

**Part 2****Questions 8–13**

You will hear an interview with a champion gymnast called Maria Anderson.

For each question, choose the correct answer **A**, **B** or **C**.

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| <b>8</b> Maria decided to take up gymnastics                   | <b>A</b> at a gymnastics competition.<br><b>B</b> in a sports lesson at the school.<br><b>C</b> when she read a book about a gymnast.                            |
| <b>9</b> When did Maria realise she could be champion gymnast? | <b>A</b> when she won some local competitions<br><b>B</b> as soon as she started to practise gymnastics<br><b>C</b> when a well-known coach offered to teach her |
| <b>10</b> Why does Maria think success has not changed her?    | <b>A</b> She believes she's a sensible person.<br><b>B</b> Her parents help her live a normal life.<br><b>C</b> People tell her she's the same as before.        |
| <b>11</b> What does Maria say about school?                    | <b>A</b> She feels too tired to study.<br><b>B</b> She has little time with school friends.<br><b>C</b> She is allowed to miss some lessons.                     |

**12** What does Maria do in her free time?

- A** make videos
- B** go to concerts
- C** watch cartoon films

**13** What is Maria's favourite thing in her room at home?

- A** a poster of a band with a singer
- B** a glass case with her cups and prizes
- C** a picture of herself with another gymnast