Exercise 1: Listen to the audio, choose the correct answer:

Rubric: Now turn to Part 2, questions 6 to 10. Listen to Ricky and his friend talking about a soccer club for children. For each question, circle the correct answer A, B or C.

You now have twenty seconds to look at the questions for Part 2.

PAUSE 00'20"

Rubric: Now we are ready to start. Listen carefully. You will hear the recording twice.

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F Hi Ricky. That new soccer club on Saturday mornings is great.

M Really? How can I join?

F Their website's not ready yet, so your mom has to ***a. ring/ b. tell*** them. I've got the number. It's easy – there are ***a. no/ b. some*** forms to complete!

M Okay. And where do you play?

F A sports hall ***a. wasn't/ b. was*** available, so we play outdoors even if it rains. We go to the ***a. park/ b. shark*** that's near the High School.

M And what time do we need to get there?

F Practice begins at ten, ***a. but/ b. and*** they check the list of names at quarter to ("quarter to" here means ***a. 10:15/ b. 9.45***), so you must be there then. Matches start at half past.

M OK. And what do you have to wear?

F Just sports clothes. Shorts, or, if it's cold, trousers and a T-shirt – the colour doesn't matter. The only thing is, they don't like you wearing ***a. trainers/ b. runners***. You've got to wear boots.

M And do I need to bring anything with me?

F Well you might get hungry so something to ***a. eat/ b. it*** is a good idea. But don't bring money because there's no shop nearby, and they give you water. You don't need to bring a drink.

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M Great. Thanks!

PAUSE 00'05"

Now answer these questions:

Questions 6 – 10

Listen to Ricky and his friend talking about a soccer club for children.
For each question, circle the correct answer **A**, **B** or **C**.

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6 For Ricky to join the soccer club, his mother needs to

A fill in a form.

B make a phone call.

C go on the internet.

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7 Where does the soccer club play?

A at a high school

B in a sports hall

C in a park

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8 What time do the players have to arrive?

A quarter to ten

B ten o'clock

C half past ten

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9 What must Ricky not wear when playing for the club?

A trainers

B a blue t-shirt

C trousers

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10 What should Ricky take with him?

A a drink

B some money

C a snack

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Exercise 2: Listen to the audio, choose the correct answer:

Rubric: Now turn to Part 3, questions 11 to 15. You will hear an interview with a girl called Sarah, who is talking about a small car called a go-kart which her dad helped her to make. For each question, circle the correct answer A, B or C.

You now have 45 seconds to look at the questions for Part 3.

PAUSE 00'45"

Rubric: Now we are ready to start. Listen carefully. You will hear the recording twice.

M Today we're talking to 13-year-old Sarah who, with the help of her dad, has made a

small car, called a go-kart. She even entered a race with it! So Sarah, where did you find the materials you needed for the go-kart?

F Well, there's actually a shop in our town where you can buy a complete kit to build your own go-kart - but that didn't seem much fun, really. I wanted to make it myself and you only need a wooden box, some wheels, and a small engine – it's a very simple machine! So my dad took me to a local garage but they didn't have what we wanted. So we tried a place where people take old things for ***a. recycling/ b. cycling***. That was perfect!

M And did your dad do most of the work?

F No, we designed and built the go-kart together. I didn't agree with all of his ideas, though. I wanted some lights on the go-kart, but he said they weren't necessary and that it

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was more ***a. important/ b. immortal*** to have good brakes! He said I had to have those. And I painted a logo on the side – I thought it looked really good!

M And what happened when you tried the go-kart for the first time?

F Well, my dad wanted to check the wheels were okay, so we went to a quiet park to try it out. At first, I didn't want to go too fast, but before I knew it I was driving at top

a. speed/ b. sheep! Luckily, I managed to miss the trees – and the people walking in the park!

M You've even entered a race, haven't you? Did your mum worry about that?

F A bit! She was happy for me to do the race, but ***a. said/ b. sad*** I had to wear a helmet, and some gloves. I knew I'd need sunglasses too, because the sun was really bright. And I always wear a T-shirt with long sleeves to protect my arms.

M In the end, you didn't win the race. Were you disappointed about that?

F Well, I was fourth – out of 20 go-karts, which was much better than I expected and there were some really good go-karts there. I enjoyed it and I've already decided to do it again, but I'm not sure when. I know I've got to practise more.

M It's been really nice talking to you, Sarah. Thanks very much for telling us all about it (fade)

Exercise 3: Listen to the audio and write the words

Part 3

Now look at Part Three. *Pause 5 seconds*

For each question, choose the correct answer.

Look at questions11-15 now. You have 20 seconds. *Pause 20 seconds*

You will hear Mike talking to his friend, Zoe, about an Arts Festival.

Mike: Hi Zoe! (11) *Have you heard about the arts festival?* It starts next week.

Zoe: No, but I'm not too interested in painting and drawing.

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Mike: Well, I'm not so interested, either! But (11) *a friend was…… me about it.* He goes to lots of arts events. He told me to look online. (12) *There are some good concerts on, that we could go to!*

Zoe: (12) *Really? That sounds interesting.* (13) *Are there any …….. concerts that I would like?* Or, is it classical music only?

Mike: Most of it is classical. However, I think you'd like one of these concerts.

Zoe: Oh, why? (14) *Is someone famous playing?*

Mike: (14) *Yes, Bob Wood.* You know, the one who plays the guitar.

Zoe: That sounds nice. Where's the event?

Mike: It was going to be in the old cinema, near the stadium. But (14) *he's so popular, that they've changed their plans. Now it's going to be in the big exhibition ……..*

Zoe: I suppose I should get a ticket now. What date is it?

Mike: Wednesday the 17th.

Zoe: (15) *Oh no. I can't come! It's my ……'s birthday.*

Mike: Can't she come too? Or doesn't she like music?

Zoe: She does! That's why (15) *she's asked me to do the music at her party!*

Mike: That's a pity!

Pause 5 seconds Now listen again. *Repeat Pause 5 seconds*

That is the end of Part Three. *Pause 10 seconds*

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