

Formal Letters

Read the questions below, then listen to the beginnings and endings of three letters and tick the correct box for each letter.

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| 1 Why has the letter been written? | | | |
| A to apply for a job | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| B to ask for information | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| C to make a complaint | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |

b) Listen again and tick the correct boxes for each letter.

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| 2 How does the letter begin? | | | |
| A Dear Advertiser | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| B Dear Sir/Madam | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| C Dear Mr Williams | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| 3 Which of the following expressions have been used in the opening/closing remarks? | | | |
| A With reference to your advertisement ... | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| B I am writing to apply for the position ... | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| C I am writing to express my dissatisfaction ... | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| D I look forward to hearing from you ... | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| E I must insist on a full refund ... | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| F Thank you in advance ... | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| 4 How does the letter end? | | | |
| A Yours faithfully | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| B Lots of love | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |
| C Yours sincerely | ☐ | ☐ | ☐ |