Listening Part 1

You will hear people talking in eight different situations.

For questions **1-8**, choose the best answer **A**, **B** or **C**.

1 You hear two people talking at a party.

How do they know each other?

A They used to work together.

B They were at school together.

C They met through mutual friends.

2 You overhear a conversation on a train.

What has the man been doing?

A having a holiday

B taking part in a sports competition

C working

3 You overhear someone talking about a course.

How did they feel about it?

A angry

B satisfied

C disappointed

4 You hear a teenager talking about a new version of a computer game.

Why does he think it is better?

A It has better graphics.

B It's got more levels.

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C You can play it online.

5 You hear a husband and wife talking about their work.

What is their problem?

A They are both working very long hours.

B They don't think they get paid a fair rate per hour.

C They are hardly ever free at the same time.

6 You hear someone talking in a shop.

What is she doing?

A making a complaint

B explaining what she wants

C asking for information

7 You hear a woman talking to a friend about her holiday.

What did she enjoy most?

A shopping

B relaxing

C sightseeing

8 You hear part of a radio play.

What is the relationship between the two speakers?

A boss and employee

B friends working in the same company

C workers from different companies

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Listening Part 2

Listen to part of a talk about space tourism.

For questions **9-18**, complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.

The name of the company is Space (**9**) ……

Space tourists first travel to (**10**) ……

On the next day they go to (**11**) ……

Flights last for (**12**) ……

After the journey is over tourists spend a day doing some (**13**)
……

If problems arise at any time during the flight, passengers can use the (**14**)
……

All passengers are given advice on how to minimise (**15**)
……

After their flight passengers receive a video of the trip and a (**16**)
…… as proof they did it.

Rockets are fuelled by a mixture of hydrogen and (**17**)
……

The main environmental problem of these flights is (**18**)
……

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Listening Part 3

You will hear five different people talking about what they do to keep fit.

For questions **19-23**, choose from the list (**A-F**) what each person says about their lifestyle.

Use the letters only once. There is one extra letter which you do not need to use.

A I lead a sedentary life but I'm careful about my diet.

B It's essential for my work that I keep fit and look good.

C Being ill made me change my habits.

D I don't watch my diet but I take a lot of exercise.

E My job provides me with plenty of physical activity.

F My habits have changed for the worse.

19 Speaker 1

20 Speaker 2

21 Speaker 3

22 Speaker 4

23 Speaker 5

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Listening Part 4

You will hear a discussion about their schooldays between three people, Amy, Bill and Celia.

For questions **24-30**, choose the best answer (**A**, **B** or **C**).

24 Who does NOT mention disliking the headgear they had to wear to school?

A Amy

B Bill

C Celia

25 What does Bill's anecdote about school caps and his son illustrate?

A that children and adults like different clothes

B that fashions can change very quickly

C that people tend to want what is forbidden

26 When was the food which Amy and her school friends hid discovered?

A when the smell of rotting food was noticed

B when someone needed to use the hiding place

C when a teacher was inspecting the school

27 Who had a positive attitude to school food?

A Amy

B Bill

C Celia

28 Celia and Amy suggest that their daughters shouldn't complain about school life

A because they have nothing significant to complain about.

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B because life after leaving school will be much harder.

C because it is something that everyone must go through.

29 What happened to Bill if he did badly in a school test?

A The teacher would make him repeat the test.

B The teacher would speak to him very sharply.

C The teacher would hit his hand.

30 How does Amy feel that life has changed?

A Most of the changes are improvements.

B The changes mean that life has generally got worse.

C Both positive and negative changes have occurred.

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