Listening Practice

Name:_____

Instructions: Listen to the story "Summer Activities" and answer the following questions. You can listen to the story twice.

1. Why does the woman suggest doing something fun? Because…

a. The woman has not seen the man in a while.
b. They always do boring stuff together like the library.
c. They are always busy, and now they have some time.

2. The woman wants to _____ on Monday.

a. visit the city park
b. go to the lake
c. walk along the river

3. The man doesn't want to go because he ___.

a. is busy with work
b. wants to see a movie instead
c. is worried about the sun

4. On Tuesday, the woman suggests ____.

a. going for a bike ride
b. driving in the mountains
c. visiting an art museum

5. Why does the woman mention the fact that on Tuesday is supposed to be cloudy?

a. She is worried about being exposed to the sun for a long time.
b. She is making fun of her friend's excuse for not going out.
c. She is angry because she was expecting sunny days during summer.

6. On Wednesday, the woman wants to ____.

a. go fishing
b. have a barbecue
c. catch a movie

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7. On Friday or Saturday, the woman would like to ____.

a. have a nice picnic
b. go shopping for clothing
c. play games at home

8. How does the man seem to feel about his friend's proposal to do something fun?

a. He is excited to do something different and he laughs.
b. He is bored and doesn't know what to say.
c. He is not interested in going out and he makes fun of it.

9. Which sentence best expresses how the woman feels during the conversation?

a. she is calmed and is trying to negotiate the plans with her friend.
b. She is angry and upset because her friend does not want to do anything fun.
c. She is sad because she really wants to go out and her friend does not.

10. Which sentence best expresses what the man might say next?

a. "I really want to give this a try. It's going to be fun."
b. "How about we have a picnic here at home and we watch a movie."
c. "I think a picnic is the best idea even. I am going to but food."

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