

WE3U2-WB-LISTENING



Listen to the audio and answer the following questions.

(select UNIT 2, TRACK 4)

A 4 Listen to the conversation. What is the relationship between the two speakers?

The speakers are _____ and _____.

B 4 Listen again. Circle the correct options.

1. Jane is reading a book
 - a. as homework.
 - b. after seeing a TV show.
 - c. because her dad asked her to.
2. Sherlock Holmes
 - a. is a police officer.
 - b. is a police detective.
 - c. helps the police.
3. Arthur Conan Doyle is
 - a. the author of the stories.
 - b. the director of the TV show.
 - c. a doctor.
4. Sherlock Holmes
 - a. was born in 1891.
 - b. died in 1891.
 - c. is completely fictional.

C Read the sentences and write *T* (true), *F* (false), or *NI* (no information).

- _____ 1. Jane watched a modern version of the Sherlock Holmes stories on TV.
- _____ 2. Jane's dad doesn't like the idea of the TV series.
- _____ 3. Jane didn't really like the TV series because Sherlock is overconfident.
- _____ 4. Sherlock is happy when the police ask him to help.
- _____ 5. The author of the original Sherlock stories is Arthur Conan Doyle.
- _____ 6. Sherlock uses scientific methods and observation to solve difficult cases.
- _____ 7. Jane's dad can't understand why she likes detective stories.
- _____ 8. Jane is not surprised that her dad likes detective stories.

D Complete the paragraph with the correct form of the verbs in the box. When two answers are possible, write both.

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Jane decided (1) _____ the book because she enjoyed (2) _____ the TV show. She hasn't finished (3) _____ the book, so she doesn't know which she likes best, the book or the TV version. Her father didn't know she liked (4) _____ detective shows. He, on the other hand, is a big fan of these novels, so he hopes (5) _____ Jane become a fan, too. He has always wanted (6) _____ Sherlock Holmes' house at 221B Baker Street in London, England. Of course, her father knows that Sherlock never lived there, because Sherlock is the product of Conan Doyle's imagination, but the idea of visiting the house of an imaginary man is so much fun that he hopes Jane will agree (7) _____ with him. If Jane keeps (8) _____ Sherlock's stories, he's planning (9) _____ the trip for next summer.