

**LISTENING: CONVERSATIONS**

We will hear a conversation between Samantha and Mr. Simmons. There are 2 parts.

**1. PART 1: Complete the sentences.**

1. According to Samantha, it isn't easy to get ahead as an \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Samantha played the \_\_\_\_\_ in the orchestra.
3. Samantha's parents wanted her to be a \_\_\_\_\_.
4. The orchestra has got two new \_\_\_\_\_ players.

**2. PART 2: Choose the correct answers.**

1. Samantha is going to see a \_\_\_\_\_ in Manchester next week.
  1. Concert
  2. Musical
  3. Football match
2. Samantha is surprised that Mr Simmons \_\_\_\_\_.
  1. Is a professional violinist.
  2. Still plays the drums.
  3. Likes rock music.
3. In 2001, the members of Mr Simmons' band \_\_\_\_\_.
  1. Separated
  2. Played at concerts
  3. Developed a new musical style
4. Mr Simmons \_\_\_\_ the name of his band.
  1. Doesn't remember
  2. Doesn't want to say
  3. Tells Samantha

**3. Are the sentences True or False?**

1. Mr Simmons saw Samantha after her audition. T / F
2. Mr Simmons wasn't happy when Samantha left the orchestra. T / F
3. Becoming a musician was not Samantha's dream. T / F
4. Mr Simmons saw *Live Lions* in Manchester last year. T / F
5. Mr Simmons is a professional pianist. T / F
6. When Mr Simmons was younger, his rock band played at concerts. T / F