

Practice 2

Now Paul is listening to a story on the radio.

Listen to the story. Choose the best answer by blackening ● the circle.

1 Which of the following is true about the three friends?

- A. All of them can swim well.
- B. They go to the pool every day.
- C. They always go swimming at weekends.
- D. None of them have ever swum in the sea.

Listen for what the friends can do and when they do it.



2 How did Fiona feel when she said 'Oh! Really'?

- A. She was excited.
- B. She was worried.
- C. She was amazed.
- D. She was angry.



Listen to what her friends said and how Fiona felt.



3 How did the weather change when they were on the bus?

- A. It began to rain.
- B. The sun came out.
- C. The clouds became black.
- D. The sky became blue.

You will hear a different phrase which has the same meaning as the correct option.



4 Which of the following couldn't the children see on the beach?

- A. a woman waving to them
- B. a flag
- C. a cafe
- D. swimmers

5 Peter said, 'I can't catch it'. What did he mean?

- A. He couldn't catch the ball.
 B. He couldn't see who was waving to them.
 C. He couldn't see the cafe.
 D. He couldn't hear what the woman said.

Listen to what Peter said before and after 'I can't catch it'.



6 Why did the children NOT notice the waves?

- A. They were enjoying themselves in the water.
 B. They were looking for the ball.
 C. They were waving at the woman.
 D. They were drinking their coffee.



7 Where was the man when he saw the children?

- A. on the beach
 B. in the water
 C. in the cafe
 D. on a ferry

8 What does the story tell us?

- A. Don't go in the sea after a big lunch.
 B. Don't go in the sea without your parents.
 C. Check the weather before going in the sea.
 D. Don't play ball games in the sea.

9 What is the correct order for the pictures?



- A. 2 → 3 → 4 → 1
 B. 2 → 4 → 3 → 1
 C. 3 → 2 → 4 → 1
 D. 4 → 2 → 3 → 1

Practice 3

Now Paul is listening to the news report on the radio.

Listen to the news report. Choose the best answer by blackening ● the circle.

- 1 What time did the robbery take place?
 A. 7:00 a.m. B. 7:00 p.m.
 C. 1:30 a.m. D. 1:30 p.m.

- 2 What was the policeman doing when he saw the robbers?
 A. waiting in a line B. putting his things in a backpack
 C. getting on an MTR train D. looking at some necklaces

- 3 Which of the following about the robbery is true?
 A. It took place in Kowloon Bay.
 B. It took place in a bank.
 C. The robbers stole money and jewellery.
 D. The police arrested the robbers in the MTR station.

- 4 Where did the accident take place?
 A. in Kowloon B. in the New Territories
 C. on Hong Kong Island D. on an outlying island

- 5 What was the truck driver doing when the accident happened?
 A. chatting to a passenger
 B. using his phone
 C. calling for an ambulance
 D. looking for his mobile

- 6 How many people were hurt?
 A. 16 B. 10 C. 22 D. 2