

LISTENING ACTIVITY January 11th

NAME: _____

Talking about the Cost

You are going to hear people talking in eight different situations about money. For questions 1-8, listen and choose the best answer, a, b or c.

1 You hear a conversation between two friends. Who are they discussing?

- a. a mother
- b. a friend
- c. a son

2 You hear a woman talking to a friend about selling her house. What is one reason why she wants to sell the house?

- a. It's far from her husband's place of work.
- b. She wants to make some money.
- c. It isn't convenient when her family visits.

3 You hear part of a talk about changes in the teenage market. What is the speaker describing?

- a. Summer jobs for teenagers.
- b. Different adverts for the teenage market.
- c. The importance of teenage buying.

4 You hear a woman telling her husband about a scarf she bought him. Why is the man annoyed?

- a. He thinks it was too expensive.
- b. He doesn't like wearing a scarf.
- c. He doesn't like the colours.

5 You hear a man and a woman talking about their jobs. What is the man's main problem?

- a. There is no good place to eat.
- b. He doesn't earn anything for extra hours.
- c. There is far too much work.

6 You hear a man talking about a new shopping mall. What does he say about the mall?

- a. It improves the town's appearance.
- b. It will create traffic problems.
- c. It cost relatively little to build.

7 You hear a woman on the radio speaking about the work she does. What does she say about her work?

- a. She needs more help.
- b. She is thinking of doing something else.
- c. She is making enough money.

8 You hear a woman talking about a new shop. What really surprised her?

- a. The customers are rich.
- b. The selection is limited.
- c. The prices are so high.