

Charles Dickens - listening comprehension

Listen and circle the right answers, some questions may have several right answers.

1. Charles Dickens was: a. <i>English</i> b. <i>British</i> c. <i>Scottish</i> 2. He was born in a. <i>1836</i> b. <i>1821</i> c. <i>1812</i> 3. When he was 2 years old his family moved to: a. <i>Portsmouth</i> b. <i>Hogarth</i> c. <i>London</i> 4. His father... a. <i>Earned enough money</i> b. <i>Didn't earn a lot of money</i> c. <i>Worked in a factory</i>	5. There were: a. <i>10 children at home</i> b. <i>8 children at home</i> c. <i>12 children at home</i> 6. Because they were very poor, Charles Dickens had to work in a factory: a. <i>When he was 10</i> b. <i>When he was 12</i> c. <i>After school</i> 7. He... a. <i>Didn't go to school</i> b. <i>Went to school for 10 hours a day</i> c. <i>Didn't work in a factory</i> 8. He... a. <i>Couldn't read</i> b. <i>Learnt to read at school</i> c. <i>Learnt to read at home</i>	9. He loved... a. <i>Reading</i> b. <i>Writing</i> c. <i>Playing</i> 10. Later he... a. <i>Worked for many charities</i> b. <i>Became famous for his writings</i> c. <i>Worked as a novelist</i> 11. He died suddenly in a. <i>1817</i> b. <i>1870</i> c. <i>1880</i> New words: <i>Earn</i>= _____ <i>Charity</i>= _____ <i>Writings</i>= _____ <i>Novelist</i>= _____
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