Reading and Listening Comprehension Practice 4b

Reading comprehension

Read the forum entries and decide whether each sentence (1-5) is about Adrian or Brenda. Write *A* (Adrian) or *B* (Brenda).

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Hi everyone! My favourite device is my smartphone. It does so many things that make life easier and more fun. For example, it allows me to keep in touch with friends in so many different ways – I can email, send text messages or simply make a phone call! It's also got a great camera and it takes even better pictures than my digital camera. I've also downloaded some really useful apps onto my smartphone. My favourite is my fitness tracker! It doesn't let me forget which exercises I should do each day – just like a personal trainer! All in all, I use my smartphone so much that I have to charge it every single night!

Posted by: Adrian H_15, 24/9, 14:34

Sounds like you've got a nice smartphone, Adrian! As for me, I'm hooked on my MP3 player. For me, it's the perfect way to listen to music on the go. It's got 8 gigabytes of memory, so it can store thousands of music files! Also, it's got a user-friendly touchscreen and the sound quality is great. But I don't just use it to listen to music. I watch videos and play games on it, too. It's also great for storing and viewing photos! One thing I don't like though is that it takes a long time to charge – but overall, it's a gadget I couldn't live without!

Posted by: Brenda_16, 24/9, 20:18

Write *A* (Adrian) or *B* (Brenda).

This person

1 uses their device to take photographs. _____
2 mentions a problem their device has. _____
3 compares their device to another one. _____
4 has a device which reminds them to do things. _____
5 has a device with a lot of storage space. _____

Listening comprehension

Listen to an announcement about a competition and fill in the gaps (1-5).

Brown's Electronic – Video Game Competition

Date:	Saturday, 14th **1)** _____
Dress as:	Halo video game characters
Location in store:	video games section - **2)** _____ floor
Competition time:	**3)** _____ pm
First prize:	gift voucher for £ **4)** _____
Other prizes:	video games, **5)** _____ accessories, gadgets