Reading and Listening Comprehension Practice 3a

Reading comprehension

Read the text and decide if the statements are *R* (right), *W* (wrong) or *DS* (doesn't say).

SPRINGFIELD YOUTH CLUB

In the UK, it's common to see groups of teenagers walking around the streets having nothing to do. This is because some areas don't have much for young people to do without spending a lot of money. However, in Hackney, in London, UK, there is a fantastic place for young people to go to. The Springfield Youth Club provides a safe place off the streets for young people to spend time with their friends.

Springfield Youth Club offers young people a wide range of activities to do from playing sports like football and ping pong to swimming, biking, making art, cooking and even going away on trips.

As well as having lots of fun, going to Springfield Youth Club is an educational experience. The staff work with young people to influence and teach them important life skills. Young people learn about decision making, taking responsibility and developing their social skills.

Isn't it great that young people in Hackney have such an amazing place to go to?

Write *R* (right), *W* (wrong) or *DS* (doesn't say)

1 All areas in the UK have things for young people to do. _____
2 The Springfield Youth Club is open every day. _____
3 The entry to Springfield Youth Club is free. _____
4 The club offers activities that help young people get exercise. _____
5 The staff teach young people useful skills. _____

Listening comprehension

Listen to Sarah and Mary discussing their weekend plans and for questions 1-5, choose the correct answer (A, B or C).

1 What will Sarah do on Sunday morning?
A go shopping **B** go the cinema **C** go to a youth club

2 Sarah doesn't like _____at the weekends.
A spending time with others **B** feeling bored **C** doing lots of activities

3 People from the age of _____can attend the youth club.
A 11 **B** 12 **C** 13

4 The price per week at the youth club is _____ .
A free **B** £3 **C** £8

5 Sarah and Mary agree to meet at _____ .
A 9:30 am **B** 9:45 am **C** 10:00 am