

**A**  Listen to a radio program. Then read the questions and choose the correct answer.

1 What type of program is *Over to you?*

- It's a talk show where Evelyn Turner shares her opinions about different topics.
- It's a news program where Evelyn Turner talks to experts about different topics.
- It's a talk show where Evelyn Turner invites listeners to call in and share their views on topics.

2 What is the topic of today's show?

- Stories about kind gestures from strangers.
- Kindness in the workplace.
- What kindness means to people.

3 What is Marco's view of kindness?

- Kindness means being treated well by the people around him.
- Kindness is shown by actions rather than words.
- Kindness is being part of a team.

4 What is Charlene's view of kindness?

- Kindness means being treated well by the people around her.
- Kindness is shown by actions rather than words.
- Kindness is being part of a team.

5 What example does Charlene give to support her opinion?

- She was sick, and her coworkers sent her chocolates and flowers.
- She had an injury, and her coworkers gave her gifts.
- She was off work for a few weeks, and her coworkers lent her a helping hand without being asked.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 (2 points each)

**B** Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

bring together      connect with      donate      get to know      help out      join      pass on      take care of  
 take part in      volunteer

EXAMPLE: We are organizing a run for charity. Would you like to take part in it?

- Two days a week I help out my neighbors' children while the parents are at work.
- Jim isn't here but I can connect with a message to him when he gets back.
- I can bring together on Saturday. What time do you want me there to start moving furniture?
- It took a long time to get to know my coworkers, but now we're good friends.
- We need to join the neighborhood to talk about the recent crime here.
- I'm going to pass on these clothes to charity.
- Felipe loves dogs. That's why he works as a volunteer at an animal shelter.
- I plan to join a club in my area that does conservation work.
- I love to volunteer. It's great to take care of people who have the same interests as you.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 9 (1 point each)

**C** Complete the sentences with the correct form of the word in parentheses ( ).

EXAMPLE: Thank you for all you have done. You've been very helpful

- 1 I'm giving you these flowers to show my \_\_\_\_\_ for all you have done. (appreciate)
- 2 It was a real act of \_\_\_\_\_ to raise money for the neighbors after their fire. (kind)
- 3 I volunteer at an orphanage in Nepal. The work is very \_\_\_\_\_. (reward)
- 4 Say thank you for the present. Otherwise they will think that you are not \_\_\_\_\_. (gratitude)
- 5 The instructions were difficult to follow and not at all \_\_\_\_\_. (help)
- 6 The company was \_\_\_\_\_ of Beatriz's work and gave her a raise in salary. (appreciate)
- 7 Marga is a very \_\_\_\_\_ person. She's always thinking of others. (thought)
- 8 Your thanks is all the \_\_\_\_\_ I need. (reward)
- 9 After the burglary our neighbors came by to give us a \_\_\_\_\_ hand. (help)

\_\_\_\_\_ / 9 (1 point each)

**D** Complete the sentences with the passive form of the verbs in parentheses ( ).

EXAMPLE: The soldier was given a medal for his services. (give)

- 1 The meeting last week \_\_\_\_\_ at the last minute. (cancel)
- 2 The food in this restaurant \_\_\_\_\_ with exceptional care. (prepare)
- 3 The third goal \_\_\_\_\_ in the last five minutes of the match. (score)
- 4 Those churches \_\_\_\_\_ in the fifteenth century. (build)
- 5 The singers \_\_\_\_\_ by millions of people on TV every week. (watch)
- 6 The main course today \_\_\_\_\_ with French fries or salad. (serve)
- 7 Unfortunately the package \_\_\_\_\_ in the mail and never arrived. (lose)

\_\_\_\_\_ / 7 (1 point each)

**E** Match the sentence halves.

EXAMPLE: Dogs must

H A be put to bed before 8 p.m.

1 This kitchen must

I B be cleaned by the time I get back.

2 Prescriptions for medicine can't

J C be directed to the manager.

3 The youngest children should

K D be written by a nurse. A doctor must do it.

4 If you don't feel well, you might

L E be told to stay home from work.

5 If you wear business clothes to an interview, you might

M F be done in an hour. You need longer.

6 This exam can't

N G be given a better chance of getting the job.

7 Complaints about the restaurant can

O H be taken on regular walks.

\_\_\_\_\_ / 7 (1 point each)

**F** Read the advertisement. Then answer the questions.

### **Volunteers needed!**

Do you have any free time? Would you like to lend a helping hand to your local community? If so, then think about joining *Volunteers now!* – your local volunteer group that brings together our community.

We are currently recruiting people for the following positions:

#### **Oak House Residence**

Would you and your friends like to take care of the elderly in our community? Just a few hours every weekend is enough to get to know the residents and to get involved in some of the great service projects they do. Come along. The more the merrier!

#### **Animal Shelter**

We are looking for a committed individual to help out the sweet animals at our shelter. A rewarding experience for someone who is passionate about animals. Thanks to the kindness of our donors, this shelter provides a lovely temporary home for these stray dogs and cats. However, permanent homes must be found for these pets. As a volunteer, you can take part in that process.

#### **Apple Orchard**

This wonderful community garden was donated by a wealthy family. We are appreciative to have this community garden in our town, designed with our needs in mind. Volunteers are now needed to join the gardening committee and take care of the vegetables on the weekend.

If you are interested in any of these volunteer opportunities, please contact us on 555-0377-9045.

- 1 Which organization was created by private citizens?
  
- 2 Which organization was created by the kindness of the public?
  
- 3 Which organization only needs to recruit one person?
  
- 4 Which organization involves working directly with people?

\_\_\_\_\_ / 8 (2 points each)