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CD 3.16 MP3 113 Listen to people in six different situations and choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 1 What will the new scheme do?
A It will stop Internet piracy.
B It will warn illegal downloaders.
C It will punish illegal downloaders more severely.
- 2 What does the woman believe?
A The man's moods are affected by playing the game.
B The man ought to play a different game.
C The man shouldn't play the game when their friends are there.
- 3 Which statement is true?
A There is a 'Connect' option in the settings.
B The phone has got some pre-installed applications.
C The 'Wi-fi' option isn't on.
- 4 What should students try to do for the competition?
A Invent something that shows their scientific abilities.
B Invent something that is original.
C Invent something related to a particular category.
- 5 What is the girl's attitude to the new science teacher?
A The teacher is better than they had expected.
B The teacher is a very clever scientist.
C The teacher engaged the class well.
- 6 Why does the boy not want to stop texting?
A He likes to do two things at the same time.
B He thinks his thumb will improve with exercises.
C He enjoys texting with his finger.

1 Rewrite the sentences in the Passive. Add by + agent if necessary.

0 Luckily, someone showed me how to recover the file I had lost.

Luckily, I was shown how to recover the file I had lost.

1 The manufacturer creates these phone cases using a 3D printer.

These phone cases _____

2 Lodge Computers are designing the system.

The system _____

3 By the end of the training session, we were using the software to solve a variety of problems.

By the end of the training session, the software _____

4 Most of the students have completed the assignment.

The assignment _____

5 We will deliver your order within forty-eight hours.

Your order _____

2 ★ Read the extract from a sci-fi novel and choose the correct options.

The attack had come from nowhere. They were lucky to be alive. As the badly damaged craft ¹*approached / was approached* its home planet, it became clear there was a major problem here too. The incoming ship ought to ²*be / have been* contacted by the command centre by now, but so far no message ³*had been / had* received. Even more worryingly, the spaceport's tracking laser should ⁴*be / have been* switched on by the ground crew several minutes earlier, but the battered star cruiser was still ⁵*being / to be* controlled manually by the surviving crew.

Looking out of the forward viewing screen, no lights could ⁶*be / have been* seen on the surface of the planet. What ⁷*had / had been* happened down there? The growing realisation that their home planet might also ⁸*be / have been* attacked filled the crew with horror. Their families! Their homes!

Just when it seemed that all hope was lost, there was a crackle, then a faint voice from the communication system: 'Sorry, number 6, we just popped out for a coffee and lost track of time. Is everything OK up there?'

3 ★ ★ Complete the sentences with the correct passive form of the verbs in brackets.

- 0 Are you aware that you risk being fined (fine) if you download files illegally?
- 1 Courtney hates _____ (tell) to switch her phone off during meal times.
- 2 Tristan hopes _____ (send) somewhere hot as part of the student exchange programme.
- 3 I'm eighteen; I expect _____ (treat) like an adult.
- 4 Some scientists worry about the world _____ (take over) by intelligent machines.
- 5 Lee is keen to avoid _____ (ask) questions during lessons.
- 6 Stevie refuses _____ (beat) by a wooden puzzle!