

Listening Comprehension

Quiz I --- Unit 5

A  Listen. People are talking about important issues. Number the topics from 1 to 5. (There is one extra topic.)

- ___ having a relaxed lifestyle
- ___ keeping old customs
- ___ keeping the environment clean
- ___ taking care of older family members
- ___ having enough money
- ___ going to college

B  Listen again. Do the people agree? Check (✓) yes or no.

- | | yes | no |
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| 1. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 2. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 3. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 4. | ☐ | ☐ |
| 5. | ☐ | ☐ |

A  Listen. People are talking about qualities of good companies. Number the qualities from 1 to 5. (There is one extra quality.)

- _____ cares about the environment
- _____ allows a balance of work and family life
- _____ offers health insurance
- _____ gives regular pay raises
- _____ gives a lot of vacation time
- _____ offers an opportunity to travel

B  Listen again. Circle the correct answers.

1. Glendale offers its employees free
 - a. books.
 - b. health club memberships.
 - c. health food.
2. The article the man is reading is about
 - a. an interesting charity.
 - b. an electric company.
 - c. an ice cream company.
3. The man thinks his company
 - a. is great.
 - b. is changing a lot.
 - c. needs a better sales department.
4. The employees receive raises if
 - a. they work long hours.
 - b. they become supervisors.
 - c. their supervisors approve.
5. The woman works in the office
 - a. full-time.
 - b. part-time.
 - c. a few days a week.

VIDEO. Watch the video below and answer the questions that follow.



1. What does bilingual mean?
 - a. A person who knows only one Language.
 - b. A person who know two languages
 - c. A person who knows many languages
 - d. A person who knows English.

2. What does monolingual mean?
 - a. A person who knows only one Language.
 - b. A person who know two languages
 - c. A person who knows many languages
 - d. A person who knows English.

3. Language ability is usually measured in two active parts, speaking and writing, and two passive parts _____ and _____.

4. How many types of bilinguals are there?
 - a. There is only one type.
 - b. There are two types.
 - c. There are three types.
 - d. There are four types.

5. When it is said that subordinate bilinguals learn English through their own language, it means that they translate directly from their first language.
- a. True
 - b. False
6. The right side of the brain is active in emotional and social aspects, while the left side is more _____. (Choose as many answers as needed)
- a. Procrastinative
 - b. Sensitive
 - c. Analytical
 - d. Emotional
 - e. Logical
7. Lateralization has to do with our brain capacity to with the plasticity of developing brains; lateralization makes it easier for adults to learn a second language.
- a. True
 - b. False
8. Being bilingual can help you delay deseases such as Alzheimer and dementia by as much as _____.
9. According to the information in the video, we can infer that it is not a good idea to start learning a new language after certain age (le tus say 50) because it may lead to health problems such as stress.
- a. True
 - b. False