PART III: EVERYDAY ENGLISH

Complete the dialogue with:

That's a bargain!	**They really suit you.**	**Where exactly is it?**
Are they new?	**Were they very expensive?**	

Anne: Nice earrings, Mary. **1.** .....

Hilary: Yes, I bought them yesterday.

Anne: I like them. **2.** .....

Hilary: Thanks! They're real gold.

Anne: 3......

Hilary: ..... No, actually. They were only $20.

Anne: Wow! **4.** .....

Hilary:I know! I found them at the West End Flea Market.

Anne: 5. .....

Hilary: Just west off the Bay Bridge.

Anne: I see. I think I'll go and take a look!

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PART IV: READING

I. Look at sentences 1-5 about a food and drink festival. Then read the text to decide if each sentence is correct or incorrect. If it is correct, mark it as *C*. If it is not correct, mark it as *I*.



Manchester Food and Drink Festival

Last year's festival was the biggest yet with most of Manchester taking part and staging nearly 600 food-related offers and events. In Albert Square, at the Taste, Dine and Learn event, 30,000 visitors got the chance to try and buy the best of the region's produce, eat at the best restaurants the city has to offer, and learn how to cook from famous regional and national chefs!

Events

This year there are even more events than previously. For a full list of events, go to the festival's website at www.foodanddrinkfestival.com. The main event is Taste, Dine and Learn and, as always, is held in Albert Square in the heart of the city. At the Taste tent this year, you can enjoy cuisine from across the Mediterranean and if you have a sweet tooth, you can finish your sampling with Italian ice cream! For a real taste of Manchester, visit the Dine tent with its dishes from 25 of the city's finest restaurants. This is one meal that you cannot afford to miss. If the tricks of the trade interest you, then make your way to the Learn tent where some familiar faces from TV will guide you through the steps that led to the delicious food on your plate.

Healthy Eating

The festival is proud to present a program of healthy eating events that will not only take place during the festival, but also throughout the year. If you want to give your lifestyle a new direction and are looking for ways to get healthier, then come along to some of the fun events that are planned for this year's festival. There are talks from experts and a whole range of fun activities to get you out, get you informed, and get you going!

Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony

The festival ends on a high note at the Gala Dinner and Awards Ceremony, which will be held at Manchester Town Hall. Awards will go to the best that the city has to offer when it comes to food, drink, and eating out. Tickets are limited and all money raised will go to local charities. And don't forget of course, there will be a good meal on the table!

1. The previous festival was not successful. ☐
2. Chefs from all over the world took part in last year's festival. ☐
3. You can get information about the festival on the Internet. ☐
4. Albert Square is in the center of Manchester. ☐
5. The Dine tent has 25 different restaurants ☐

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II. Read the text. For each question choose the correct answer (*A*, *B*, *C*, or *D*).

ALESSANDRO BENETTON

Benetton is a family business. My father started the company, Italy's largest clothing manufacturer, forty years ago and we now have around 5,000 stores selling Benetton clothes in 120 countries worldwide. I recently took over as chairman and I want the business to grow, but I also want to keep the values that have made Benetton an international name.

Having three children means it's not necessary for me to set the alarm clock. I live very close to my office so I can be there in five minutes and as soon as I sit at my desk, I get to work. Time is valuable and there isn't usually enough to get through everything that needs to be done. My job is quite varied – it's not all about clothes. At the moment, we are developing charity projects in Africa and helping the UN World Food Program – we need to listen to the people the world has ignored.

When I was growing up, my parents made sure I was able to look after myself and I want to raise my children in the same way. I don't treat them like children, I treat them like adults. They can be childish if they want, but they need to take responsibility for the things they do and the choices they make. I would love to be with my children more, but my job is very demanding. That's why the time I get to spend with my family is extremely valuable to me.

1. What is the writer's main purpose in writing the text?

A to complain about his children

B to say why he became a businessman

C to give some information about his life

D to describe his future plans

2. What would a reader learn about Alessandro from the text?

A He likes to be at work early in the morning.

B He enjoys spending time with his family.

C He is nervous about his new role.

D He doesn't want to open new shops.

3. What does the writer say about his children?

A He helps them with their homework.

B He thinks they are too childish.

C He is annoyed when they wake him up.

D He wants them to be responsible.

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4. What does the writer say about himself?

A He wants to do more for charity.

B He believes he works too hard.

C He needs to live near his office.

D He has a lot of things to do at work.

5. What might Alessandro say about his children?

A "I wish I could spend more time with my children."

B "I spend too much time worrying about my children."

C "I should involve my children in the business more."

D "My children take up too much of my time."

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