

## Listening Part 1

You will hear people talking in eight different situations.

For questions **1-8**, choose the best answer **A**, **B** or **C**.

**1** You hear two friends talking about a laptop computer.

What is the woman doing?

- A** persuading her friend to buy one like it
- B** offering to lend it to her friend for a day
- C** explaining why she needed a new one

**2** You hear two students talking about a play they have just seen.

What do they agree was good about it?

- A** the script
- B** the set
- C** the actors

**3** You hear two people talking about a friend.

What do they agree about him?

- A** He's very helpful.
- B** He's easy to get to know.
- C** He rarely complains about anything.

**4** You hear a lecturer talking to some of his students about their history project.

What is he doing?

- A** encouraging them to ask him questions about it
- B** recommending some books that will help with it

**C** advising them on how to organise their time

**5** You hear two TV sports presenters talking about their work.

What do they agree about sports presenters?

**A** They're generally more effective when using a script.

**B** They have to be able to relate well to their audience.

**C** They should adopt an attitude that isn't too serious.

**6** You hear a woman talking about a radio programme.

What does she say about the programme?

**A** It provided her with a lot of useful information.

**B** It was more interesting than she had expected.

**C** It made her want to find out about a place.

**7** You hear two music students talking about an assignment they have to do.

What are they both unsure about?

**A** what to include in the piece of writing

**B** how to organise the recording

**C** what kind of music they should perform

**8** You hear a writer talking about a book she wrote which has been turned into a film.

How does the writer feel about the film director?

**A** She thinks he has made a good film.

**B** She is upset because her opinion was ignored.

**C** She found him easy to work with.

## Listening Part 2

You will hear a woman called Anne Ruskin giving a talk about a one-day archery course, during which she learnt to use a bow to shoot arrows at a target.

For questions **9-18**, complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.

### Archery

Anne used to shoot arrows from a bow made of (9)  
..... when she was a child.

Anne only had time to read about the (10) ..... of archery before the beginner's archery course.

Anne's archery course took place in a (11) .....

Anne was surprised that learning to (12) ..... properly was so difficult.

The teacher told Anne she needed to relax her (13)  
.....

One of Anne's arrows went into a (14) ..... by accident.

During the breaks, Ann was happy to look at the (15)  
..... and talk to other people.

Some of the people on Anne's course said that a (16)  
..... had inspired them to try archery.

Anne was excited when the class were allowed to start (17)  
.....

Anne is trying to persuade her (18) ..... to do an archery course with her.

### Listening Part 3

You will hear five short extracts in which people are talking about when they moved their office from one building to another.

For questions **19-23**, choose from the list (A-H) what each speaker says.

Use the letters only once. There is one extra letter which you do not need to use.

- A** We were not allowed to do the packing ourselves.
- B** We decided not to blame the removal company for all the problems.
- C** We chose certain members of staff to take responsibility for the move.
- D** We chose a removal firm with a good reputation to avoid wasting time.
- E** We made sure our senior staff stayed with the company.
- F** We took advantage of the move to make additional necessary changes.
- G** We managed not to exceed our budget.
- H** We expressed our concerns about the move.

**19** Speaker 1

**20** Speaker 2

**21** Speaker 3

**22** Speaker 4

**23** Speaker 5

## Listening Part 4

You will hear part of a radio interview with someone called Jane Brown, who is a home economist working in the food industry.

For questions **24-30**, choose the best answer (**A**, **B** or **C**).

**24** Why did Jane choose to study at Longley University?

- A** The location suited her.
- B** She knew people there.
- C** The quality of the accommodation was good.

**25** What did Jane like about her course?

- A** She gained practical experience.
- B** The teachers helped her a great deal.
- C** She learned to work with other people.

**26** What does Jane say about her food tasting training?

- A** It was a little boring.
- B** It was rather time-consuming.
- C** It was sometimes stressful.

**27** How did Jane feel when she was offered her first job?

- A** excited to be involved in a challenging area
- B** relieved to have been able to find employment
- C** concerned she might not do her work well enough

**28** Jane is proud that in her first job she

- A** came up with her own original idea for a product.

- B** proved that she was capable of working independently.
- C** succeeded in doing something nobody thought she could.

**29** How did working in Denmark help Jane's career?

- A** She made useful contacts.
- B** She came across new recipes.
- C** She found a better job.

**30** What aspect of her job does Jane enjoy?

- A** the wide variety of activities she does
- B** the opportunity to meet new people
- C** the experience of trying new foods