a military plane to put water on the fires. I was really worried about him, but he arrived back safely. And I got home safely, too.'

Example: Linda went to New Zealand after she got \_\_\_\_\_.

A ill  B divorced  C married

1 The \_\_\_\_\_ happened when Linda was leaving the hotel.

- A tsunami  B cyclone  C earthquake
- 2 She stayed in New Zealand for \_\_\_\_\_.  
A two weeks  B seventeen days  C four weeks
- 3 She finds it very difficult to \_\_\_\_\_.  
A watch TV programmes about New Zealand  B talk about what happened   
C think about the future
- 4 Klaus and his wife were \_\_\_\_\_ when the tsunami happened.  
A in the water  B running  C sunbathing
- 5 They could see that something \_\_\_\_\_ was happening.  
A frightening  B unusual  C surprising
- 6 They escaped by going into a building near \_\_\_\_\_.  
A the houses  B the hotel  C the beach
- 7 Andy's brother \_\_\_\_\_.  
A flies planes  B works in the forest  C is a soldier
- 8 Andy's brother bought Andy \_\_\_\_\_.  
A a holiday  B his flight to Canada  C flying lessons
- 9 Andy and his brother first saw the forest fires \_\_\_\_\_.  
A from the car window  B on the Internet  C on television

## GRAMMAR

### 1 Make first conditional sentences.

Example: If we / not leave / now / we / miss / the last bus

If we don't leave now, we'll miss the last bus.

1 Maggie / arrive / on time / if she / take / a taxi

\_\_\_\_\_

2 They / not go / to the beach / if it / rain

\_\_\_\_\_

3 If Chris / miss / the meeting / his boss / be / angry

\_\_\_\_\_

4 If we / not take / a map / we / get / lost

\_\_\_\_\_

## VOCABULARY

Underline the correct word(s).

Example: Grace **looks** / looks like her sister! They both have blond hair and blue eyes.

1 Nicole is a famous singer. She **wins** / **earns** a lot of money.

2 We **knew** / **met** Juan's wife for the first time yesterday.

3 I hate **waiting** / **hoping** for people when they're late.

**Complete the sentences with the correct phrase. There are some extra phrases.**

get a ticket   get better   get divorced   get emails get home   get on well with   get nervous   get up   get presents   get fit <del>get a job</del> get married
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Example: I don't have any money. I need to get a job.

- 1 I'm not very well at the moment, but I hope I'll \_\_\_\_\_ before my holiday.
- 2 People often \_\_\_\_\_ before interviews.
- 3 He's doing more exercise because he wants to \_\_\_\_\_.