Listening

1 [11] Listen to an interview and decide if the statements 1–5 are true (T) or false (F).

1 Mr Fisher is looking for a job. ___

2 Qualification is the most important thing when searching for a job. ___

3 The chance to find a job is not smaller before Christmas. ___

4 The beginning of the year is the worst time to look for a job. ___

5 If you are a lawyer, you will hardly find a job early in January. ___

Mark: ___ / 5

2 [12] Listen to an interview with Mark, and complete the text with the missing words. Use no more than three words in each gap.

Mark was a rally driver in Le Mans and he [1]_____ to take part and drive a car in Paris-Dakar. After about a year and [2]_____, somebody phoned him and asked him to come to Paris the following week, in time [3]_____ of the rally. So, Mark changed his plans, rearranged things and [4]_____ for Paris. He had no time to prepare [5]_____ the race, the team just had a short meeting and then, they set off. They were three in the team, and they spent long, long hours driving in [6]_____, reading maps and trying to find their way to a far-away point. Unfortunately, their car [7]_____ and they needed help. It took five days and nights for help to arrive. Luckily, the three men [8]_____ together, despite the fact that they had [9]_____ food and water. They knew, rescue [10]_____ come!

Mark: ___ / 10

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Reading

3 Read the text about Tommy Hilfiger, and for questions 1–5 circle the correct answer A–D.

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I was lucky enough to get an interview with Tommy Hilfiger the other day. He is one of the top American designers so it was rather difficult to catch him, but in the end, I was able to spend half a day with him and his team – quite amazing considering how busy he is. He appeared for our appointment wearing his usual sunglasses, a blue shirt, light trousers and a checked jacket. With his brown hair and bright blue eyes, Tommy looks an energetic mid-sixties – his real age – but can also look older or younger depending on the particular situation.

We talked a little about the history of his company before going on to have a look at some of the new season's fashion designs. After setting up his collection for men – with particular success with his designer jeans and shoes – Tommy continued with his career and in 1996 he introduced a women's clothing line, 'Tommy', which repeated the success of his menswear collection. His fashion design empire now includes athletic wear, underwear and kid's wear as well as designer perfumes, cosmetics, brushes and combs for men and women, jewellery, other accessories and home furniture.

As we watched his top models showing his new collection – slim-line jeans, red leather motorcycle jackets, colourful blouses and leather skirts – he was talking all the time, either to me about his various projects or on his mobile phone, making plans for business photo sessions, flying to Florida and a thousand other things that form a day in the life of one of the world's most successful designers. He also told me that he had plans for future development of his company but those would have to wait until our next interview.

1 Tommy Hilfiger …

A often gives interviews.

B looks younger than he is.

C is about sixty-five years old.

D frequently changes his style.

2 'Tommy', the women's collection was …

A the most successful collection.

B as successful as the men's collection.

C less successful than the men's collection.

D more successful than the men's collection.

3 Tommy Hilfiger's collection should attract …

A mainly women.

B men in particular.

C teenagers and children.

D men, women and children.

4 During the fashion show, Tommy was …

A talking about his business plans.

B concentrating fully on the show.

C commenting on the new designs.

D making arrangements for further work.

5 The writer of the article is probably …

A a model.

B a journalist.

C a TV reporter.

D another designer.

Mark: ___ / 5

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