C. CÂU HỎI VỀ LÝ DO (QUESTIONS ABOUT REASONS)

Loại câu hỏi này yêu cầu bạn xác định lý do tại sao một sự việc xảy ra, tại sao ai đó làm việc gì hoặc có cảm xúc nào đó. Câu hỏi thường bắt đầu bằng why.

Hãy xem ví dụ sau:

Bạn nghe:

Woman: You're awfully quiet today. What's the matter?
Man: Remember when I left early yesterday to go to the dentist? Well, someone ran into me along the way. Now my new car has a dent in it.
Woman: I'm sorry to hear that. I know how much you love that car, even though I've always thought it was too expensive.

Bạn đọc:

Why is the man upset?

A. He had to leave work early.
B. His car was damaged.
C. His teeth are hurting him.
D. He paid too much for his new car.

Câu trả lời đúng là B. Câu Now my new car has a dent in it. cho ta biết lý do tại sao hôm nay người đàn ông lại quiet (có nghĩa tương tự upset). Lưu ý những lựa chọn đánh lạc hướng là leave work early, teeth... hurting hay paid too much for... car. Các lựa chọn này tuy được nhắc đến trong bài nghe (left early, dentist, car... too expensive) nhưng không phải là thông tin chính xác để trả lời câu hỏi.

L1.2. EX 3. Nghe và chọn câu trả lời đúng. 10.mp3

1. **Why doesn't the man want to take the elevator?**
   A. The elevator is slow.
   B. They're going down.
   C. It's late.
   D. He likes to walk.

2. **Why is the man staying late at the office?**
   A. He has to finish his work.
   B. He's expecting a phone call.
   C. He has a day off tomorrow.
   D. He isn't tired.

3. **Why isn't the meeting in the conference room?**
   A. There aren't enough chairs.
   B. It isn't big enough.
   C. The office is more comfortable.
   D. It's being painted.

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4. Why does the woman suggest taking the subway?
   A. The office is close.
   B. The car is too fast.
   C. Traffic is heavy.
   D. It's late.

5. Why didn't the man eat lunch?
   A. He forgot to eat.
   B. He wasn't hungry.
   C. He got to the cafeteria too late.
   D. He didn't have time.

6. Why might you call extension 3674?
   A. To ask for catalogs
   B. To reach Chung Ly
   C. To find out when Chung Ly will return
   D. To leave a message for Chung Ly

7. Why is Mr. Nguyen asking for donations?
   A. To support Grace Chapel
   B. Because his wife is ill
   C. To improve his memory
   D. To support cancer research

8. Why is someone leaving the company?
   A. He is seeking medical treatment.
   B. He was fired.
   C. He is retiring.
   D. He has accepted another job.

9. Why did they get a new machine?
   A. The old one broke often.
   B. The old one was stolen.
   C. The lease on the old one was up.
   D. No one knew how to use the old one.

10. Why are they striking?
    A. They like the new contract.
    B. They do not like the new contract.
    C. The old contract was voted down.
    D. They are striking tomorrow morning.



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