Training Test 1 Listening Part 2

In this part, you:

- **listen** to two speakers talking about a topic
- **answer** six multiple-choice questions

VOCABULARY: ADJECTIVES

1 Listen to the speakers. Choose the correct option.

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1 The boy is *embarrassed* / *anxious*.
2 The girl thinks the animal was *cute* / *frightening*.
3 The children have to be *patient* / *quick*.
4 The building was *tall* / *modern*.
5 Their friend is *reliable* / *amusing*.
6 The park is *enormous* / *boring*.

2 Listen again and write the words you hear that have a similar meaning to the answers in Exercise 1.

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TIP Keep a record of vocabulary with synonyms and antonyms, e.g. *anxious*: synonyms – *nervous, worried*; antonyms – *relaxed, calm*.

FOCUS: EXPLAINING WHY

3 Match the sentence halves.

1 I didn't like the camera	a so that everyone could share it.
2 We stopped at the café	b because the weather was excellent.
3 They bought a large pizza	c to have something to drink.
4 I paid a lot of money,	d because the pictures weren't clear.
5 My computer was broken,	e to use in the presentation.
6 The family went to the coast	f so I expected a better room.
7 She looked for some good images	g so I asked my uncle to help me fix it.

4 Listen and choose the correct option.

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You hear a boy talking about his holiday. Why did he go home early?

A because he was ill
B to study for a test
C so that he could play in a match

TIP Speakers often explain why they do or feel something. They use words like *because, so that, to,* or *so* before giving the reason.

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06 For each question, choose the correct answer.

8 You will hear two friends talking about their school website.
The friends agree that

A the information is confusing.

B the photos are attractive.

C the articles seem interesting.

TIP Listen carefully for expressions that show whether the speakers agree or disagree with the ideas they talk about, e.g. Agreeing: *That's a great idea!, You're right*. Disagreeing: *No way!, I think ... is better.*

9 You will hear a girl telling her friend about a documentary on space travel.
What surprised her about it?

A Nobody has been to the Moon in recent years.

B It has taken a long time to prepare for the trip.

C Space travel for tourists is expensive.

10 You will hear a boy telling his friend about a cookery course.
Why did he enjoy most about it?

A something his classmate did

B something his teacher taught them

C something he made

Advice

(10) What does the boy say about the cake he made? What did his classmate do? What does he say about that?

11 You will hear two friends talking about singing in a concert.
The girl is worried because she thinks that

A her clothes are wrong.

B she'll make a mistake.

C the other singers need to prepare more.

Advice

(11) Is the girl worried about other people? Is she happy about what she's going to wear? What does she say about making a mistake?

12 You will hear a boy telling his friend about a maths test.
The boy recommends

A working with the class book.

B working with a friend.

C working with an app.

13 You will hear a girl talking about a new snowboard.
How does she feel about it?

A satisfied with the colour

B pleased she bought it

C confident it'll help her win

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