



1. Listening

Listen to the reports. What are they about? Number them in the order you hear them

1. a bank robbery
2. a new shopping centre
3. a rescue
4. school uniform
5. a sports event
6. school meals
7. new technology

A	B	C	D	E	F

2. Everyday English

Choose the correct response. One is extra!

That's great news. Your parents will be pleased.

What a story! How did they do that?

Oh dear! I hope you get well soon.

How dreadful! Was she hurt?

Wow! How long did it take you?

Really! Did you take it to the ice?

1. You won't believe this. I found a wallet in the street.
- _____
2. I broke my leg and can't play in the match.
- _____
3. Listen to this - Helen had a car accident!
- _____
4. Did you hear about the chimpanzees that sailed across the Atlantic?
- _____
5. I climbed Mount Everest.
- _____

3. Complete the sentences with the correct word. THREE words are extra!

*text messages horoscopes documentary music gossip
interviews fashion radio article*

- A. I heard all my favourite songs on the _____ last night!
- B. Penny likes to send _____ to her friends.
- C. My mother often buys a popular magazine to read _____ about famous people's lives.
- D. Helen buys the magazine for its _____ tips.
- E. The _____ programme plays all the latest hits.
- F. _____ try to tell you what will happen in the future.

4-11. Grammar:

Put the verbs in brackets into the Past Simple or the Past Continuous

4. Mum _____ (cook) dinner before dad came home.
5. We _____ (plan) to go to the zoo, but we stayed home instead.
6. Jackie _____ (take) notes during the whole lesson.
7. The students _____ (work) hard because they wanted a good mark in the exam.
8. What _____ (you/do) last night when I phoned you?
9. He _____ (play) with his nephews all day Saturday.
10. . She _____ (leave) school when she was 16.
11. . When I was a teenager I _____ (play) in the school basketball team.

12-17. Reading

Read the text and answer the questions.

Use only ONE WORD for each blank. Write numbers in words!

Help Hearts

On 20th August, a 'Help Hearts' charity event took place in the town of Whitefall. A group of nurses from one of the local hospitals came up with the idea and over 1000 people of all ages took part.

Luckily, it was a sunny day. Everyone had fun either swimming, walking or windsurfing. Thanks to the event, \$5,000 was raised for the charity.

Bob Keene, one of the people who organised the event, said, "We wanted to do something useful for others and this seemed the most fun thing to do."

The hospital administrators were so proud, they decided to make the event part of the hospital's yearly calendar.

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| 12. Where did the event take place? | 12. |
| 13. What did the organisation raise the money for? | 13. |
| 14. What were the people who planned the event? | 14. |
| 15. How much money was collected? | 15. Five |
| 16. What was the weather like during the event? | 16. |
| 17. How often will the even take place in future? | 17. |

18-30. Grammar

Choose the correct item:

18. The deer _____ before I could take a photograph.
1. took off 2. went off 3. ran off 4. blew off
19. Mike was _____ to hear I won the competition.
1. surprising 2. happily 3. surprised 4. funny
20. Glossy magazines are _____ to teenagers.
1. popular 2. attentive 3. educated 4. attractive
21. In sports, it's a great achievement to _____ a world record.
1. attend 2. make 3. break 4. take
22. What does the weather _____ say?
1. report 2. news 3. article 4. show

23. This skirt really goes _____ your shoes.
1. on 2. off 3. with 4. up
24. I love watching the Discovery Channel as it is very _____.
1. educated 2. education 3. educative 4. educational
25. I like the fashion and beauty _____ in this magazine.
1. advice 2. programmes 3. strips 4. girls
26. It can be difficult to come _____ with new ideas.
1. down 2. in 3. up 4. on
27. John got a _____ ticket in the teddy bear lottery.
1. luckily 2. brave 3. lucky 4. bravely
28. Kathy was doing her homework while Suzie _____.
1. was cooking 2. cooks 3. is cooking 4. cooked
29. John _____, took a shower and left for work.
1. got up 2. was getting up 3. get up 4. gets up
30. _____ when you rang the doorbell?
1. Did they sleep
2. Do they sleep
3. Were they sleeping
4. Are they sleeping

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