

# LISTENING COMPREHENSION U6

## 1. Listen and choose the correct answers



1 What is the boy going to study at university?



A



B



C

2 What has the girl forgotten to bring?



A



B



C

3 What time is the swimming lesson today?



A



B



C

4 What was the prize for Teacher of the Year this year?



A



B



C

5 Which dish did Peter cook for the competition?



A



B



C

6 What musical instrument did George play to win the award?



A



B



C

## 2. Choose the best answers

1. Mum made some **crispy / creamy** fried chicken wings the other day, and they were delicious.
2. I loved the **sweet / salty** cheese snacks they served after dinner.
3. First **peel / slice** the potatoes and then cut them into thin slices.
4. Green bananas have a **salty / bitter** taste.
5. Tomatoes can be a bit **sour / juicy**, so it's a good idea to add sugar to tomato sauces.
6. **Spicy / Sweet** food has a very strong taste but that's what makes it so tasty.
7. How about going out for a **food / meal** after work?
8. Dessert is **sour / sweet** food served at the end of a meal.

## 3. Complete the sentences with these words

celebrated

exceptional

influential

ingenious

inventive

peaceful

1. I think that smartwatches are a really \_\_\_\_\_ invention. They're such a clever idea!
2. Only children with \_\_\_\_\_ abilities can win this science competition.
3. He's on the list of the 100 most \_\_\_\_\_ people in the world. His views have affected 4. Toby is very \_\_\_\_\_; he always comes up with brilliant ideas for new gadgets.
5. Jacqueline Wilson is one of the UK's most \_\_\_\_\_; authors with over 70 best-selling books and awards.
6. Fred has tried to find a \_\_\_\_\_ solution to the argument with his sister.

## 4. Complete the sentences with a correct form of the words given

1. Karen is taking her degree in economics next year. After her \_\_\_\_\_ she wants to travel to Australia. **GRADUATE**
2. In most European countries, \_\_\_\_\_ at schools takes place in the first week of September. **ENROL**
3. \_\_\_\_\_ in this year's marathon was very low because of the bad weather. **PARTICIPATE**
4. Science students will receive a week's \_\_\_\_\_ in basic computer skills. **TRAIN**
5. Computer programming wasn't part of formal \_\_\_\_\_ a century ago. **EDUCATE**
6. Have you filled in the \_\_\_\_\_ form for your new passport yet? **APPLY**
- 7 The literature teacher always gives us clear \_\_\_\_\_ on how to write our essays. **INSTRUCT**
8. There's very little in the way of \_\_\_\_\_ in this small town, just the shopping centre and a few restaurants. **ENTERTAIN**

## 5. Rewrite the sentences

- 1 The mayor has learnt her speech from memory although it is very long. **heart**  
The mayor has learnt \_\_\_\_\_ although it is very long.
- 2 Olivia likes to read a lot. She spends most of her time reading or studying. **bookworm**  
Olivia \_\_\_\_\_. She spends most of her time reading or studying.
- 3 My sister got top marks in her maths exams. **colours**  
My sister passed her maths exams \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 The chemistry test was extremely easy. Everyone got excellent marks. **ABC**  
The chemistry test was \_\_\_\_\_. Everyone got excellent marks.
- 5 Would you like to do the algebra exercises together? Problems are easier to solve when two people work together. **heads**  
Would you like to do the algebra exercises together? Two \_\_\_\_\_ one.
- 6 Dina is the teacher's favourite student. Everyone knows it. **pet**  
Dina is \_\_\_\_\_. Everyone knows it.