

LISTENING: Listening for the main idea

1  4.2 Listen to a conversation about Hong Kong. Check (✓) the different types of weather you hear.



a _____



b _____



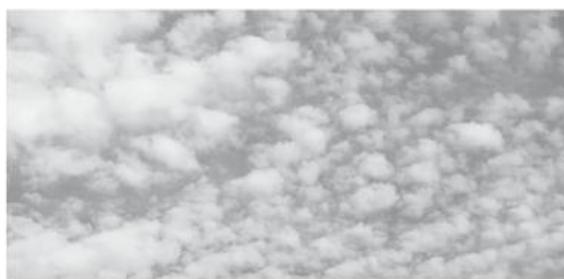
c _____



d _____



e _____



f _____

2  4.2 Listen again. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F)?

1 The weather is always the same in Hong Kong. _____
 2 Fiona doesn't like hot weather. _____
 3 Fiona is a student. _____
 4 It never rains in Hong Kong. _____
 5 Typhoons bring bad weather. _____

3 Complete the weather words for a–f in exercise 1.

a s_____g
 b s_____y
 c r_____g
 d f_____y
 e w_____y
 f c_____y

4 Order the letters to make seasons. Which words from exercise 3 describe the weather in your country in each season?

1 RETWIN
 2 GRINPS
 3 LALF
 4 REMUMS

5  4.3 Read the sentences. Underline the words which you think will be stressed. Listen and check.

1 What's the climate like there?
 2 There are four seasons.
 3 The weather is too hot for me.
 4 It always rains here!
 5 Is Hong Kong a beautiful city?