Part 2

Questions 6–10

The people below all want to buy an audiobook (a book recorded on CD).
On the opposite page there are descriptions of eight CDs.
Decide which CD would be the most suitable for the following people.
For questions **6–10**, mark the correct letter (**A–H**) on your answer sheet.

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David enjoys spending time in the countryside, exploring different locations and learning about their past. He would enjoy listening to a description of somewhere that he could visit afterwards.

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Emile enjoys classical music and drama and is interested in history. He would like to listen to a serious CD that will give information about a particular period of history.

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Ysabelle has to drive a lot for her job. She is looking for some amusing fiction to listen to in the car and would like a story that lasts a long time.

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Omah is studying literature at university. He is particularly interested in modern poetry and would like to hear some of the poems he knows well being read aloud.

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Tamsin's favourite novels take place in the past, and she likes exciting stories that move fast. She would like a CD that's easy to listen to and doesn't last too long.

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Books recorded on CD

A Hafiz

Hafiz was a 14th-century Persian poet, and on this audiobook his poems are read aloud to a background of instrumental music. Nataraja Kallio reads beautifully. This CD is a great introduction to the work of Hafiz.

B Skulls and Skeletons

This recording about life in the 11th century was originally a radio series. In addition to the main text, some well-known musicians play instruments from the period, and some important documents and poetry of the time are read by actors.

C Coming Home

Jane Brown decided to take a look at a house for sale near where she grew up. The beauty of the house and the scenery around it amazed her. In this audiobook, she talks about local castles and ruins and gives lots of historical information about the area.

D The Apple Tree

The Lintons' house has no water or electricity but the beautiful countryside offers them peace and quiet. But when the Dobsons move in next door, things go frighteningly wrong. If you like mystery and suspense, and have plenty of time to listen, this is the novel for you.

E Off the Page

Listening to poems is one of our most ancient traditions and many people still believe that it's as important to listen to them as it is to read them. Here you can listen to some of the best poems from the 1980s to the present day. This is a great audiobook if you are short of time, as nothing in this collection lasts very long.

F Unlucky

When Mary Moreton throws herself into the back of George Bennet's taxi, he falls instantly in love with her. However, she is already in love with someone else. Events move quickly after that and the novel is very funny. You will need several hours for this audiobook but it's great to listen to while you are busy with other jobs.

G Over the Horizon

Tim falls in love at first sight with Lily when he meets her on an 18th-century prison ship. The ship sinks, he rescues her, and they run away together. The action builds throughout the story. Listeners who enjoy historical adventure will love this book. This is not serious fiction though, and it's all over pretty quickly.

H Mother Learns to Drive

This is an amusing collection of true stories about growing up in the American countryside. In one particularly funny story, the author describes his mother learning to drive. This is a fairly long audiobook, but it is easy to listen to.

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