

LISTENING PRACTICE

I. Topic: My hobbies

Listen to Tyrone calling the staff at his local swimming pool.

a) Then fill in the registration form with Tyrone's information.

BROWNTON SWIMMING POOL REGISTRATION FORM	
First name:	Tyrone
Surname:	(1)
Age:	(2)
Interested in (sport):	(3)

b) Listen again. Decide whether the statements below are true (T) or false (F)

1. There are four different age groups that play water polo.	T	F
2. Tyrone wants to join the under 14s club.	T	F
3. The under 16s train on Monday and Thursday evenings.	T	F
4. Water polo matches are played on Saturdays.	T	F
5. You have to pay to join the water polo classes for under 18s.	T	F
6. You need to bring a photo to register at the swimming pool.	T	F
7. The training for the water polo team starts this week.	T	F

II. Topic: Health

Listen to a doctor talking about obesity among teenagers.

a) Then circle the correct answers for the questions below.

1. According to the doctor, what are the causes of obesity among teenagers?

A. weather	D. behaviour
B. genes	E. culture
C. teachers and friends	F. money

2. According to the doctor, what health problems do obese teenagers may face with?

A. breathing problems	D. stomachache
B. headache	E. joint pain
C. heart disease	F. toothache

b) Listen again and fill in the gaps with the missing words.

Obesity occurs when a person eats (1) _____ than the body burns. If one parent is obese, there is a (2) _____ chance that his or her child will also be obese. However, when both parents are obese, their children have (3) _____ a chance of being obese. In addition, more and more teenagers are obese because of their poor (4) _____ or (5) _____ a lot of fast-food. Some are so busy with homework or some are so lazy that they can't spend any time (6) _____. Watching TVs or playing (7) _____ hours and hours are also the reason for their overweight.