



Listening Exercise Time



- Listen to “*Time Bandits*” a section of a radio show to help people deal with their time issues.
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- Match the caller to the problem they have (a-e).
- Then match the problem (a-e) to the expert’s advice (1-5).

Caller’s name

Caller’s problem

Richard’s Advice

Jade

a. She usually finds people in the supermarket queue who take a long time talking to the cashier.

1. Make a list of your five favorite outfits.

Nigel

b. Her husband makes her spend a lot of time helping him find things.

2. Tell her you’re short of time.

Judy

c. She spends a lot time every morning deciding what to wear.

3. Send them a message and ask them to tell you if they’re going to be late.

Wendy

d. She has a friend who wastes her time on the phone.

4. Don’t stop what you’re doing to go and help. Pretend you’re busy.

Sue

e. He wastes a lot of time waiting for people.

5. Interrupt politely and ask a question. This will remind them there are people waiting to be served.