LISTENING SKILL PRACTICE

Practice Exercise 1 PEARSON A2+ 6-10

Listen to the story and answer the questions.

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1 What is the story about?
A bad day that became a good day
A canceled flight and a night spent at the irport
The day that the speaker lost her job
The day that the speaker moved to a new city

3 Why was the professor at the hotel?
He needed a room for the night.
He was meeting the woman for breakfast.
He owns the hotel.
He lost his job at the university.

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2 Listen to the line above.
Which emotion do you hear?
happy
bored
upset
surprised

Practice Exercise 2

Listen to the podcast and answer the questions.

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4 What are the questions about?
a dates and times
b famous people
c things used outdoors
d places and activities

6 Where is the hardest climbing route a woman has completed?
a Canada
b The Czech Republic
c Norway
The US

a
b
c
d

5 What year did the Boston Marathon start?
a 1896
b 1897
c 1918
d 1924

Practice Exercise 3

Listen to the podcast and answer the questions.

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7 What are they talking about?

8 *For this question, choose two things mentioned in*

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a How to like to wake up in the morning
b How to get more sleep
c How to be more healthy day to day
How to stay awake for longer during the day

the interview.

Iver has different morning routines.
a He reads the paper.
b He works on his computer.
c He goes for a run.
He meditates.

Practice Exercise 4

Listen to the story and answer the questions.

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9 What is the story about?
a a birthday present
b a surprise birthday party
c a birthday dinner
a birthday card

10 Who does the woman like to have coffee with?
a her husband
b her neighbor
c her favorite waiter

11 The woman probably got ___ for her birthday.
a a new car
b a nice lunch
c a big house
an expensive painting

Practice Exercise 5

Listen to the pronunciation of the words ending in *est*. Click on the phrase where the speaker pronounces the /t/ sound in *est*.

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12 a. the widest ocean b. the tallest mountain c. the largest country d. the hottest desert

Listen to the pronunciation of *i* in the following words. Click on the word with a different *i* sound.

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13 tickets fix click surprised

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Listen to the different pronunciations of *a* in the following words. Drag each word into the correct category.

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14 appove ask safe art

/eɪ/	/æ/

/ɑ/	/ə/

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Listen to the word. Click on the stressed syllable.

15. e-du-ca-tion

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