Questions 6-10

The people below all want to watch a TV programme.

On the opposite page there are eight reviews of TV programmes.

Decide which programme would be the most suitable for the following people.

For questions 6–10, mark the correct letter (A–H) on your answer sheet.

When you've found the answer, read that text again very carefully to make sure.

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Mitsuki likes reading and enjoys watching historical dramas which are based on novels. She would like to watch one which has some famous actors in it.

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Callum wants to watch a comedy programme. He would like to see something new which hasn't been on TV before. He prefers to watch short programmes of about 30 minutes.

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Keiko loves listening to music and reading about famous stars. She wants to watch some stars being interviewed and she'd like to see some live music in the same programme.

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Yann is interested in history and wants to watch a documentary which will tell him how people used to live in the past.

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Ellen is looking for a programme which she can watch with her children. Ellen is interested in current affairs and what's going on around the world. Her children like music.

Around the world

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A camera crew and reporter spent a year following the band Skyline round the world. They're not very well known themselves but played with some famous bands. You'll see some recordings of their tours and see what really goes on behind the stage, as well as hear Skyline answer the reporter's questions.

Mickey Valdone

Mickey Valdone, one of the funniest men on TV, has his usual amazing selection of famous guests from the worlds of music, films, comedy and sport. Between each guest, there will be a chance to hear Mickey's band play some music.

A Lost World

This 30-minute programme is about some old films made at the beginning of the last century by two photographers. They were lost until a few years ago and show people going about their daily lives in the industrial cities of northern England.

Young Dennis

This is a chance to see a wonderful comedy series again. This is the first programme ever shown and the rest of the series will be on over the next eight weeks. The actors, who were unknown when it first appeared, are now famous. The whole family will enjoy it.

Ticket to Africa

William Fogg is a news reporter who has recently spent six months in Africa. This programme is the story of his journey. His aim was to talk to the people he met and find out more about their lives. There is also a book available which contains some beautiful photographs.

Where and when

This early-evening programme has become a family favourite. Each week two famous celebrities choose their teams from the audience and for the next 30 minutes answer questions on a range of subjects including sport, music, novels and the latest news.

Sammy

Actor James McVee, who is famous for the film parts he has played, stars in this latest TV series to reach our screens from Australia. It's about a musician who wants to be famous but he isn't quite good enough. It's the funniest half hour you'll see on TV this week.

The House on the Hill

Martin Smithson has written the script for this two-part story taken from the book of the same name. Set in the 19th century, it follows a family as they move from one place to another. Most of the actors are very well known and the costumes are wonderful.

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The people below are all looking for a guidebook about Australia.

On the opposite page there are reviews of eight guidebooks.

Decide which guidebook would be the most suitable for the following people.

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Amy is a student who wants to travel around Australia. She hasn't got much money so wants information about cheap hostels and public transport. She needs a guidebook that isn't heavy.

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Lee wants to spend time in the main cities in Australia. He'll fly from one city to another. He needs city maps and information about sightseeing, restaurants and comfortable hotels.

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Peter and Katya want to read about Australia before going there. They're interested in the country's history and want a book with plenty of pictures and maps.

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Amir is interested in visiting places where there are few other tourists. He'll drive from place to place so needs some route maps. He needs advice on where to stay.

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Eve wants to live in a house or flat for two months and explore one part of Australia. She needs to decide where to go so she's looking for information about different regions.

Books about Australia

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Travel Australia has information on areas which are harder to get to and are therefore not so busy. There's a large section containing maps and detailed directions because most of the places can only be reached by car. Some are quite isolated so the lists of hotels and restaurants are essential.

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Use the information in **Travel with Cookson** to visit Australia's cities without spending too much. It's full of useful addresses and phone numbers for cheap accommodation, restaurants and places you can visit for free. The disadvantages are that the maps are small and there's no travel information.

- The relaxing way to see Australia is by rail. Plan your journeys with **About Australia** and decide where to stop by reading the sections on history and culture. Hotels and restaurants are recommended along each route. It's a large book but there's plenty to read. The maps are good but there aren't many photographs.
- All the accommodation in **Destination Australia** has been visited and checked by researchers and is accompanied by colour photographs to help you choose a house or flat which suits your needs. There is a brief summary of each region, with a description and a list of things to do.
- Visit Australia's most important cities with **Simpson's Guide**. It's a fat book, with information on where to stay, where to eat and what to do but focuses on the luxury end of the market. The maps of the cities are excellent and it also covers transport by road, rail and air.
- What makes **Great Places: Australia** different is the outstanding photography. Printed on highquality paper with excellent maps, it's heavy but is good to read when preparing your trip. It has information on many areas of interest including history and art but very little on hotels and restaurants.
- Discover Australia focuses on independent travellers who haven't got a lot of money. It only contains the information you need so it's much thinner than most guidebooks and fits in your pocket. Inside you'll find reviews of hostels and information about buses and trains as well as the best places to go.
- Whatever kind of accommodation you're looking for in Australia, you'll find it in **Open Door**. It's organised by region so you need to know where you want to go before you start looking. For each region, there's detailed information on hotels and hostels as well as houses and flats for rent.

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The people below all want to buy a music CD online.

On the opposite page there are reviews of eight websites.

Decide which website would be the most suitable for the following people.

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Alina would like to buy her favourite band's recent CD and she is also interested in finding out more about the band's members. She cannot afford to spend a lot on the CD.



Toby collects CDs for a hobby and is looking for a recording that is not available in local high-street stores. He would also like to listen to some songs before buying the CD.



Khalil has not shopped online for CDs before and is looking for a site that is easy to use. He would like a recent CD and he wants to read some personal recommendations to help him make a choice.

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Yolanda would like to get a concert ticket and a CD for her younger brother. She is looking for his favourite band's new CD to give him on his birthday, which is in two days' time.

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Ravi would like to hear a few songs from some recent CDs before deciding which one to buy. He does not want to pay extra for the CD to be posted.

Music Websites

A Get Music

This is a popular music site that sells the latest CDs across a variety of musical styles, from rock to classical, so you need to know what you're looking for. It is possible to listen to selected songs before ordering and the site also reviews CDs that are about to go on sale. Prices are relatively low and delivery is free but takes five days.

B Meteor City

This site sells hard-to-find CDs from the 1980s and 1990s and includes an A–Z list of top-selling bands from that period as well as detailed biographies of band members. There are also reviews of these CDs online. Delivery is included in the cost of the CD.

C CD Universe

You can shop online here for all the latest CDs and music videos. It is an attractive, well-presented site that is also user-friendly. A range of customer reviews are available so you can check another customer's opinion of a CD you are interested in. These are updated regularly and are well worth a look.

D CD Now

This claims to be one of the largest online music stores and has over 15,000 CDs to choose from. You can also listen to video interviews with music industry stars on this site or buy concert tickets. The CDs are slightly more expensive than elsewhere and although delivery is free it takes five days.

E Audioworld

The site sells all the latest CDs and music videos online and is good for information about events in the music world. There are detailed lists of concerts and festivals happening throughout Europe as well as links to sites selling tickets. Delivery within 48 hours is available on all items for an extra charge.

F Amoeba Music

This is the website for an international company and some CD imports that are extremely hard to find are available here. It is possible to hear selected tracks from CDs before you buy and information about a wide range of musicians is also available. There are delivery charges on all items ordered from the site.

G Music Zone

This well-presented site specialises in jazz recordings from the 50s and 60s and is popular with many collectors. You can also buy and sell instruments and sheet music on this site. Delivery within 48 hours is available on many items.

H Netsounds

This online store offers a low-price guarantee on its huge selection of music, including all the latest CDs. The site is easy to use and all CDs are listed both by title and name of band. Detailed biographies of a wide range of musicians are also available on the site.

Questions 6-10

The people below all want to do a part-time course.

On the opposite page there is information about eight part-time courses.

Decide which course would be most suitable for the following people.

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Noriko has painted for many years and would like to improve her skills. She is interested in a day-time class that will allow her to paint pictures in the countryside.

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Sophie's main hobby is reading and she wants to learn more about the work of important modern novelists. She can only attend a class in the evening.

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Hari has always been interested in art and he would like to learn more about the work of well-known artists from the past. He is only free to do a class in the afternoon.

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Monica has always enjoyed reading novels and one day she would like to write her own. She is looking for a day-time course that will help her improve her writing skills.

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Carlos would like to take an art course. He is interested in learning a variety of techniques and he needs an evening class that is suitable for beginners.

Part-Time Courses at City College

- A This course provides students with a broad understanding of the history of art from ancient times to the present day. Students may choose Italian Renaissance painters or 19th-century French Impressionists as an area of individual study. The course is on Saturdays from 1–4.30 pm and includes talks by professional artists and visits to museums.
- B No experience is necessary on this basic painting and drawing course, which includes both demonstrations and practical advice. Students have the opportunity to draw animals, flowers and people in a relaxed and enjoyable atmosphere and are shown various ways of using watercolours and oil paints. Classes are from 7.30–9.30pm on Fridays.
- C What can we learn from the writing of the past? This course explores the work of 16th-century English writers such as Shakespeare, and is aimed at students who wish to study the literature of the period in depth. Classes are from 6,30–9,30pm, Monday to Friday, and include some theatre trips.
- D This advanced course is suitable for anyone hoping to make progress with their painting. It includes trips to local gardens and forests where students have the opportunity to work outdoors. It is led by an experienced artist, who provides help in different techniques. Classes are from 1-5pm Mondays and Wednesdays.

- E This course helps you understand the work of some of the greatest writers in the world today. You are encouraged to think about the writer's main message and are given help with understanding difficult texts. There is also the opportunity to choose writers that interest you for further study. Classes are on Tuesday and Friday from 7.30–9.30pm.
- F On this course you study the history of art from the earliest cave paintings to modern-day sculpture and you learn to understand art as a product of the time in which it was made. The course is on Thursday and Friday evenings and some classes include visits to local museums.
- G With the help of an experienced author, you learn how to create characters and use descriptive language in your work. You are encouraged to develop a personal style and you gain practice in specific areas such as the short story. Classes are on Tuesday and Thursday from 1–3 pm.
- H This course is for experienced artists who would like to develop their skills and experiment in a range of creative areas including drawing, sculpture and printing. Classes are on Tuesdays and Fridays from 2–5pm and take place in the college's art studio. There are also organised trips to art galleries to see the work of well-known artists.

GRAMMAR

Fill in the gaps with NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS

1. "Why don't we go by car?" -> Hethat we went by car.
2. "You should apply early." -> The collegeme to apply early for the course.
3. "Shall I give you a lift?" -> Ito give my friend a lift.
4. The woman asked how much the jacket cost> The woman asked, "How muchthe jactket
cost?"
5. Lena said that she didn't want to go to the beach> Lena said "Iwant to go to the beach."
6. Angela asked Carmen how often she had been to England> Angela asked Carmen, "How oftem
to England?"\
7. Miguel suggested having a barbecue on Friday> Miguel said, "Whya barbecue on
Friday?"
8. Peter told Ivan that he would meet him at 8.00> Peter said to Ivan, "Iat 8.00."
9. Alison told her friend that she was hoping to visit Egypt> Alison said to her friend, " to visit
Egypt."
10. My brother offered to meet my friend at the airport> "I meet your friend at the airport?"
11. Josef asked Michael if he was going to Elena's party> Josef said to Michael, "to Elena's
party?"
12. The teacher asked Sara which class she wanted to join> The teacher said to Sara, "Which class
to join?"
13. My friend advised me to call a taxi> My friend said, "Youcall a taxi."
14. Cara asked me if I would be at home on Saturday> Cara asked, " at home on Sat?"