Track 13

You will hear people talking in eight different situations. For questions **1–8**, choose the best answer (**A**, **B** or **C**).

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1 You hear a woman bringing an MP3 player back to the shop where she bought it.
What is the problem with it?
A It plays tracks at the wrong speed.
B It jumps from one track to the next.
C It doesn't switch off properly.

2 You hear a woman talking to a waiter.
What does she want him to bring her?
A mineral water
B coffee
C orange juice

3 You hear a man describing a journey.
Where did he want to go?
A Leeds
B Manchester
C Crewe

4 You hear an advertisement for a sale in a furniture store.
Which items have the biggest reductions?
A sofas
B beds
C armchairs

5 You hear a woman talking to a car mechanic.
What is the problem with her car?
A It won't start in wet weather.
B The brakes don't work properly.
C The engine keeps on stopping.

6 You hear a graphic designer talking about his work.
How does he feel about the recent change in his job?
A He thinks his new work is boring.
B He regrets giving up his previous job.
C He thinks he's made the right decision.

7 You hear a radio announcement about traffic on a motorway.
Where are the longest delays expected?
A between junctions 10 and 11
B between junctions 13 and 14
C between junctions 17 and 18

8 You hear a man phoning his local newsagent's shop.
Which newspaper did he receive by mistake this morning?
A *the Telegraph*
B *the Sun*
C *the Daily Mirror*

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Track 14

You will hear a golfer called John Freeman giving a talk about his career. For questions **9–18**, complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.

Golf

John Freeman has been playing golf for (**9**) ..... years.

John's father never progressed as a golfer because he couldn't afford very good (**10**) ..... .

When he was younger, John wanted to be a professional (**11**) ..... player.

John's father took up golf again after being (**12**) ..... .

John wishes he had received some (**13**) ..... from his teachers at school.

John says that golf is often seen as a sport for people with a lot of (**14**) ..... .

Young golfers should be able to get help from (**15**) ..... .

The (**16**) ..... of British players is likely to raise the profile of golf.

John's income from golf is (**17**) ..... .

John used to dye his hair (**18**) ..... .

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Track 15

You will hear five short extracts in which people are talking about holidays. For questions **19–23**, choose from the list (**A–H**) what each speaker says. Use the letters only once. There are three extra letters which you do not need to use.

A It made our friendship stronger.

B I realised I loved long journeys.

C It gave me a sense of my origins.

D It provided an escape.

E I felt closer to my family.

F It was my first holiday abroad.

G I felt I had learnt something.

H I was relieved to be back home.

Speaker 1		19
Speaker 2		20
Speaker 3		21
Speaker 4		22
Speaker 5		23

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Track 16

You will hear part of a radio interview with Laura Bartlett, who works as a florist (someone who sells and arranges flowers). For questions **24–30**, choose the best answer (**A**, **B** or **C**).

24 Laura's parents
- **A** were professional gardeners.
- **B** had a successful florist's shop.
- **C** loved cultivating plants.

25 Laura originally wanted
- **A** to work as a graphic designer.
- **B** to become an artist.
- **C** to write articles for a magazine.

26 She became a florist
- **A** because she didn't know what else to do.
- **B** as soon as she resigned from the magazine.
- **C** as the result of an accident.

27 In the beginning, Laura
- **A** wasn't skilled at working with flowers.
- **B** didn't work with flowers at all.
- **C** only delivered flowers to customers.

28 Laura had to learn
- **A** the names of different species of flowers.
- **B** which flowers florists could use in their work.
- **C** how to prepare flowers for arrangements.

29 Laura suggests that a young person who wants to be a florist must be prepared
- **A** to send flowers to people who are ill.
- **B** to work long hours at certain times of the year.
- **C** to spend a lot of time at the flower market.

30 Laura advises young people who would like to become florists
- **A** to work at a florist's while they are attending courses in floristry.
- **B** to study floristry full time at a college before they get a job.
- **C** to learn how to program a computer.

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