4.3 LISTENING

Multiple choice

I can identify key details in a simple recording about life events.


1 learn to drive


2 _____


3 _____


4 _____

1 **In pairs, label the four life events in the photos with the correct phrases below.**

buy your first flat/house/home fall in love get married
get your first job go on your first date ~~learn to drive~~
leave home

2 SPEAKING **When do the life events in Exercise 1 happen in your country?**

In my country, people usually leave home when they are twenty. You can learn to drive when you are ...

3 2.19 **Listen to four people and tick the life events they mention.**

	Sara	Mike	Grace	Simon
1 buy your first flat				
2 fall in love				
3 get married				
4 get your first job				
5 go on your first date				
6 learn to drive				
7 leave home				

4 2.19 **Listen again. Match sentences a-f with people 1–4. There are two extra sentences.**

1 Sara ☐
2 Mike ☐
3 Grace ☐
4 Simon ☐

a thinks learning to drive helps you get a better job.
b wants to get married now.
c doesn't want to continue his/her education.
d would like to leave home now.
e wants to use the money from his/her job to learn to drive.
f is in love, but doesn't want to get married yet.

EXAM FOCUS Multiple choice

5 2.19 **Listen again and choose the correct answer, A, B or C.**

1 Sara thinks the best age to leave home is
A seventeen.
B eighteen.
C twenty.
2 Mike wants to learn to drive because
A his parents never collect him from friends' houses.
B he needs to drive for his job.
C then he can come home later.
3 Grace says it's better to get married when you are about
A thirty. B eighteen. C eighty.
4 Simon has got
A his own car.
B a job in a shop.
C a driving lesson today.

PRONUNCIATION FOCUS

6 2.20 **Listen and repeat the numbers.**

1 sixteen – sixty
2 seventeen – seventy
3 eighteen – eighty
4 thirteen – thirty
5 fourteen – forty
6 thirteen – fourteen – fifteen
7 thirty – forty – fifty

7 2.21 **Listen and decide which numbers you hear in Exercise 6.**

WORD STORE 4D Life events

8 2.22 **Complete WORD STORE 4D with the collocations from Exercise 1. Then listen, check and repeat.**

9 SPEAKING **What is the most important life event for you? Tell your partner.**

LIVEWORKSHEETS