

## Listening

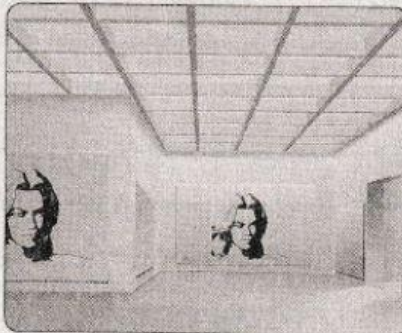
### Task 1

Listen to the speakers. For questions (1—6) choose the correct answer (A, B or C). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet. You will listen to each recording twice.

1 What did he like most about the trip?



A



B

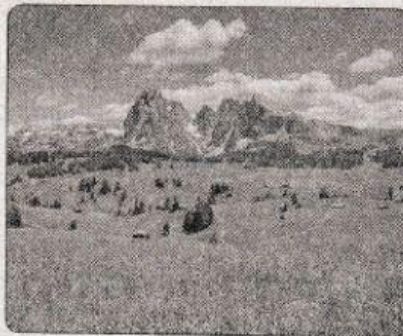


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2 Which photo are they looking at?



A



B



C

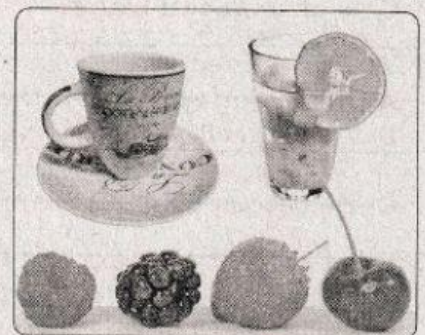
3 What do they order?



A



B



C

4 What does the person want to do?

A Sell a watch or exchange it for something.

B Buy a watch for \$150.

C Have another watch instead of this one.



- 5 What should Clara do?  
A Join another class because the morning lesson is full.  
B Change groups because fitness training won't be held in the morning anymore.  
C Come later because she would be the only one to come in the morning.
- 6 What is Daisy trying to say?  
A Dad should wait for Mum before leaving for the theatre.  
B Mum won't meet her husband in the place they arranged.  
C Mum will wait for Dad next to the theatre until he arrives.

### Task 2

Listen to the text. For statements (7—11) choose T if the sentence is true according to the text, and F if it is false. Write your answers on the separate answer sheet. You will listen to each recording twice.

- 7 Elizabeth stepped in her sister's shoes having become the spouse of Helen's fiancé.  
8 It was a problem to Sissi to assimilate into her life in Austria.  
9 She couldn't fulfil a duty of giving a successor to the Austrian throne.  
10 The Empress was murdered while travelling in Italy.  
11 Nowadays portraits of her last years are inaccessible.

### Task 3

Listen to the text. For questions (12—16) choose the correct answer (A, B or C). Write your answers on the separate answer sheet. You will listen to each recording twice.

- 12 Samuel Clemens was born in \_\_\_\_\_.  
A a small town in Florida.  
B 1875.  
C the USA.
- 13 The pen name of the author \_\_\_\_\_.  
A appeared due to his work on a river.  
B was claimed to be real.  
C is of unknown origin.
- 14 What is stated in the text about Twain's works?  
A His major work of all the times is *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*.  
B *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn* was the second part of *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*.  
C He became wealthy thanks to his novels.
- 15 What doesn't the text say about Twain's family?  
A Olivia Langdon met her future husband in 1867.  
B Twain and his wife had four children.  
C They were married for more than thirty years.
- 16 What is special about Twain's death?  
A He made a precise prediction about it.  
B There are two names on his gravestone.  
C It was the greatest disappointment of his life.