

Useful Language: Paraphrasing

In many IELTS tasks, you have to choose a correct answer from a number of options. The options express ideas using different words from the recording.

Match these phrases (1-10) to ones with similar meanings (a-j)

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| 1. a wide variety | a. a convenient location |
| 2. recently | b. a special occasion |
| 3. easy to get to | c. not long ago |
| 4. no more than | d. looks out over |
| 5. a peaceful spot | e. a huge range |
| 6. birthday | f. has changed |
| 7. has a view of | g. the maximum number |
| 8. is different | h. kitchen equipment |
| 9. upmarket | i. a quiet place |
| 10. saucepans | j. luxury |

Exercise 11. «Market», «Restaurants» CD: track 11

In questions 1-4, choose the correct letter, A, B or C.

1. The market is now situated
 - A. under a car park.
 - B. beside the cathedral.
 - C. near the river.
2. On only one day a week the market sells
 - A. antique furniture.
 - B. local produce.
 - C. hand-made items.
3. The area is well known for
 - A. ice cream.
 - B. a cake.
 - C. a fish dish.
4. What change has taken place in the harbour area?
 - A. Fish can now be bought from the fishermen.
 - B. The restaurants have moved to a different part.
 - C. There are fewer restaurants than there used to be.

Which advantage is mentioned for each of the following restaurants?

Choose SIX answers from the box and write the correct letter, A-H, next to questions 5-10.

Advantages

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| A. the decoration | 5. Merrivales | |
| B. easy parking | 6. The Lobster Pot | |
| C. entertainment | 7. Elliots | |
| D. excellent service | 8. The Cabin | |
| E. good value | 9. The Olive Tree | |
| F. good views | 10. The Old School Restaurant | |
| G. quiet location | | |
| H. wide menu | | |