

## Listening

**1 Recording 11** Listen to six conversations and tick the correct answer, a), b) or c).

1 What time does Jim start work?

9.15

8.15

7.00

a) ☒ b) ☐ c) ☐

2 Who is visiting Steve for the weekend?

his

his

his

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

3 What will the weather be like tomorrow?

wet

dry

hot

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

4 How long did the woman stay in New York?

2 days

3 days

4 days

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

5 How did the woman get to Washington?

By

By car

By

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

6 What has the boy got?

headache

flu

stomachache

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

7 Where can Sheila eat her sandwiches?

office

staff

park

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

8 What is there in the staffroom?

food

a cafe

a

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

9 What did the woman lose?

purse

credit

a) ☐ b) ☐ c) ☐

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**2 Recording 12 Listen and write true (T) or false (F).**

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- 1 Ben can't go to the theatre tonight. T
- 2 There's been a problem at the office. -----
- 3 Ben didn't have flu when he got up. -----
- 4 He took two aspirins because he had a sore throat. -----
- 5 Ben says his arms hurt. -----
- 6 Ben doesn't want to go home because he's got an important meeting. -----
- 7 He decides to take some flu medicine and stay at the office. -----
- 8 Maggie is going to go to the chemist's. -----

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**Grammar**

**3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.**

- 1 Last night we watched (watch) TV.
- 2 They usually eat (eat) out on Saturday night.
- 3 In this class we study (study) superlatives.
- 4 Last Sunday I go (go) for a walk.
- 5 I love (love) going out with friends.
- 6 Lisa visit (visit) many different countries.

**4 Underline the correct alternative.**

- 1 I see/saw 've seen him at work yesterday.
- 2 We have to run or we 'll/won't/can be late.
- 3 That's the good/better/best film I've ever seen!
- 4 You can't/have to/shouldn't buy stamps in a pharmacy.
- 5 We might/should/shouldn't take the underground. It'll be quicker than a taxi.
- 6 You have to be really quietly/quiet/quieter. Your dad's on the phone.

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**5 Complete the email with one word in each gap.**

Hi folks!

We <sup>1</sup> 've had a fantastic time in China. We've <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ to Beijing, seen the Great Wall and swum in <sup>3</sup> Yangtze River. Now we're in Shanghai. We arrived late <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ night after a sixteen-hour train journey! I feel really tired <sup>5</sup> morning so I'm not going to do much – but Josh never stops! He's out taking photos of <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ city. I can see it through my hotel window – it's amazingly modern <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ beautiful. I might go and look around

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|---------|-------|------------------------------|
| 2 feel  | _____ | b) <del>running</del> , home |
| 3 watch | _____ | c) a drama, the sun rise     |
| 4 get   | _____ | d) housework, exercise       |
| 5 stay  | _____ | e) fit, stung                |
| 6 do    | _____ | f) a conversation, work      |
| 7 have  | _____ | g) in, at a hotel            |
| 8 start | _____ | h) dinner, stomachache       |

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**7 Underline the correct alternative.**

- 1 What time do you go to/in bed?
- 2 She has a *daughter/son*. His name is Adam.
- 3 He goes swimming *twice/twice a* week.
- 4 Your book's *above/under* the table.
- 5 I lost my phone two days *ago/last*.
- 6 The film was really *quiet/boring* and I fell asleep.
- 7 He's not very old. He's only *in/on* his forties.
- 8 They dance really *good/well*. I'd love to dance like that!

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**Vocabulary**

**6 Match verbs 1–8 with words and phrases a)–h).**

- 1 go   b   a) better, tired



**8 Match words 1–7 with definitions a)–g).**

1 a tip e a) when your head hurts

2 souvenir g b) you can buy medicine here

3 a desert c c) good for the environment

4 a carton d d) something kept to remember a place or an event

5 a pharmacy e e) extra money for good service

6 green f f) a container used for yoghurt

7 a headache g g) a very dry place

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**Function**

**9 Match sentences 1–6 with responses a)–f).**

1 Can you tell me the way to the station? d

2 Let me open the jar for you. e

3 What did you do last night? c

4 Do you think I'd like this band? a

5 Why don't we go to the zoo? b

6 Can you ask him to call me? f

a) Nothing special. How about you?

b) Of course, sir. What's your number?

c) No, I don't think it's your kind of music.

d) Yes, straight on and second left.

e) That doesn't sound very interesting.

f) That's very kind of you.

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**10 Complete the conversation with the phrases in the box.**

do you think	how about	it about
let's see	should be	there's a
want		

**Man:** <sup>1</sup> What about seeing a film tonight?

**Woman:** Good idea. What do you <sup>2</sup> see?

**Man:** I don't know. <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ ?

**Woman:** Erm... <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ brilliant new comedy with Mr Bean.

**Man:** No thanks. I don't feel like seeing him.

**Woman:** <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the new Coen brothers' film?

**Man:** What's <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ ?

**Woman:** It's a black comedy like all their films. It <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ really good.

**Man:** <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ in it?

**Woman:** George Clooney and Brad

**Man:** Really? <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ that then.  
<sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ it on?

**Woman:** Hold on. I'll check on the computer.

**Man:** <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ we should phone and book tickets?

**Woman:** Don't worry. They'll have lots . . .

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## Reading

### 11 Read the article. Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F).

#### Three things to do before you leave the planet!

##### 1 Visit Tuvalu

Tuvalu in the Pacific Ocean is the fourth-smallest country in the world. Sadly, it's also only 4 metres above sea level at its highest. Because of the rise in sea levels, Tuvalu might be the first country to disappear under the waves. The islands are a paradise of beautiful tropical beaches and palm trees. Why don't you go there before they disappear? Take a plane from Fiji, stay in one of Tuvalu's four guest houses and have a drink in its one bar. Go now, before it dies.

##### 2 See the world's largest flower

Go to the jungles of Borneo or Sumatra and find the world's strangest plants, *Rafflesia*. For most of its life, the plant is invisible and hard to find. But to find it is amazing. It grows into the world's largest flower. It can be one metre across and weigh 10 kilos. And it smells terrible! However, it only lasts a few days. You'll be lucky to see one.

##### 3 Find happiness

Why do some people live perfectly happy lives while others find life hard? The answer might be

1 Tuvalu is a country of islands.      T  

2 There are lots of places where you can have a beer or a fruit juice.              

3 *Rafflesia* grows in deserts.              

4 It isn't very easy to find.              

5 You can't learn how to be happy.              

6 People in Denmark were sadder thirty years ago.

**12 Read the text again and underline the correct answer, a, b or c.**

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**1** Tuvalu is one of the smallest countries

- a) on our planet
- b) in the Atlantic Ocean
- c) less than 4 metres high

**2** There are not many ..... on Tuvalu.

- a) beaches
- b) palm trees
- c) places to stay

**3** The *Rafflesia* flower .....

- a) is heavy
- b) has a beautiful smell
- c) is very easy to find

**4** People ..... see a *Rafflesia* flower.

- a) are unable to
- b) think it's lucky to
- c) hardly ever

**5** ..... can make us happier people.

- a) Being lucky
- b) Our genes
- c) Moving to a new house

**6** To become happier you need to .....

- a) move to Europe
- b) do things for other people
- c) stop working

**13 Match sentences 1–6 to notices A–H.**

**You do not need all the notices.**

**1** Children can swim for £2.50.

--D--

**2** It's cheaper to buy a shirt today.

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**3** You can't take your bags with you.

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**4** You don't have to pay for lunch for your five-year old child in the afternoons.

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**5** You have to stop here.

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**6** You shouldn't speak in here.

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**A**

**B**

**Lunch served**

**Danger!**

**C**

**D**

**Please be  
quiet in the  
exam room.**

**Swimming Pool**

**Open evenings**

**E**

**F**

**Stop!**

**Train crossing**

**€8 each shirt.**

**ONE DAY ONLY**

**G**

**H**

**Please leave  
bags at the  
desk**

**Children under  
six eat free 2–  
5p.m.**





## Writing

14 Find and correct one mistake in lines 1–11.

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1	One of the <del>most good</del> films	<u>best</u>
2	I've ever saw is <i>Fargo</i> by	-----
3	the Coen brothers, Ethan	--
4	and joel. It came out in 1996	-----
5	and was a big sucess.	--
6	Frances McDormand played	-----
7	the police officer in a film	--
8	and won the Oscar for Best Actress. She's married with	-----
9	Joel in real life and is made	--
10	six films with her husband.	-----
11	The Coens' more	--
12	successful film was <i>No Country for Old Men</i> with	-----
13	the spanish actor Javier Bardem. It come out in 2007	--
14	and wins four Oscars.	-----
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