

Listening Part 1

East London Markets

Columbia Road

Over 50 stalls selling (1)
at bargain prices.

Brick Lane

A market speciality is (2)

Petticoat Lane

Sells everything from clothes to toys.
Busiest day is (3)

Whitechapel

It's opposite (4)
Get your Asian vegetables
and spices here.

Come and be part of the fun!

Part 2

8. You will hear two friends talking about a family visit to a cafe.
What did the girl's mother like best?
A. the apple juice
B. the pictures hanging on the walls
C. the cake along with her drink
9. You will hear a boy talking about his big brother learning to drive.
How did the boy's brother feel about his first lesson?
A. quite nervous as he was afraid of crashing
B. excited to have the chance to get around on his own
C. bored as he already knew how to drive
10. You will hear two friends talking about getting a Saturday job.
The girl thinks that
A. it's a good idea to look for a job.
B. they would both be too tired.
C. they should take any job they can get.
11. You will hear two friends talking about a film they have seen.
What do they agree on?
A. The film was better than they had expected.
B. The characters were not believable.
C. There should have been less action.
12. You will hear a boy telling his friend about a school trip to a museum.
How did he feel about it?
A. He would be willing to visit it again soon.
B. He thought it was a waste of time.
C. It was more interesting than he had expected.
13. You will hear two friends talking about a new teacher.
They think the new teacher is
A. more interesting than the rest of the teachers.
B. funny and never gives them any homework.
C. too serious sometimes.

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Use of English Part 1

For each question, complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first sentence. Don't use more than 3 words.

1. She said: "I was in that new expensive restaurant on Saturday".

She said that _____ in that new expensive restaurant on Saturday.

2. It's the first time I have ever tried French foie-gras.

I _____ French foie-gras before.

3. I prefer online shopping to offline.

I like buying things _____ offline.

4. Why don't you bring your coat to the dry-cleaner's?

If I were you, I _____ the coat to the dry-cleaner's.

5. The janitor cleaned our house after reconstruction.

We _____ our house _____ after reconstruction.

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Part 2

Write ONE word in each gap.



If fast food can be unhealthy, why do people still eat it?

People say things like “when a 1) _____ of chips is cheaper than a head of broccoli...” to explain why they prefer fast food over making meals at home. Convenience and time - that's what matters when we 2) _____ a choice about the food we eat.

Fast food is quick and easy, 3) _____ makes it popular. However, french fries and sugary drinks 4) _____ highly processed. They are full of fat, calories, and sodium.

The idea that fast food is cheaper than a homemade meal is a myth. At your local fast food chain, three hamburgers, six chicken nuggets, four orders of french fries, and four 5) _____ of cola costs about \$28. A roasted chicken with vegetables served with a side salad and milk costs about \$14. Both can feed a family of four.

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Writing

The T-shirt you have recently bought lost all color after the first wash. You called the store, but the shop assistant said that it was your mistake. Write your letter to the store manager.

In your letter:

- introduce yourself
- explain the situation
- say what action you would like them to take

Write 90-120 words.

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Reading Part 1

Read the Street food market guide, and decide which food stall (A-H) would be the most suitable for each group of people (1-5).

A *Amazing food by Jason*

If you're looking for a main meal, try the delicious curry from Mauritius here. Don't miss the Creole Chicken, which is spicy fried chicken cooked in tomatoes and served with rice and salad. Not cheap, but visit the stall on Tuesdays for a free glass of hot tea.

B *Scandinavian Kitchen*

Looking for a light lunch? Order the picnic box at this stall which opens this week and you won't be disappointed. We recommend the top-quality turkey with bread and cheese. Or why not try the salmon special, which comes with free coffee and cake? Perfect for those who feel like a change but don't have much time!

C *Just Right Burgers*

All reviews recommend these reasonably priced beef or tuna burgers. The vegetarian burger is grilled vegetables and just the right amount of mushrooms, with or without cheese. Something new for those who fancy a light lunchtime meal. Order a homemade soft drink with your meal.

D *Aladdin's Cave*

Expect to queue for a light middle-eastern meal from this stall. Their lunchbox contains fresh salad, spicy potato chips, garlic sauce and bread. Even meat eaters will consider becoming vegetarians here. Not cheap, but their homemade desserts are amazing!

E *Barbecue Hut*

If you fancy a main meal, sit down here and for less than €10, the prizewinning chefs will barbecue a juicy steak and serve it with fries. Try their range of sauces, from hot pepper to yoghurt. Finish with their famous apple pie and a hot drink! Right next to the market entrance.

F *Blue Dog*

You must try a piadina (an Italian flatbread) from the newly opened Blue Dog. Vegetarians should try the Spinach and Mushroom piadina, which is very reasonably priced. Perfect for those who don't want a heavy meal. Ask for a piadina with chocolate sauce for dessert - not suitable for a takeaway. Opposite the front gate - you can't miss it! Seating available.

G *Fred Gonzalez*

Fred Gonzalez has been voted chef of the month many times since he set up his Mexican food stall. His customers are happy to wait while his team prepares freshly cooked burritos filled with fish, beef or vegetables and rice, beans, lettuce and hot peppers. Half-price meals for students, but expect queues.

H *Food planet*

If you think vegan curry is boring, think again. Their potato and pea curry is hot, but it is one of the most delicious dishes in the market. Ask for a slice of their carrot cake in a bag and save it for later. Aboveaverage prices. but worth it. Very short waiting time. Comfortable seating area.

☐ 1. Katie's family have tried most of the stalls so want to try something brand new on Tuesday. They would much rather have fish and they want a hot drink with their meal.

☐ 2. Jack and his classmates have read that some of the stalls have won prizes and want to try one of those. They would like a vegetarian main meal but they are short of money.

☐ 3. Sara and her friends fancy having a light lunch together on Saturday. They would like to sit down to eat at the stall.

☐ 4. Samuel's grandmother would like to take him for a meal on Sunday, but she doesn't want to walk too far around the market. Samuel would like a proper meal, but she just wants a dessert.

☐ 5. Tania and her mum feel like trying a spicy vegetable dish before the cinema on Sunday. They won't have much time before the film, so they will need to take away their dessert.

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Part 2

Read the following text about fashion for kids.

Five sentences have been removed from the text. Complete the gaps 1-5 with the sentences A-F. There is one extra sentence that you do not need to use.

Fashion for Kids

Last week, I bought my nine-year-old son a new pair of trainers that were reduced in a sale. They fit him fine and they looked good, but afterwards he didn't seem very happy with our bargain. 1 _____ I seriously thought about taking the shoes back to the shop to exchange them for a more expensive and fashionable make. But why should I pay money I can't afford, or get into debt just because of peer pressure?

One boy in my son's class wears jewellery and clothes with designer labels to school. He even wears Calvin Klein aftershave! And he isn't old enough to shave! I spoke to him and he told me why he had to have the latest fashions. One day he had worn his old trainers to school. 2 _____ When his pals saw him, they called him a tramp! He went straight home and put on his new trainers. His mum isn't well off, but she always finds the money so that he looks good in front of his mates.

I've seen children as young as six going round shoe shops and fashion boutiques looking for the latest styles, desperate for the expensive designer clothes they see on TV. What's wrong with these kids? 3 _____ Or our materialistic, consumer society?

All the major fashion labels have got special children's brands, it's a market which generates £5 billion a year in the UK alone. The big clothing companies and chain stores exploit children at both ends of the production line. 4 _____ And in our shopping centres full of child consumers competing with each other to be up to date.

If you're a parent, don't give your kids all the clothes and fashion accessories they ask for. 5 _____

Because one thing is sure: you won't make your kids happy by spoiling them.

Maggie from Bootle



A Explain patiently why they can't get everything they want.

B He was worried that some of the kids at his school would laugh at him because his new shoes didn't have a well-known brand name.

C In the factories full of child workers in the Far East where the products are made.

D Or is it their parents?

E Some parents, such as David and Victoria Beckham, dress Their children in Aashy fashions to show off their family's wealth.

F They were a well-known brand, but they were last year's model and the price had been cut to £25 in the sales.

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