

Key

1.1

	letters	sounds
1 all	3	2
2 back	4	3
3 could	5	3
4 knee	4	2
5 sixty	5	6
6 thing	5	3
7 who	3	2
8 address	7	5

1.2

1 big 2 dress 3 friend 4 give 5 help 6 next 7 very 8 well

1.3

1 time 2 wash 3 push 4 many

1.4

1 tree 2 shoe 3 what 4 run 5 wait / weight 6 why 7 show 8 near

2.1

- 1 A: What shall we do this *evening*?
B: Let's stay at home and watch TV.
- 2 A: Let me read that *email*.
B: No – it's a *secret*!
- 3 A: You know my friend *Steve*?
B: Yes.
A: Well, he's got a new job. He's joined the *police*!

2.2

1 lift 2 minute 3 dictionary 4 window 5 biscuit 6 wings 7 mirror 8 litter

2.3

/ɪ/ sounds: green meet people pizza please repeat tea three

/ɪ/ sounds: big busy dinner give in listen office repeat six

2.4

1 d 2 e 3 f 4 b 5 a 6 c

- 1 We're always busy in the office.
- 2 Would you like tea or coffee?
- 3 Give me that big green book, please.
- 4 There were only three people in the museum.
- 5 Listen and repeat.
- 6 Let's meet at six o'clock.

2.5

1 leave 2 near 3 letter

3.1

food June news room school soup spoon Tuesday two

3.2

- 1 Do you like fast food?
- 2 Are you coming to school?
- 3 It's Tuesday the second of June.
- 4 Let's watch the news.
- 5 Room two is over there.
- 6 Here's a spoon for your soup.

3.3

book cookery could good looking sugar

- 3.4** 1 Do you take sugar?
2 Could you help me? I'm looking for a good cookery book.

3.5	/u:/	/ʊ/
true	foot	
toothbrush	good	
soon	cook	
lose	push	
through	pull	
	put	

- 3.6** 1 pool 2 luck 3 soap

4.1 words with /ɑ:/: artist garden March part

words with other vowel sounds: square talk warm watch

4.2 words with /ʌ/: country fun money mother

words with other vowel sounds: business home lots push

4.3 1 The butter's too hard.

3 Their son's got dark hair.

2 I'd love to buy that carpet!

4 I first met my husband in Prague.

4.4 1 hat 2 far 3 cut 4 look 5 lock 6 butter

5.1 1 clock 2 gone 3 want 4 wanted 5 sorry 6 what

5.2 1 A: What time is it?

B: I don't know. The clock's stopped.

2 A: What have you got?

B: A box of chocolates.

3 A: Where's the doctor?

B: He's gone on holiday.

5.3 1 thought 2 walked 3 caught 4 taught

5.4 1 bottle 2 salt (and pepper) 3 box (of shopping) 4 floor
5 dog 6 ball 7 door

5.5 This is our kitchen. On the table there's a big *box* full of shopping, a *bottle* of wine and some *salt* and pepper. There's a *ball* on the *floor* and the *dog*'s asleep in the corner behind the *door*.

5.6 1 not 2 luck 3 caught 4 short 5 work

6.1 1 hand 2 best 3 egg 4 man 5 men 6 many 7 have 8 next

6.2 7 10 11 12 17 20 70

6.3 1 e 2 f 3 d 4 a 5 b 6 c

1 The first plan was the best.

2 He said 'Thank you.'

3 How many stamps do you need?

4 I haven't got any milk.

5 I'll be back again tomorrow.

6 My friends live in a flat over there.

- 6.4** 1 man 2 cut 3 had 4 paper 5 head 6 set 7 butter

7.1 words with /ɔ:/:

- | | | | | |
|------------|---------|---------|----------|---------|
| 1 church | 3 dirty | 5 nurse | 7 shirt | 9 third |
| 2 curtains | 4 girl | 6 purse | 8 surfer | |

words with /ɔ:/:

- 1 door 2 floor 3 four 4 horse 5 shorts 6 warm

words with /ɑ:/:

- 1 car 2 large 3 March 4 parked 5 stars

words with other sounds:

- 1 beard 2 chair 3 near 4 pair 5 wearing

- 7.2** 1 The *nurse* is sitting on a *chair* next to the *girl*.

2 The boy's *wearing* a *pair* of *shorts* and a *dirty shirt*.

3 There's a man with a *beard* standing *near* the *door*.

4 The girl's *purse* is on the *floor* next to the bed.

5 It's *warm* in the room.

6 The date is the *third* of *March*.

7 There's a picture of a *surfer*, and a picture of *four horses*.

8 There are flowers on the *curtains*.

9 Through the windows, you can see a *church*, with a *large car parked* outside. There are some *stars* in the sky.

- 7.3** 1 34 2 13 3 1st 4 30 5 3rd 6 21st 7 14 8 37

- 7.4** 1 shirts 2 first 3 beard 4 head

- 8.1** /ɪə/ 1 Dear 2 really 3 theatre 4 near
/eə/ 1 Mary 2 upstairs 3 there 4 Sarah

- 8.2** 1 She's got *fair hair*.

2 The *chairs* are under the *stairs*.

3 How many *years* have you lived *here*?

4 There's a man with a *beard* sitting in the *square*.

5 Speak up! I can't *hear* you.

6 It's a *clear* day – you can see for miles.

- 8.3** 1 See you next year. /ɪ/

2 We're from England – what about you? no /r/

3 Bye – take care! /ɪ/

4 Bye – take care! no /ɪ/

5 Where shall we meet? no /r/

6 Where shall we meet? /ɪ/

- 8.5** 1 near 2 bird 3 wear

- 9.1** 1 Waiting for the train 3 Raining in Spain 5 Baking a cake

2 Taking a break 4 Making a mistake

- 9.2** 1 write 2 try 3 find 4 buy 5 fly

- 9.3** 1 The plane left in the evening and arrived the next morning. It was a *night flight*.
 2 It's best to drink *white wine* with fish.
 3 Fourteen kilometres is about *eight miles*.
 4 There was no rain yesterday. It was a *dry day*.
 5 I think I'm lost – is this the *right way* to the beach?
 6 We've had a *great time*, thanks. *Bye!*

- 9.4** /eɪ/ 1 radio 2 table 3 cake 4 train 5 plane 6 suitcase
 /aɪ/ 7 light 8 wine 9 ice
 /ɔɪ/ 10 boy 11 coins 12 toys

- 9.5** 1 gate 2 wear 3 my

- 10.1** 1 gone 2 snow 3 lost 4 some

- 10.2** It's an *old town* on the *coast*. The *houses* are built with *brown stone*. You can get there by train, *coach* or *boat*. In winter there's a lot of *snow* and sometimes the *road over the mountains* is *closed*.

- 10.4** 1 coast 2 boot 3 woke

- | | | | |
|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 bill | 6 pay | 11 butter | 16 boots |
| 2 piece | 7 but | 12 part | 17 pool |
| 3 buy | 8 pack | 13 book | 18 beard |
| 4 purse | 9 bomb | 14 party | 19 put |
| 5 black | 10 pepper | 15 back | 20 bought |

- 11.2** 1 Can you *help* me *paint* the *bedroom wardrobe*?
 2 Brian's *blond*, and he's got a *big beard*.
 3 We're going to the *pub*. It's my brother's *birthday*.
 4 Where did I *put* my *black boots*?
 5 We asked the waiter to *bring* the *bill*, and it was *double* what we expected!

- 11.3** 1 We'll have to change that *bulb*.
 2 Looking for a *job*?
 3 It isn't on the *map*.
 4 Shall we give him a *tip*?
 5 Do we have to walk *up* that hill?
 6 *Stop* the bus – I want to get off!
 7 I *hope* you have a good time!
 8 *Help* yourself!

- 11.4** 1 bears 2 pear 3 copies

- 12.1** 1 2001 was the *first* time I went to Britain.
 2 I *found* some money in the street.
 3 I worked hard *last* week.
 4 Do you know a *good* place to eat near here?
 5 I live in *West* Road.
 6 Is this the *right* house?
 7 Do you want some *bread*?
 8 Do you like my new *hat*?

- 12.2** 1 wide 2 wrote 3 set 4 said 5 white 6 send 7 road 8 sent

- 12.3** 1 They *send* us emails every day.
 2 I *spent* all my money on CDs.
 3 When it stopped snowing we went for a walk across the *wide* fields.
 4 People *build* houses next to the beach.
- 12.5** 1 watch 2 wide 3 dry 4 writing 5 taught
- 13.1**
- | | | | |
|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 1 give | 2 big | 3 get | 4 comb |
| 5 keys | 6 cake | 7 kiss | 8 ache |
| 9 guest | 10 back | 11 coffee | 12 again |
| 13 walk | 14 called | 15 bag | 16 bigger |
| 17 cold | 18 carry | 19 work | 20 grey |
- 13.2** 1 Can I *carry* your *bags*?
 2 Give me a *big* *kiss*.
 3 You *gave* me *cold* *coffee* *again*.
 4 A *grey* *cat* with *green* eyes *walked* into the *garden*.
 5 The *guests* would *like* eggs for *breakfast*.
- 13.3** 1 Shall we *walk*?
 2 I came by *bike*.
 3 When you go out, *take* the *dog*.
 4 I'm going to buy a new *desk* tomorrow.
 5 A: You don't *take* *milk* in your tea, do you? B: I do, in *fact*.
 6 It's only seven o'clock and it's already *dark*.
 7 Listen and *check*.
 8 Mark your answer with a *tick*.
- 13.4** 1 back 2 gold
- 14.1** 1 five 2 visit 3 first 4 free 5 leave 6 photo
- 14.2**
- | | | |
|---------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 A fine view | 2 Driving too fast | 3 Knives and forks |
| 4 Five voices | 5 A few vegetables | 6 The lift to the seventh floor |
- 14.4** 1 few 2 leave 3 coffee
- 15.1** 1 month 2 then 3 thin 4 they 5 with 6 birthday
- 15.2** words with /θ/: thinking maths bathroom things tooth teeth fourth fifth
 words with /ð/: another the those there
- 15.3** 1 The *weather* will be fine for the next *three* days. *Then*, on *Thursday*, there'll be some rain in the *north*. The *south* will be dry and sunny, but only about *thirteen* degrees.
 2 A: I'm thinking of going to the *theatre* tonight.
 B: Me too! Let's *both* go *together*!
 3 A: Are you *thirsty*? B: No, *thanks*.
 4 A: *These* are my *mother* and *father*, about *thirty* years ago. And *this* is my older brother – he was about *three* years old.
 B: And *the* baby – is *that* you? A: Yes, *that's* me, *with* my *thumb* in my *mouth*!
- 15.4** 1 thing 2 tree
- 16.1** 1 say 2 sat 3 leaves 4 east 5 times 6 glasses

- 16.2** 1 Saturday, Sunday
2 Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday
3 August, September, December
- 16.3**
- | | | | |
|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|
| 1 these | /z/ | 7 dress | /s/ |
| 2 size | /s/ /z/ | 8 it's | /s/ |
| 3 style | /s/ | 9 certainly | /s/ |
| 4 please | /z/ | 10 words | /z/ |
| 5 isn't | /z/ | 11 suits | /s/ /s/ |
| 6 pronounce | /s/ | | |
- 16.4** 1 A: Do you like this *dress*? B: The *style* *suits* you, but *it's* the wrong *size*, *isn't* it?
2 A: Can you *pronounce* *these words* for me, *please*? B: Yes, *certainly*.
- 16.6** 1 plays 2 zoo 3 so 4 thing
- 17.1** 1 fish 2 station 3 finish 4 shout 5 short 6 dish
- 17.2** Take your *cash*.
Go to the *shop*.
Buy some *fresh fish* and some *fresh mushrooms*.
Take them home.
Wash them.
Cook them for a *short* time.
Put them in a *dish*.
Eat them.
Shout, ‘*Delicious!*’
- 17.3** 1 Yes, we’re an *international* business. We’re based in *Russia*, but we fly to anywhere in *Asia* and the *Pacific Ocean*.
2 A: Why are you *shouting* at that *machine*? B: It’s eaten my *cash*!
- 17.4** 1 shoe 2 shoes
- 18.1** 1 watch 2 job 3 chips 4 large 5 juice 6 jazz 7 chair 8 age
- 18.2** 1 get 2 Christmas 3 give 4 picture
- 18.4** words with /tʃ/: teacher chair chicken cheap Dutch chips cheese
words with /dʒ/: lounge bridge large juice language orange dangerous
- 18.5** 1 orange juice 2 Dutch cheese 3 A cheap chair 4 a language teacher
5 chicken and chips 6 A dangerous bridge 7 a large lounge
- 18.6** 1 watch 2 choose 3 what's 4 coats
- 19.1** 1 moon 2 wrong 3 drink 4 uncle 5 knives 6 comb 7 thing 8 stronger
- 19.2** words with /n/: knee nose
words with /ŋ/: tongue ring ankle
- 19.3** 1 A warm evening 2 A wrong answer 3 My hungry uncle
4 A single room 5 Nine languages
- 19.4** 1 The woman’s *listening* to the radio and *reading*.
2 The phone’s *ringing*.
3 The cat’s *drinking*.
4 It’s *snowing*.

19.5 1 rang 2 think 3 night 4 sung 5 some

20.1 1 hat 2 how 3 home 4 half 5 high / hi 6 who

20.2 A: Excuse me, can you tell me *how* to get to the castle?

B: Yes. Go past the *hotel* and the *hospital*, then there's a road *behind* those *houses*.
You go up a *hill*, and the castle's at the top.

A: Thanks for your *help*!

20.3 1 A helping hand 2 A happy holiday 3 How many hours? 4 History, perhaps?
5 Half a house 6 How did it happen? 7 Hi! Who's at home?

20.4 1 ear 2 high

21.1 1 late 2 light 3 large 4 cold 5 table 6 apple 7 learning 8 below

21.2 1 Did you say the *letter* box or the *litter* bin?

2 *Hello*. My name's L. I'm the twelfth *letter* of the alphabet.

3 There's an *apple* in the *middle* of the *table*.

4 Would you like a *single* room or a *double*?

5 What's in that *little* bottle?

21.3 My bus was *late*.

I *lost* my wallet.

I *fell* off a ladder.

I caught a *cold*.

I *fell asleep* at work.

That's *life*!

21.4 1 light 2 correct

22.1 1 Hey, look! I found these old *rock* records in a *rubbish* bin!

2 *Rain* again – what *terrible* weather!

3 Are you *really* sure this is the *right* address?

4 Stop *running round* the room! We've got to get *ready* to go out.

5 A: Oh, no, I've lost an *earring*. B: I'm afraid Anna *borrowed* it.

6 A: *Hurry* up! B: Why? It isn't a *race*. A: We're *already* late! B: Don't *worry*, they'll wait till we *arrive*.

22.2 Underlining = /r/ pronounced

1 A: Where did you park the car? B: I'm not sure. I think it was just around the corner.

2 A: Have you ever heard of square oranges? B: No, never!

3 A: Can you play the guitar? B: I can play the guitar and sing.

4 A: Are we far away from the road? B: Well, it's rather hard to say ...

22.3 1 right 2 long 3 correct

23.1 1 news 2 few 3 yet 4 weekend 5 tunes

6 when 7 music 8 west 9 yellow 10 year

23.2 1 A: *When's* your interview?

B: It's on *Wednesday*, at *quarter* past one.

A: Good luck!

2 A: Are you going *away* for the *weekend*?

B: Yes.

A: *Where*?

B: I don't know *yet*.

- 3 A: Hi! *Where* are you?
 B: We're in *west* Wales.
 A: What's the *weather* like?
 B: *Yesterday* was *wet* and *windy*, but today's beautiful.
 4 A: Can you read *music*?
 B: No, but I remember a *few tunes* from when I was *young*.

23.3	What?	A wallet.
	What colour?	Yellow.
	With?	Money, keys, cards – the usual things.
	Where?	In the town square.
	When?	Yesterday.
	What time?	Twelve.
	Who?	Two young men.
	What happened?	I was waiting in a queue. They were quick. They ran away.

- 24.1** 1 Tuesday 2 fifty 3 expensive 4 centimetre 5 pencil
 6 December 7 September 8 bedroom 9 October 10 exam

- 24.2** 1 mountains 2 reception 3 accident 4 postcard 5 sunglasses, umbrella

- 24.3** 1 A: How's your English?
 B: I think I need to practise more – I have problems with making sentences, and tenses, and pronunciation, and listening, and answering questions, and conversation, and I make too many mistakes ...
 A: Don't worry, it's not so bad! You're almost an expert!
 2 A: Where's my passport?
 B: I don't know. In your suitcase, maybe?
 A: Where's my suitcase?
 B: Upstairs, in the wardrobe.
 A: Right. And where's the envelope that was on the kitchen table?
 B: In the wastepaper basket – was it important?

- 25.1** 1 Is that your *dress*? 7 Is that your *address*?
 2 Is it going to *rain*? 8 How did you *sleep*?
 3 A few *miles*. 9 A few *smiles*.
 4 I went to a *cool* party. 10 I went to a *school* party.
 5 Are you *asleep*? 11 Is he your *twin*?
 6 Are you going by *train*? 12 Is he going to *win*?

25.2 A different order is also possible.

- 1 pay, play, plane, plate, rain, train, late, paint, eight
 2 see/sea, tea, feet, seat, three, free, tree, street, eat
 3 so, low, no/know, slow, soap, slope, nose/knows
 4 lie, fight, right, light, flight

- 25.3** 1 plane 2 blue 3 drink 4 twelfth 5 free 6 o'clock 7 speak 8 floor

- 26.1** 1 cold 2 colder 3 dancer 4 dance 5 older
 6 old 7 centre 8 centre 9 fast 10 faster

- 1 Yesterday was *cold*, but today's *colder*.
 2 My wife's a good *dancer* but I can't *dance* at all.
 3 I'm *older* than you, but not too *old* to learn English.
 4 I *sent* my daughter to buy some things in the shopping *centre*.
 5 The bus is *fast* but the train's *faster*.

26.3

- 1 A: Have you seen that film? B: No, I haven't.
- 2 A: Be there at six. B: Is that when it starts?
- 3 A: Have you been to France? B: Yes, once.
- 4 A: How do you say 'Hello' in French? B: I can't speak French.
- 5 A: Have some of these biscuits. B: No, thanks, I don't like them.
- 6 A: I found some money in the street today. B: How much? A: Fifty pence.
- 7 A: What's for lunch? B: Fish and chips.
- 8 A: I only slept six hours last night. B: I didn't sleep at all!
- 9 A: What colour are your new gloves? B: Pink and orange!

26.4

- 1 physics
- 2 isn't
- 3 thousands
- 4 boots
- 5 banks
- 6 silence
- 7 west

27.1

- 1 See you next week.
- 2 Have a good time.
- 3 Have a great holiday.
- 4 Give me a call.
- 5 Send me an email.
- 6 Tell me how you are.
- 7 Write me a letter.
- 8 Bring me a present.

27.2

- 1 It's really warm today.
- 2 Try this sentence.
- 3 I don't know what to do.
- 4 Look through all the photos.
- 5 Check the answer.
- 6 I'd like to ask you something.
- 7 Is this the right place?
- 8 I haven't listened to this CD yet.
- 9 The meeting's on Monday.
- 10 The potatoes aren't cooked yet.

27.3

A different order is also possible.

this month	next month	last month
a big town	an old town	a small town
a young cat	a white cat	a big cat
a black cat	an old cat	a small cat
cheap clothes	white clothes	big clothes
black clothes	old clothes	small clothes

28.1

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| 1 eyes 1 | 6 glass 1 |
| 2 why 1 | 7 glasses 2 |
| 3 white 1 | 8 university 5 |
| 4 write 1 | 9 business 2 |
| 5 writing 2 | 10 information 4 |

28.2

- 1 Saturday
- 2 Two
- 3 Eleven, seventeen
- 4 W ('double u')
- 5 March, May, June

28.3 I remember(3) once on my first visit(2) to England(2), soon after(2) I started(2) learning(2) English(2), my landlady(3) went shopping(2) and she came back with a big bag full of things, but she forgot(2) to buy some soup – she needed(2) a tin of tomato(3) soup. So I said, ‘I’ll go to the shop and buy it for you,’ because(2) I wanted(2) to be helpful(2) and it was a chance to practise(2) my English(2) a bit. So I went to the little(2) shop round the corner(2) and asked the shopkeeper(3) for tomato(3) soup. But he seemed surprised(2), he didn’t(2) understand(3), and I repeated(3) again(2) and again(2) ‘soup, tomato(3) soup’ until(2) he gave me some red soap, and I realised(2) I’d confused(2) ‘soup’ and ‘soap’ and I was asking(2) for ‘tomato(3) soap’. I felt terrible(3), I wanted(2) to run out of the shop, but my landlady(3) wanted(2) her soup, so I said, ‘Thank you. And tomato(3) soup, please’ – this time with the correct(2) pronunciation – and he gave me the soup. I paid and went back to the house and said to the landlady(3), pronouncing(3) very(2) carefully(3), ‘Here’s your soup, and I bought you this soap as a present(2),’ and she said, ‘Ooh, thank you very much, that’s very(2) nice of you!’

- 29.1**
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|-----------|---------|------------|----------|
| 1 Britain | 2 today | 3 America | 4 police |
| 5 another | 6 again | 7 mountain | |
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- | | | | |
|-----------------|------------------|----------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Great Britain | 2 arriving today | 3 going to America | 4 call the police |
| 5 have another | 6 say it again | 7 climb the mountain | |

- 29.2** Where’s the waiter? – Can you wait a minute?
 Not at all. – You’ll see a tall building on your left.
 Look in the cellar. – I’m trying to sell a house.
 It takes a long time. – Walk along the beach.
 Smoking isn’t allowed. – I heard a loud noise.
 I’d like to live in a newer house. – My father knew a lot about music.

- 29.3**
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|-----------|------------|-------------|------------|
| 1 America | 2 sentence | 3 different | 4 mountain |
| 5 today | 6 letter | 7 police | 8 again |

- 30.1** 1 afraid 2 better 3 police 4 correct 5 enjoy

- 30.2** words with first-syllable stress: longer turning sleeping
 words with second-syllable stress: asleep along return

- 30.3** OooOo 1 teacher or student?
 2 reading or writing?
 OoooO 1 single or return?
 2 finish or begin?
 oOoOo 1 the same or different?
 2 perhaps or maybe?
 oOooO 1 asleep or awake?
 2 behind or in front?

- 30.4**
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|------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 /'sistə/ sister | 2 /rɪ'læks/ relax | 3 /'pi:pł/ people | 4 /'fɪnɪʃ/ finish |
| 5 /kəm'pli:t/ complete | 6 /teibl/ table | 7 /prə'nauəns/ pronounce | |

- 31.1**
- | | | | |
|-------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1 interview | 2 museum | 3 magazine | 4 definitely |
| 5 American | 6 politician | 7 nationality | 8 photography |

31.2	Ooo adjective alphabet cinema furniture grandmother	oOo eleven important reception remember tomorrow
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- 31.3** 1 We had a *delicious* meal on *Saturday*.
 2 We *normally* go on *holiday* by car, but this time we're going by *bicycle*.
 3 I did ten grammar *exercises* *yesterday*.
 4 Is Switzerland an *expensive* country?
 5 My son's *seventeen* and my father's *seventy*.
 6 I had a long *telephone* *conversation* this *afternoon*.

- 31.4** Oooo January February
 oOo September October November December

- 32.1** 1 half-price 2 second class 3 mobile phone 4 city centre

- 32.2** earrings wine bar handbag birthday present boyfriend

A: Oh no, I can't find my **earrings**!
 B: Have you looked in your **handbag**?
 A: Of course!
 B: Maybe you left them in that **wine** bar last night?
 A: Oh no, maybe I did!
 B: Are they important?
 A: Yes – they were a **birthday** present from my **boyfriend**!

Checklist

Have I ...
 ... set the **alarm** **clock**?
 ... and put it on the **bedside** **table**?
 ... put my **plane** ticket in my **trouser** **pocket**?
 ... packed my **toothbrush**?
 ... put my **suitcase** by the **bedroom** **door**?
 ... switched the **CD** player off?
 ... phoned the **taxi** driver to say 'Be here at six'?

Have I ...
 Have I ...
 ... Where's my **checklist**!?

- 33.1** A few years ago / I read in a newspaper / that the staff at a library / in a small town in the west of England / had noticed / that the number of visitors to the library / was going down and down, / and the number of books they were borrowing / was going down even faster. / They couldn't understand this, / so they decided to do some research / to find out the reason. / They interviewed people / and asked them to fill in questionnaires / and so on. / And guess what they discovered. / The reason was / simply / that everybody had read all the books already!

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33.2 This seems unbelievable / but it's a true story / in fact. A farmer / was working in the fields / with his tractor. / The tractor crashed / and he fell out / and landed on the ground / unconscious. / As he fell, / his mobile phone / fell out of his pocket. / Soon after, / a bird that was flying around the fields / saw the phone / and started pecking it / with its beak. / Amazingly / it dialled the number 999 / and soon the emergency services arrived / to help the farmer.

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34.1

- 1 Choose the correct answer and tick it.
- 2 Which page is it on?
- 3 How do you spell it?
- 4 How do you pronounce it?
- 5 What does it mean?
- 6 I can't understand this.
- 7 Look it up in your dictionary.
- 8 It isn't easy to speak English.
- 9 Listen – which language is that?
- 10 Don't worry if you make a mistake.

34.2

- 1 A: What do you think of yoga? B: I don't know, I've never tried it.
- 2 A: What happened to my favourite cup? B: It fell off the table.
- 3 A: Which film shall we go to? B: I don't mind. I've seen all of them before.
- 4 A: You look pleased. B: Yes, I've found a new job.
- 5 A: What did you do last night? B: I just stayed at home.
- 6 A: Where did you buy that hat? B: I made it myself!
- 7 A: Does your dog like biscuits? B: I don't know, I've never asked it.
- 8 A: How did you get here? B: I swam across the river.

34.3

- 1 Where are you going?
- 2 Where shall we go?
- 3 Where did I put my scissors?
- 4 I don't know where I put my scissors.
- 5 Have another biscuit.
- 6 Have another apple.
- 7 They're all coming with us.
- 8 They're coming with us.
- 9 Are you sure?
- 10 Are you sure about that?

35.1

- 1 A: Do you woften go swimming? B: Not really, I jonly go wonce or twice a month.
- 2 A: What's the jeighth letter in the jalphabet? B: Maybe jit's G jor H jor I jor J?
- 3 A: When do you go won holiday? B: We jusually go win July jor August.
- 4 A: What's your new waddress? B: Twenty-jeight, Sea-jAvenue.
- 5 A: Try to wanswer soon. B: OK, I'll send you my janswer by jemail.
- 6 A: Look! There's snow won the mountains. B: Really? I can't see janything.

35.2

- 1 Is it blue wor grey?
- 2 What day jis it today? Thursday jor Friday?
- 3 Coffee jor tea?
- 4 Where's my jinterview suit?
- 5 Play ja song for me.
- 6 Hello. Reception? Which city jis this?
- 7 See you win the jeveling.
- 8 Why do we jalways have to get up so wearly?

35.3

- 1 A: Are you the new wassistant? B: Yes, I jam.
- 2 A: Is he jin the same class as you? B: No, he jisn't.
- 3 A: Am I late? B: No, you waren't. Come in.
- 4 A: Is she coming with us? B: Yes, she jis.
- 5 A: These chairs aren't very comfortable, are they? B: No, they jaren't.

36.1

- 1 OoOo
what's the matter?
see you later
tell the others
feeling better
come for dinner
round the corner
go and find it
what's the problem?
one pound forty
half a kilo
sixty-seven
breakfast's ready

- 2 OooO
what shall we do?
stand in the queue
what about you?
nothing to do
anyone there?
ready to go
on the TV
two and a half
asking for more
now and again
leave it to me
quarter to four

36.2

- Pass me the *jam*, Pam
 Wait in the queue, Sue
 See you *again*, Jen
 Leave it to me, Lee
 What would you *like*, Mike?
 When shall we meet, Pete?
 Over the *hill*, Bill
 Where have you gone, John?
 Soon as you *can*, Van
 Almost forgot, Scott
 Lend me your *pen*, Ben
 Where shall we go, Flo?
 Get a new *job*, Bob
 How do you feel, Neil?
 What have you *got*, Dot?

36.3

- Take me to the *show*, Jo
 Thank you for the food, Jude
 See you in the *park*, Mark
 Really like the hat, Pat
 See you on the *train*, Jane
 When will you be back, Jack?
 Always on the *phone*, Joan
 When did you arrive, Clive?
 Have a glass of *juice*, Bruce.

37.1

- 1 A: Are you (w) going to talk to him (w)? B: No, I think he (s) should talk to me (s) first.
- 2 A: Shall I phone her (w)? B: Yes, I (w) think you (w) should.
- 3 A: You (w) see those people over there? Do you (w) know them (w)? B: I know her (s), but I don't know him (s).
- 4 A: What are you (w) going to give him (w)? B: I think I'll give him (w) a shirt. What about you (s)?
- 5 Let him (w) come in and ask him (w) what he (w) wants.
- 6 She (w) says she'll (w) bring her (w) money tomorrow.
- 7 I'm tired ... shall we (w) go now?
- 8 Everybody's leaving. What about us (s)? Shall we (s) go, too?
- 9 Tell us (w) when you're (w) ready.
- 10 A: Who broke that window? B: He (s) did! C: No, I didn't, she (s) did!

37.2

- 1 What do you think about it?
- 2 Where shall we go tonight?
- 3 He's ready for you now.
- 4 Where is he?
- 5 Tell them to come in.
- 6 Are you feeling all right?
- 7 Tell me the news.
- 8 I know her phone number but not her address.

38.1

- 1 They went out and (w) left their (w) children at (w) home.
- 2 Don't sit there – that's his (s) seat.
- 3 Is this the train to (s) London or from (s) London?
- 4 I didn't say at (s) five o'clock, I said about five o'clock.
- 5 What are (w) you going to (w) do?
- 6 His (w) first name's Jack, but I don't know his (w) second name.
- 7 Would you like some (w) more tea?
- 8 Bring your (w) umbrella – it's going to (w) rain.
- 9 Excuse me – is this your (s) umbrella?
- 10 Can you go and (w) buy some (w) bread and (w) milk, please?
- 11 You've bought some (w) flowers – who are they for (s)?
- 12 I bought them (w) for (w) you (s)!

39.1

On the recording it says:

- There are four people in the car.
 There's a woman sitting in the house.
 There are some children walking along the road.
 There are no clouds in the sky.
 There's another house on the right.

39.2

- There's @ cat on the mat.
 There's @ fish in @ dish.
 There's @ dog in the fog,
 and @ mouse in the house.
 There's @ film on TV.
 You can sit on my knee.
 Thereare two cups of tea.
 One for you, one for me.

39.3

- 1 Tessa's taller than Terry, but she isn't *as tall as* Ted.
- 2 Ted's *older than* Tessa, but he isn't *as old as* Terry.
- 3 A: What's the longest tunnel in the world?
B: The Channel Tunnel, between England and France?
- A: No, *there's* a *longer one than* that.
- B: Is *there*, really?
- A: Yes, *there* is, in Japan.
- 4 A: How many dollars are *there* in a pound?
B: I think *there are* about one and a half ... or maybe *there are* one and a half pounds in a dollar?

39.4

- A: What are(w) you(w) doing there(s)?
B: There(w)'s a(w) spider in the room.
- A: Is there(w)? Where?
B: There(s), look!
- A: No, there(w) isn't!
B: Yes, there(w) is!
A: Well, actually, there(w) are(w) two – one there(s) and(w) one there(s)!

40.2

- A: Im (w) better than you!
B: No, you aren't!
A: I am (s). I've (w) got more toys than you!
B: No, you haven't!
A: Yes, I have (s)! And I can (w) speak twenty languages!
B: You can't! Nobody can (w) speak twenty languages!
A: I can (s). And I could (w) walk when I was (w) three weeks old!
B: You couldn't! That's impossible!
A: I could (s)! You don't know – you weren't there!
B: I was (s)! I'm older than you!
A: No, you aren't!
B: Yes, I am (s)! Im (w) eight. How old are (w) you?
A: Im (w) eight hundred.
B: What do (w) you mean? Nobody can (w) be eight hundred years old!
A: Don't argue!
B: Im (w) not arguing!
A: Yes, you are (s)!

40.3

- 1 I could (w) speak English when I was (w) twelve.
- 2 I wasn't very well yesterday, but I am (s) today.
- 3 A: Are (w) these your gloves? B: Yes, they are (s). Thanks!
- 4 A: I don't think you were (w) at the lesson last week, were (s) you? B: I was (s)!
- 5 A: I didn't think the singers in the band were (w) very good. B: Oh, I thought they were (s)!
- 6 A: Have (w) you got a pen? B: Just a minute, I think I have (s), somewhere.
- 7 A: Has (w) the lesson started? B: Yes, it has (s), but you can (w) go in.
- 8 A: Where does (w) he live? B: Near the old town hall. Do (w) you know where that is? A: Yes, I do (s).

41.1

- 1 A: Why haven't you done the shopping? B: I have done the shopping. *It's* on the kitchen table.
- 2 A: The *weather's* better than last year, isn't it? B: It certainly *is*.
- 3 A: Right then, I'm going. Are you coming with us? B: No, I'll see you later.
- 4 A: *What's* the time? B: *It's* twenty to seven.
- 5 A: They aren't ready yet. B: *We are* ready!
- 6 A: I'd love to go somewhere warm for a change. B: I *would*, too!
- 7 A: I'm afraid they *haven't* arrived yet. B: *They have*. *They're* here now!
- 8 A: Let's go. B: I don't think the *concert's* finished yet, has it? A: *It has*, actually.

- 41.2**
- What do you want to do tomorrow?
 - We'll just have to wait and see.
 - I was late because there was a lot of traffic.
 - Bring them all to the party.
 - I haven't seen him for ages.
- 42.1**
- Let's see who *finishes* these *exercises* first.
 - The bar *closes* when the last customer *leaves*.
 - Don't make *promises* you can't keep.
 - Nobody *uses* a typewriter nowadays, do they?
 - My dad's so tall that when he *reaches* his hand up he *touches* the ceiling.
- 42.2**
- Joyce and Mike *are* Dennis's *parents*. / Joyce and Mike *are* Dennis's *mother* and *father*.
 - Tom *is* Dennis's *brother*.
 - James and Joyce *are* Mr and Mrs Birch's *children*. / James and Joyce *are* Mr and Mrs Birch's *son and daughter*.
 - Dennis is George's *grandson*.
 - Joyce *is* Mike Jones's *wife*.
- 42.3**
- | | |
|-------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 Charles's | 7 The camera's <i>Charles's</i> . |
| 2 Rose's | 8 The jacket's <i>George's</i> . |
| 3 Charles's | 9 The shoes are <i>Jez's</i> . |
| 4 George's | 10 The skis are <i>Rose's</i> . |
| 5 Jez's | 11 The suitcase is <i>Jez's</i> |
| 6 Jez's | 12 The map's <i>Charles's</i> . |
- 43.1**
- I watched an interesting film. ✓
 - I watched the news. ✗
 - I walked to the end of the road. ✗
 - The car stopped in the middle of the road. ✓
- 43.2**
- They *played* very well.
 - We *cleaned* all the rooms.
 - We always *cook* a big meal for the whole family.
 - I *need* some help with the housework.
- 43.3**
- We usually *finished* before the others.
 - You *pronounce* my name wrong.
 - I *added* a bit of onion to the recipe.
 - I *like* those people but they always *stay* too long.
- 44.1**
- A: How about meeting on Tuesday or Thursday at one o'clock?
B: I can come on *Tuesday*, but not before *two* o'clock.
 - A: Let's go to the beach and have a swim.
B: Well, I'll come to the *beach* with you, but I'll probably just do some *sunbathing*.
 - A: Which shop are you talking about? Is it on the corner?
B: Well, it isn't on the *corner*, exactly, but it's very *near* there.
 - A: When I was at school I was good at maths and physics.
B: I was good at *maths*, but my best subject was *music*.

44.2

- 1 A: Maybe we could have dinner on Thursday or Friday?
B: Well, I'm free on **Thursday**.
- 2 A: Let's have a quick drink at the pub and then go somewhere to eat.
B: Well, I've got time to go to the **pub** for half an hour.
- 3 A: Are the shops open in the evenings and on Sundays?
B: Well, I know they're open in the **evenings**.
- 4 A: My favourite school subjects were history and geography.
B: Really? I liked **geography** ...

44.3

- 1 A: It's freezing today!
B: It's pretty **cold**, yes, but it's good weather for walking, so let's **go**!
- 2 A: Did you go to university in Europe?
B: I didn't **study** there, no, I just travelled **around**.
- 3 A: Did you come on the ferry?
B: No, I like travelling by **sea**, but it takes too **long**.
- 4 A: We've got plenty of time – we're leaving at four.
B: That's the **departure** time, yes, but we have to be there by **three**.

44.4

- 1 A: Are the shops open at the weekend?
B: I know they're open on **Saturdays**.
- 2 A: What did you think of the band?
B: The **singer** was good.
- 3 A: Have you been sightseeing yet?
B: We've been to the **castle** – that's all we had **time** for today.
- 4 A: Can I have something non-alcoholic?
B: We've got some **orange** juice ... or some **mineral** water ...

There is no Key for Unit 45.

46.1

- 1 A: I was lying in **bed** last night, round about **midnight**, and I heard a knock at the **door**.
B: **Oh**? **What did you do**?
A: **Well**, I went **downstairs** ...
- 2 A: I was waiting for the **bus** yesterday, as **usual**, and suddenly I heard an **explosion**.
B: **Did you**?
A: **Yes**, and I thought **What's that**!?
- 3 A: I was watching the **news** one night, and suddenly I saw **myself** in the shopping centre.
B: **Sorry**?
A: I said I saw **myself**, on **TV**!
B: **That's amazing**!
- 4 A: I left my wallet on the bus today!
B: **Oh, no!** **That's terrible**!
- 5 A: **Today** was awful!
B: **Why**? **What happened**?
A: **Well**, first the **bus** was late, then ...
- 6 A: I was walking by the **river** one day last week, down near the **bridge**, you know?
B: **Yes**?
A: And I heard a sort of loud **noise** in the **water** ...

46.2 A: I was lying in bed last night, round about midnight, and I heard a knock at the door.

B: Oh? Did you?

A: Yes, and I thought, 'That's unusual.'

B: What did you do?

A: Well, I went downstairs, and looked through the window, and it was dark, of course, but I could see a bus in the street, with its lights off and no passengers, and a man standing at my door, with a sort of official-looking cap on his head.

B: Sorry?

A: A cap, you know, like bus drivers wear.

B: Oh, I see. What happened?

A: Well, I opened the door, and he said, 'Mr Johnson?', and I said, 'Yes?' And he said, 'Here's your wallet. I finished work at midnight and I found it on my bus.' What do you think about that?

B: That's amazing!

47.1

1 A: How was the match?

B: The first half was quite good, but the second half was really good.

2 A: How was the match?

B: The first half was quite good, but the second half was terrible.

3 A: Can I come and discuss this tomorrow?

B: I won't be here tomorrow, but my colleague will be.

4 A: Can I come and discuss this tomorrow?

B: I won't be here tomorrow, but I'll be back on Thursday.

5 A: Have you seen that film?

B: I've seen it, but I can't remember much about it.

6 A: Have you seen that film?

B: I haven't seen it, but I'd like to.

7 A: Are you having trouble?

B: I know what this word means, but I don't know how to pronounce it.

8 A: Are you having trouble?

B: I know what this word means, but I don't know any of the others!

9 A: What did you think?

B: I liked the film, but I didn't really understand it.

10 A: What did you think?

B: I liked the film, but the seats were so uncomfortable!

11 A: I'd like to go to Britain to study for a month or two – or maybe even a year!

B: I'd like to go to Britain for a month, but not for a year.

12 A: I'd like to go to Britain to study for a month or two – or maybe even a year!

B: I'd like to go to Britain, but I'd rather go to America.

47.2

- 1 A: What's the answer – three hundred and eighty-five?
 B: No – three hundred and **ninety**-five.
- 2 A: After you.
 B: No – after **you**.
- 3 A: You went to the disco with Steve last night, didn't you?
 B: I didn't **go** with him – I **met** him there.
- 4 A: Do you live in London?
 B: Well, not really **in** London, just **outside**.
- 5 A: You said go over the bridge.
 B: No, I said go **under** the bridge.
- 6 A: Were there really fifty people at your birthday party?
 B: Well, **nearly** fifty, I think.
- 7 A: What's 'Thank you' in Italian?
 B: I can't **speak** Italian.
- 8 A: How many times have you been to England?
 B: I've **never** been to England.
- 9 A: Was the course expensive?
 B: Well, my school paid for the **course**, but the **travel** cost quite a lot.
- 10 A: How much should I bring – fifty pounds?
 B: You'll need at **least** fifty.

48.1

- 1 A: Do you like westerns?
 B: **Me**? I can't **stand** westerns!
- 2 A: It's stopped raining.
 B: **Really**? I don't **believe** it!
- 3 A: Is it the first time you've been here?
 B: The **first** – and probably the **last**!
- 4 A: You know the city pretty well, don't you?
 B: **Me**? I've never **been** here before!
- 5 A: What are twelve elevens?
 B: Don't ask **me**! I'm **hopeless** with numbers!
- 6 A: It's two pounds fifty for a cup of coffee.
 B: **Two** fifty? That's **ridiculous**!
- 7 A: Were the shops busy today?
 B: **Busy**? They were almost **empty**!
- 8 A: Do you like rap music?
 B: **Like** it? I think it's **awful**!

49.2

- 1 A: Can I help **you**?
 B: **No**, thanks, I'm just **looking**.
- 2 B: I'll take **this**, please.
 A: **Sure**. Anything **else**?
- B: **No**, thanks, that's all.
- 3 A: That's fifteen forty altogether.
 B: **Here** you **are**.

4 A: Here's your change.

B: Thank you.

5 A: See you.

B: Bye.

49.3 A: Excuse me.

B: Yes?

A: Can you tell me the way to the station, please?

B: Yes, you just go along this road, cross the bridge over the river and there's a big park on your left, you know? Well, you go through the park and the station's just on the other side.

A: Is it far?

B: No, not very far.

A: OK, so I go along this road, cross the bridge and through the park – right?

B: That's right.

A: Thanks very much.

B: You're welcome. Bye.

A: Bye.

49.4 A: All right?

B: Yes.

A: Not nervous?

B: A bit.

A: Don't worry. It'll be fine.

B: I hope so.

A: Right. Let's start. Are you ready?

B: I think so.

A: OK. The first question is ... What's your name?

B: My name? ... It's ... Jack Johnson.

A: That's right! Well done! Difficult?

B: Well, not too bad.

A: Right. The second question is ... What's $37,548 \times 7,726$?

B: What!

50.2

it was!

of course!

definitely

usually

is it?

maybe

really?

I think so

did you?

sometimes

50.3

That's great!

That's fantastic!

That's marvellous!

That's strange.

That's interesting.

That's good news!

That's kind of you!

That's a good idea.