

EXAM TASK

Questions 19-23

PE03 You will hear five short extracts in which people are talking about their new jobs. For questions 19-23, choose from the list (A-H) the reason each person gives for deciding to do this new job. There are three extra letters which you do not need to use.

A I was ready to be given more responsibility.

B I wished to prove other people wrong.

C I aimed to earn more money.

Speaker 1 19

D I realised it would provide greater challenges.

Speaker 2 20

E Someone recommended I apply for the job.

Speaker 3 21

F I had always wanted to do this kind of work.

Speaker 4 22

G I wanted to have more free time.

Speaker 5 23

H My family were keen for me to stay near them.

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Questions 24–30

PE04 You will hear part of a radio interview with a woman called Lina Beecham, who works as an animator in cartoon films. For questions 24–30, choose the best answer (A, B or C).

24 When talking about her childhood ambitions Lina says that

- A she had no doubts about her plans.
- B she was influenced by her family.
- C she wanted to do the same as her friends.

25 How does Lina feel now about the book she illustrated as a child?

- A grateful for having been given the opportunity
- B embarrassed by the pictures she drew
- C surprised that it is still for sale

26 Lina feels that her natural talent for drawing

- A made it easy for her to improve her technique.
- B was enough to enable her to succeed at college.
- C had always been something she was proud of.

27 In Lina's opinion, animators

- A are particularly selfish.
- B need to be very imaginative.
- C must work as part of a team.

28 How does Lina feel about her job?

- A She isn't happy about the time it takes to do it well.
- B She would prefer to be able to work more flexibly.
- C She sometimes finds it difficult to stay motivated.

29 What is Lina's attitude towards creating her characters on film?

- A She accepts that she has to put herself into them.
- B She wishes she could have more help with them.
- C She gets ideas from watching actors prepare for a role.

30 What is Lina's opinion about directing a film rather than animating it?

- A The amount of work is less.
- B The degree of responsibility is higher.
- C The level of artistic input is more satisfying.