UNIT 7: FAME & THE MEDIA

Listening: *flow-chart completion*

Exercise 1:

Reviewing Ocean Plastics Research

You will hear a university tutor and a marine biology student discussing a draft research proposal on microplastics.

Questions 1–6.
Complete the flow-chart below.
Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Sediment Processing Procedure

Extract standardised sediment plugs using a metal **1.** _____

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Pass wet material through a coarse mesh to eliminate **2.** _____

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Place samples in an oven heated to **3.** _____ degrees to prevent polymer damage.

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Carry out density separation by adding concentrated **4.** _____.

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Pour off floating material onto filter paper and examine with a **5.** _____.

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Transfer classification figures into a **6.** _____ for team access.

Exercise 2:

Documentary Review Assignment

You will hear two media studies students, Freya and Ben, discussing the stages for their documentary review project.

Questions 1–6.
Complete the flow-chart below.
Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Stages of the Documentary Review Assignment

Initial research: examine the filmmaker's official **1.** _____ to understand production context

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Narrative breakdown: map out the primary **2.** _____ across the three chapters

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Visual analysis: evaluate how natural **3.** _____ affects the indoor interviews

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Sound design: examine the function of **4.** _____ during scene transitions

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Editing review: calculate the average **5.** _____ of shots in the opening montage

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Final submission: provide a completed **6.** _____ alongside the written report

Domestication of the Dog

You will hear an archaeology lecturer talking about the history and process of dog domestication.

Questions 1–7.
Complete the flow-chart below.
Write **ONE WORD ONLY** for each answer.

Stages in Dog Domestication

Attracted to early human settlements by the availability of discarded marrow.

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Developed a lower level of **1.** _____ towards humans over successive generations.

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Adapted to human diets through the enhanced production of a digestive **2.** _____

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Exhibited physical changes, including a decreased **3.** _____ size.

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Were initially used by human groups to assist in **4.** _____

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Demonstrated companion status by being buried with items of **5.** _____

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Were bred in agricultural societies to protect and manage **6.** _____

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Global migration patterns were mapped using prehistoric **7.** _____ samples.

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UNIT 8: NATURAL WORLD

Listening: NOTE COMPLETION

Exercise 1:

Enquiring About a Pottery Course

You will hear a man phoning a craft centre to enquire about a beginner pottery course.

Questions 1–8

Complete the notes below.

Write **ONE WORD AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Beginner Pottery Course

Location and Class Details

• Address: 48 **1.** _____ Road (near the railway station)

• First project involves making decorative **2.** _____

• Maximum number of students per class: **3.** _____

Equipment and Topics

• Clay, tools, and firing are provided

• Students are required to bring their own **4.** _____

• Final week covers the application of **5.** _____

Cost and Benefits

• Early-bird course fee: **6.** _____

• On-site **7.** _____ is available at no extra cost

• Graduates receive a **8.** _____ for discounts on future masterclasses

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Exercise 2:

Oakfield Community Repair Café

You will hear a community organiser giving an introductory talk to visitors at a local repair café.

Questions 1–6

Complete the notes below.

Write **NO MORE THAN TWO WORDS AND/OR A NUMBER** for each answer.

Oakfield Repair Café

Background and rules

- Aim: to reduce household waste going to landfill
- Venue originally located in a church hall before moving to the current site
- Visitors must supply any necessary **1.** _____ (e.g. zips or replacement switches)
- Items operated by **2.** _____ are not permitted inside the building

How the session works

- Collect a numbered **3.** _____ at the reception desk to secure a place in the queue
- Visitors are encouraged to learn by assisting the repairer
- Fixed electrical items must pass a **4.** _____ before leaving

Costs and extra services

- Recommended donation: **5.** _____ per item repaired
- Equipment can be borrowed from the newly established **6.** _____

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