

Listen to Helen talking to her friend Sam about being in a rock band. For questions 11-15, tick A, B or c. You will hear the conversation twice.

Look at questions 11-15 now. You have 20 seconds.

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Now listen to the conversation.

Helen: Sam, you know I sing in Nick's band?

Sam: Mmm. He plays drums, doesn't he, Helen?

Helen: Yes. Well, we need another guitar player. How about you?

Sam: Sure!

Helen: Nick wants to hear you play first. Are you free on Wednesday?

Sam: Sorry. How about the next day or Friday?

Helen: Let's say Thursday - Nick's busy on Fridays.

Sam: Fine. Where and what time?

Helen: Come to my flat at seven thirty and we can walk to Nick's. The band uses his dad's garage because his bedroom's too small.

Sam: Should I bring anything? Food? Music?

Helen: Nick's mum makes US sandwiches and I always bring CDs. A warm sweater's a good idea, because it gets cold.

Sam: OK. When's the band's next concert? Aren't you playing at your brother's eighteenth birthday party?

Helen: Yes, and the college has booked US for the Saturday before that. We want to play at the starlight Club, but they're fully booked at the moment.

Sam: Do you get paid for singing, Helen?

Helen: Of course - the band gets a hundred and ten pounds a night and we each have twenty-five pounds. Nick keeps ten pounds for things like advertisements.

Sam: Great.