

Warm Up



Understanding the same meaning in different words

Sometimes the wording on the recording is different from those in the options, e.g.



Ted : I enjoyed the film.



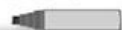
Answer: Ted liked the movie.

Before listening

Study the options carefully.

While listening

Write down the key words and work out the answer later.



Listen and tick (✓) the correct answer.

1 How many times has Mike been to Taiwan?

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A. 0

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B. 1

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C. 2

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D. 3

2 John thinks Japanese food is ____.

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A. delicious

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B. not delicious

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C. hot

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D. fresh

3 What did Mr Kent do on his last visit to China? (You can choose more than one answer.)

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A. went hiking

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B. looked at the mountains

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C. went on rides

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D. went on a boat trip

4 Ted thinks Singapore is ____.

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A. a big place

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B. a boring place

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C. an interesting place

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D. a small place

Practice 1

Danny is interviewing his neighbour about places she has been to.

Part A Listen to the interview. Choose the best answer by blackening ● the circle.



Study the form carefully before listening. You may not hear the information in the same order as the items on the form.

Interviewer: Danny		Interviewee: Karen	
Place	Japan		
No. of times	① ☐ never	☐ once	☐ twice ☐ more than twice
Details of last visit			
② Season:	☐ spring	☐ summer	☐ autumn ☐ winter
③ Activities:	☐ went to theme parks ☐ visited museums	☐ visited temples ☐ looked at the mountains	
Place	Korea		
No. of times	④ ☐ never	☐ once	☐ twice ☐ more than twice
Details of last visit			
⑤ Season:	☐ spring	☐ summer	☐ autumn ☐ winter
⑥ Activities:	☐ went to theme parks ☐ visited museums	☐ met cartoon characters ☐ went skiing	
Place	Germany		
No. of times	⑦ ☐ never	☐ once	☐ twice ☐ more than twice
Details of last visit			
⑧ Season:	☐ spring	☐ summer	☐ autumn ☐ winter
⑨ Activities:	☐ went on a boat trip ☐ went skiing	☐ looked at castles ☐ rode in a hot-air balloon	

Part B Listen to parts of the interview again. Choose the best answer by blackening ● the circle.

1 When Karen says 'No, not at all.', what does she mean?

- ☐ A. She doesn't understand Danny.
- ☐ B. She wants to answer Danny's questions.
- ☐ C. She doesn't like answering questions.
- ☐ D. She is not busy at all.

What does Danny say before Karen says, 'No, not at all.'?



2 Danny says 'Lucky you!' because ____ .

- ☐ A. Karen has a lot of school holidays
- ☐ B. Karen has travelled outside Hong Kong
- ☐ C. Karen's parents are not busy
- ☐ D. Karen can go to Japan

3 Why does Karen like Japan? (You can choose more than one answer.)

- ☐ A. It is a beautiful place.
- ☐ B. The food is delicious.
- ☐ C. The people speak English well.
- ☐ D. The people are nice.

You will hear the same meanings but in different words to the correct options.



4 What did Karen think of Korea?

- ☐ A. It was very bad.
- ☐ B. It was OK.
- ☐ C. It was very enjoyable.
- ☐ D. It was bad.