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COULD YOU TELL ME ... ?

1 FUNCTIONAL LANGUAGE: Asking for information



A Put the conversation in order.

- ☐ Near the exit, thanks. Oh, one more thing, could you tell me where the coffee shop is?
- ☐ It's right by the entrance.
- ☒ 1 Excuse me. We're looking for row B.
- ☐ It's three rows down.
- ☐ Thank you so much and have a great day.
- ☐ They are near the exit by center court.
- ☐ Oh, great! Thanks. Do you know where the restrooms are?

B Complete the conversation with the expressions in exercise A.

- A Excuse me. I'm ¹ _____ a small sun hat for a girl.
- B The sun hats are over there, on the right.
- A OK, thanks. Also, ² _____ the price of these sunglasses?
- B No problem. They're \$16.00.
- A Oh! OK, thank you.

2 REAL-WORLD STRATEGY: Checking information

A Match the sentences 1–5 with the correct responses a–e.

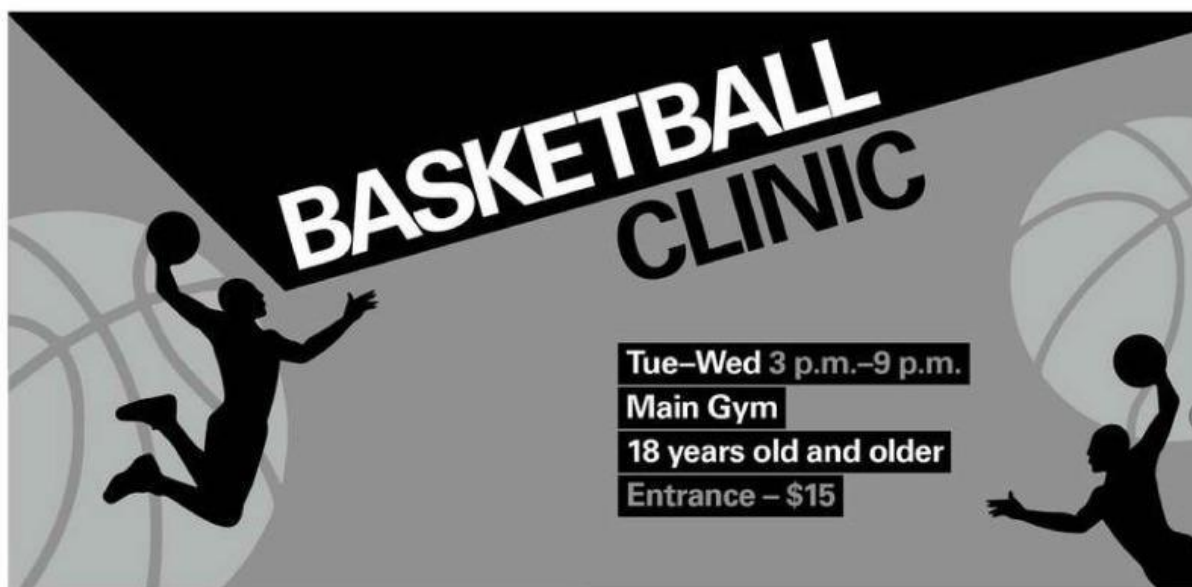
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| 1 Excuse me. Do you know where the VIP seats are? | a _____ 3–1? I can't believe it! |
| 2 Could you tell me when the game starts? | b _____ The entrance? It's around the corner. |
| 3 Excuse me. I'm looking for the entrance to the gym. | c _____ Basketball practice? It's at the May Center. |
| 4 Oh wow, the score is 3–1, Manchester United. | d _____ The game? I think it starts at 5 p.m. |
| 5 Excuse me. Where is the basketball practice? | e _____ The VIP seats? They are next to the court. |

3 FUNCTIONAL LANGUAGE AND REAL-WORLD STRATEGY

A Complete the conversation. Use the words in parentheses.

- A Excuse me. ¹ _____ (look for) court number three. I have a tennis lesson.
- B Of course. The teacher ² _____ (wait / now). The court is out this door.
- A Out this door? OK. ³ _____ (could / tell) the teacher's name?
- B ⁴ _____ ? Well, it's Giuliana Silva, but we call her Ace.
- A Ace? Great! Just one more thing. ⁵ _____ (know / where) I can get a towel?
- B ⁶ _____ (towel)? Sure, no problem. I can get one for you. Here you go.
- A Thank you!

B Use exercise A to write a similar conversation using the information below.



- A _____
- B _____
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