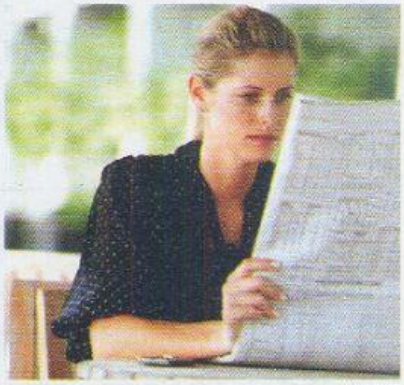
UNIT 19

The News





CD 3-12 Listening 1

These are the beginnings of news reports. What kinds of reports are they? Listen and circle the correct answer.

1. a. politics
   (b.) business
2. a. weather
   b. traffic
3. a. sports
   b. crime
4. a. sports
   b. business
5. a. politics
   b. entertainment
6. a. crime
   b. weather

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Listening 2

CD 3-13 ▶ **Task 1**

Read these newspaper headlines and listen to the news reports. Are the headlines correct? Check (✓) the correct answer.

1. **Guests Escape from Hotel Fire**

☑ correct
☐ incorrect

2. **Restaurant Wins Award for Food**

☐ correct
☐ incorrect

3. **Students Lost for 10 Days Found Safe**

☐ correct
☐ incorrect

4. **Pop Singer's Concert a Great Success**

☐ correct
☐ incorrect

5. **Fishing Crew Lost During Storm**

☐ correct
☐ incorrect

6. **Panda Babies Born at Zoo**



☐ correct
☐ incorrect

CD 3-13 ▶ **Task 2**

Listen again. Are these statements about things that actually happened or things that probably happened? Check (✓) the correct answer.

	Actually happened	Probably happened
1. The fire started in a guest room.	☐	☑
2. More than ten people got food poisoning.	☐	☐
3. The students' vehicle broke down.	☐	☐
4. Jimmy Wild had a sore throat.	☐	☐
5. The fishing crew sent out a call for help.	☐	☐
6. The baby pandas are very small right now.	☐	☐

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Listening 3

CD 3-14 ▶ **Task 1**

What are these news reports about? Listen and circle the correct answer.



1. (a.) a protest
   b. an exhibition
   c. a sale

2. a. a protest
   b. an exhibition
   c. a sale

3. a. a crime
   b. a fire
   c. a vacation

4. a. an exhibition
   b. a vacation
   c. a crime

5. a. a flood
   b. a fire
   c. a crime

6. a. an exhibition
   b. a business plan
   c. a protest

CD 3-14 ▶ **Task 2**

Listen again. Are the statements true or false? Check (✓) the correct answer.

	True	False
1. The nurses want lower income taxes.	☐	☑
2. Botero's work has been shown in this area before.	☐	☐
3. The weather is helping the fire spread.	☐	☐
4. Some of the snakes are still missing.	☐	☐
5. Many people have had to leave their homes.	☐	☐
6. The merger could be good news for travelers.	☐	☐

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Dictation

CD 3-16 ▶ **Task 1**

Listen to the conversation. Write the missing words or numbers.

A: Did you _____ _____ _____ last night and see the story about the bank robbery?

B: No, I didn't. What happened?

A: Three men robbed the bank on Fifth Street. They got _____ _____ _____.

B: Wow! That's a lot of money! I hope the police caught them.

A: Not yet. There's a _____ _____ for anyone who helps the police capture them!

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