

Listening Part 1

Exam tip >

Before you do the exam task, read the questions and answers quickly.

Exam task

09 You will hear people talking in eight different situations. For questions 1–8, choose the best answer (A, B or C). Play the recording twice.

- 1 You hear two friends talking.
What are they talking about?
A a book
B a film
C a TV programme
- 2 You hear a boy talking about a new video game.
What impressed him about the game?
A It had great graphics.
B It made him think hard.
C It had exciting action shots.
- 3 You hear a teacher talking to his students.
What does he want to do?
A ask them to prepare some questions
B inform them that a speaker is coming
C get them to reorganise the room
- 4 You hear a girl leaving a phone message for her mother.
The girl is calling
A to ask for a lift home.
B to change a plan.
C to explain what she's doing.

5 You hear a girl telling a friend about her new art teacher.

What does she like about the teacher?

- A She is very friendly with all the students.
- B She allows the students to develop their own style.
- C She gives students ideas by showing them famous pictures.

6 You hear a career adviser talking to a group of students.

What advice is she giving?

- A Get a broad range of qualifications if you can.
- B Choose the subjects that you are best at.
- C Take qualifications useful in a particular career.

7 You hear two students talking at school.

What has the girl enjoyed about her day?

- A doing some chemistry work
- B designing scenery for a play
- C studying a chapter in a novel

8 You hear a boy starting to give a talk to his class.

The boy wants to explain

- A how he chose the subject for his talk.
- B how he is going to organise his talk.
- C how he found the information for his talk.