



SPEAKING AND LISTENING

Everyday English

Fill in: ...

Why not

It stars Ben Affleck

What's it about

I can't stand them

It was a waste of time

1 A: Do you fancy going to the cinema?

B: ... ? ...

2 A: I'm keen on horror films.

B:

3 A: *Dark Skies* comes out tomorrow.

B: ... ? ...

4 A: What did you think of the film?

B:

5 A: Who's in it?

B:

Speaking

Responding to situations

For situations 1-3, choose the appropriate utterance from A, B or C. ...

1 You work in a music shop. A customer brings back an MP3 player that isn't working properly. What do you say? ...

- A I want to see the manager.
- B I'll just get you a replacement.
- C I haven't worked here for very long.

2 You want to stay in and watch TV. Your friend has got a TV guide. Ask them about tonight's programmes. ...

- A Are you going out tonight?
- B What do you like watching?
- C Is there anything good on tonight?

3 You work in a cinema box office. Inform a customer there are no tickets left for the film they want to see. ...

- A It's sold out.
- B It's on sale.
- C It's a best-seller.



Dialogue completion

Read the dialogues 1-3. Complete them with the appropriate response (A, B or C).

1 X: What kind of books do you like reading?

Y:

- A It's an action-adventure.
- B I prefer adventure stories.
- C *The Hobbit* is my favourite.

2 X:

Y: I'll be there.

- A There's a good film on at the cinema.
- B I'll meet you at 8pm outside the mall.
- C Let's watch a film this evening.

3 X: What's the story about?

Y:

X: Sounds interesting!

- A A boy whose pet can talk.
- B It's based on a comic.
- C I thought it was boring.

Listening

Multiple choice

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a) You are going to hear two recordings twice. Questions 1-3 refer to Recording 1, while questions 4-6 refer to Recording 2. Answer the questions according to what you hear by circling the appropriate letter (A, B or C).



b) Check your answers. Which ones did you answer correctly? Which words confused you?

Recording 1

- 1 Debra doesn't like watching
 - A horror films.
 - B comedies.
 - C dramas.
- 2 In the comedy film, the main characters
 - A move to New York.
 - B get lost while on a trip.
 - C have a road accident.
- 3 The conversation takes place
 - A at home.
 - B at a video shop.
 - C in a cinema.

Recording 2

- 4 When he received his first mobile phone, the boy
 - A was excited.
 - B felt confused.
 - C found it funny.
- 5 The boy didn't use his phone to
 - A listen to music.
 - B make phone calls.
 - C take photographs.
- 6 This text is about how
 - A to upload photos.
 - B a hobby began.
 - C to use a camera.