

IELTS LISTENING – ORANGE 19 TEST 4

BOOK PRESERVATION AND TREASURED MEMORIES

KIERAN: So Jane, you'll be 1. _____ to Denmark soon to do your work 2. _____.

JANE: Yes, I'm really looking 3. _____ to it and I've just started 4. _____ all my 5. _____ to 6. _____ in 7. _____.

KIERAN: Well, I 8. _____ they don't get 9. _____.

JANE: It's OK - my 10. _____ 11. _____ in a 12. _____ and he told me how to 13. _____ them.

KIERAN: Oh, that's 14. _____.

JANE: He says you have to 15. _____ the 16. _____ 17. _____ the 18. _____ can 19. _____ from the 20. _____.

KIERAN: Yeah - that's 21. _____.

JANE: He also told me to 22. _____ them 23. _____ in the 24. _____ not on their 25. _____ - again because they can 26. _____ and if you 27. _____ them like that for, say, a 28. _____, it's quite 29. _____ to get them 30. _____ to their 31. _____ 32. _____.

KIERAN: Well, it's pretty 33. _____ that 34. _____ them, but a lot of 35. _____ just can't be 36. _____ to 37. _____ their books.

JANE: He always says it's such a 38. _____ that 39. _____ don't use 40. _____ paper.

KIERAN: It's the 41. _____ in the paper that 42. _____ the 43. _____, isn't it?

JANE: Yeah - that's why 44. _____ books go 45. _____. You know some of the books my grandfather's given me are like that already.

KIERAN: Oh ...

JANE: I should 46. _____ them really if they're going to 47. _____ further, but I'd feel 48. _____. They'll always 49. _____ me of him. He's quite a 50. _____, you know.

KIERAN: Well, if they're 51. _____ to you ...

JANE: Yeah - I'd 52. _____ just 53. _____ them away.

KIERAN: You know, maybe it's because I was taught to 54. _____ books ... but I 55. _____ seeing 56. _____ 57. _____ open the 58. _____ of 59. _____. They 60. _____

so 61. _____ they 62. _____ up 63. _____ the 64. _____.

JANE: I know, but unfortunately, 65. _____ aren't 66. _____ to 67. _____ a long 68. _____ and people know that. 69. _____ aren't quite as 70. _____.

KIERAN: Yeah, they're 71. _____, I suppose. But I still don't think people 72. _____ 73. _____ like they used to.

JANE: Well, they aren't 74. _____, are they, like other 75. _____. Plus, 76. _____, people don't 77. _____ them out on 78. _____ as much as they used to.

KIERAN: That's such a 79. _____. When I 80. _____ someone - if they have, say, a 81. _____ book on a 82. _____, it's the 83. _____ thing I'm 84. _____ to.

JANE: I agree - and book covers can be a 85. _____ of 86. _____ in themselves. Some are really 87. _____.

KIERAN: I've always been 88. _____ to 89. _____ books 90. _____. If you 91. _____ someone take a book off a 92. _____, well, they usually do it 93. _____.

JANE: Ah, my 94. _____ says, you should 95. _____ your 96. _____ right 97. _____ the 98. _____ ... or if you can't do that, 99. _____ the other books on the shelf 100. _____ so that you can 101. _____ the 102. _____ cover.

KIERAN: When did you 103. _____ all this?

JANE: He 104. _____ me 105. _____ a 106. _____ book 107. _____ the shelf when I was 108. _____, and it 109. _____ on the 110. _____ and 111. _____ apart.

KIERAN: Oh dear! I can still 112. _____ it!

JANE: You know what I really like?

KIERAN: What?

JANE: The 113. _____ of new books.

KIERAN: Me too. My 114. _____ used to 115. _____ at me when I was a 116. _____ because I loved putting books up to my 117. _____. 118. _____ as much as reading them!

JANE: 119. _____ books aren't 120. _____, though, are they?

KIERAN: I 121. _____ we're 122. _____ we can 123. _____ them.

JANE: My grandfather stocks 124. _____ books as well as 125. _____ ones and they don't 126. _____ quite as 127. _____.

KIERAN: I'd love to have a 128. _____ like your 129. _____. What's it like?

JANE: Well, it's quite 130. _____ - it's got two 131. _____ and an 132. _____, and he 133. _____ all 134. _____ of books really.

KIERAN: I guess he 135. _____ things like first 136. _____ and other 137. _____ books.

JANE: Yeah - you might think he'd 138. _____ those in the 139. _____ or 140. _____.

KIERAN: ... so they'd be 141. _____?

JANE: Yeah. But he likes people to know that he has them. So, he puts them 142. _____ in the 143. _____ but makes sure you need a 144. _____ to 145. _____ them.

KIERAN: Right. That would 146. _____ any 147. _____!

JANE: Uh-huh.

KIERAN: Does he 148. _____ books for 149. _____?

JANE: He does. He particularly likes to 150. _____ 151. _____ to 152. _____; he always says that he used to 153. _____ under the 154. _____ as a 155. _____ with a 156. _____ of books and 157. _____ them 158. _____.

KIERAN: Is that where he 159. _____ them, then?

JANE: Not 160. _____ - he's got a 161. _____ area on the 162. _____ floor with 163. _____ so that 164. _____ can 165. _____ with their 166. _____, go there and 167. _____ some 168. _____ 169. _____ to them.

KIERAN: Oh, cool.

JANE: And then there's a 170. _____ for 171. _____ by the 172. _____ door. And a 173. _____ if anyone needs 174. _____.

KIERAN: That's good to know.

JANE: As I said, it's a big 175. _____ and there's a 176. _____ area out the 177. _____ as well.

KIERAN: Oh, what does he 178. _____ there? Books he wants to 179. _____?

JANE: He hardly ever throws anything away - he just leaves 180. _____ books by the 181. _____ door for 182. _____ to take.

KIERAN: Well, that's very nice.

JANE: Yeah - and books people or 183. _____ have 184. _____, they all go at the far 185. _____.

KIERAN: Oh.

JANE: He thinks it's best to keep these 186. _____ the main 187. _____ area as they're 188. _____ and 189. _____.

KIERAN: Did you get your 190. _____ from him?

JANE: Naturally. He 191. _____ books for a lot of the 192. _____. He used to keep these books on the 193. _____ floor, but now there's a 194. _____ 195. _____ in my 196. _____, he's 197. _____ them 198. _____ to 199. _____ the 200. _____.

They're actually 201. _____ of the coffee shop, on 202. _____ 203. _____ all around it.

KIERAN: Pretty 204. _____ then. You'll have to take me there sometime!