

CD 3-12))) **Listening 1**

These are the beginnings of news reports. What kinds of reports are they?
Listen and circle the correct answer.

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| 1. a. politics | 3. a. sports | 5. a. politics |
| b. business | b. crime | b. entertainment |
| 2. a. weather | 4. a. sports | 6. a. crime |
| b. traffic | b. business | b. weather |

Listening 2

CD 3-13 ► Task 1

Read these newspaper headlines and listen to the news reports. Are the headlines correct? Check (✓) the correct answer.

**Guests
Escape from
Hotel Fire**

1.

- ☒ correct
☐ incorrect

**Restaurant
Wins Award
for Food**

2.

- ☐ correct
☐ incorrect

**Students
Lost for
10 Days
Found Safe**

3.

- ☐ correct
☐ incorrect

**Pop Singer's
Concert a
Great Success**

4.

- ☐ correct
☐ incorrect

**Fishing Crew
Lost During
Storm**

5.

- ☐ correct
☐ incorrect

**Panda Babies
Born at Zoo**

6.

- ☐ correct
☐ incorrect

CD 3-13 ► Task 2

Listen again. Are these statements about things that actually happened or things that probably happened? Check (✓) the correct answer.

	Actually happened	Probably happened
1. The fire started in a guest room.	☐	☒
2. More than ten people got food poisoning.	☐	☐
3. The students' vehicle broke down.	☐	☐
4. Jimmy Wild had a sore throat.	☐	☐
5. The fishing crew sent out a call for help.	☐	☐
6. The baby pandas are very small right now.	☐	☐

Listening 3

CD 3-14 ► Task 1

What are these news reports about? Listen and circle the correct answer.



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| 1. ☒ a protest | 3. a. a crime | 5. a. a flood |
| b. an exhibition | b. a fire | b. a fire |
| c. a sale | c. a vacation | c. a crime |
| 2. a. a protest | 4. a. an exhibition | 6. a. an exhibition |
| b. an exhibition | b. a vacation | b. a business plan |
| c. a sale | c. a crime | c. a protest |

CD 3-14 ► Task 2

Listen again. Are the statements true or false? Check (✓) the correct answer.

	True	False
1. The nurses want lower income taxes.	☐	☒
2. Botero's work has been shown in this area before.	☐	☐
3. The weather is helping the fire spread.	☐	☐
4. Some of the snakes are still missing.	☐	☐
5. Many people have had to leave their homes.	☐	☐
6. The merger could be good news for travelers.	☐	☐

Dictation

CD 3-16 ► **Task 1**

Listen to the conversation. Write the missing words or numbers.

A: Did you _____ last night and see the story about the bank robbery?

B: No, I didn't. What happened?

A: Three men robbed the bank on Fifth Street. They got _____.

B: Wow! That's a lot of money! I hope the police caught them.

A: Not yet. There's a _____ for anyone who helps the police capture them!