WELCOME, SAM

UNCLE BEN: Come in, Sam. Welcome to our hometown. Well, have a seat. Suzy, this is my

nephew Sam. Sam, this is Suzy, my daughter.

SAM: Nice to meet you, Suzy.

SUZY: Nice to meet you, too. Say, what do you major at the university?

SAM: Well, I’m a student of computing.

UNCLE BEN: That’s very interesting, Sam. By the way, I’m planning to buy some computers.

Could you give me some advice?

SAM: Well, it depends. Do you want to buy a desktop or a laptop?

UNCLE BEN:Both. I need a laptop for me and a desktop for the family.

SAM: Good: Any computer is okay whether they are MAC or PC. But you should make sure if

the memory and the hard disk are big enough, with a recent version operating system.

UNCLE BEN: Sure, I’ll pay attention to that

SAM: Also, make sure everything is correct like the CPU, the monitor, the keyboard and the

mouse.Are you going to buy some peripherals, too?

UNCLE BEN: yes, I’d like to buy a multifunctional printer and an internet modem

SUZY: Oh, Dad! Sam has just arrived. Don’t bother him with your computer project.

Sam, would you fancy going to the beach with me this afternoon? I’d like you to meet

my friend Cathy!

SAM: That’s a good idea, Suzy. I’m dying to make friends with young people here?

Is Cathy pretty?

**Say if it true or false**

1. Uncle ben is not interested in computer
2. Sam has come to this town to study computer science
3. Sam’s uncle is childless
4. Uncle Ben wants to buy computers
5. Sam studies computer at the university
6. Suzy wants to introduce Sam to her friend Cathy
7. Sam doesn’t want to go to the beach because he’s tired

SAM’S COUSIN, SUZY LEARNS TO USE COMPUTER

SUZY: Sam, I’m sorry. Cathy didn’t come to the beach last week

SAM: It’s okay. Perhaps, I’ll meet her some day

SUZY: Sure. Say, the computers have just arrived. Can you teach me how to use the desktop?

SAM: Sure, let’s have a look at it. Now, the current is on. Ok, press the power button on the

CPU and it will start. The operating system is Windows. Do you want to write a text?

SUZY: Yes, of course

SAM: In that case, just open the word icon

SUZY: How can I do so?

SAM: Just you double click on it!

SUZY: You mean left-click or right-click?

SAM: Left-click, of course. And when you have finished or you want to stop for a while, you

have to save your work before you close it or shut down. You want me to show you

how to do that?

SUZY: Yes, but not right now. I’ll call you later.

CATHY: Suzy, why on earth didn’t you answer the text I sent to you yesterday?

SUZY: I’m sorry Cathy but I lost my mobile

CATHY: Oh, sorry to hear that. Who’s that boy on the verandah?

SUZY: That’s my cousin Sam. Let me introduce you to him. Sam, this way please. This is my

my friend Cathy. Cathy, meet Sam.

SAM: I’m so happy to meet you Cathy

CATHY: Very glad to meet you too, Sam. Hope you’ll enjoy your vacation here.

SAM: hope so, indeed. Especially if I’m always in company of interesting persons like you.

**Say if it is true or false**

1. Cathy came to the beach to see Suzy and Sam
2. Sam taught Suzy how to use the laptop
3. Sam says it’s not necessary to save before closing or shutting down
4. Cathy lost her cell phone
5. Sam doesn’t like Cathy
6. Suzy didn’t introduce Sam to Cathy

CATHY NEEDS HELP

CATHY: Suzy, where are you? Is anyone here?

SAM: They have gone out, but I would be happy to talk if you don’t mind

CATHY : Oh, Sam. Sorry to disturb you

SAM: No, not in the least. What can I do for you?

CATHY: But where are you?

SAM: I’m in the bathroom. I’ll be over and done in two shakes.

CATHY: Well, I want to copy some songs from the computer into my flash drive

SAM: No problem. The computer is already on, so just insert your flash drive

CATHY: The monitor looks strange. There are some photos moving on it.

SAM: Oh, it’s on sleep mode. Just move the mouse or press one button on the keypad

CATHY: Ok, but it says “password”. I don’t understand anything

SAM: Oh, It’s logged off. Just type Suzy’s birthday

CATHY: Ok. ..Oh, now it’s open

SAM: Now, let’s listen to the songs… They’re really good songs. It’s as if I’m in a distant beach

alone with someone special

CATHY: Oh, I didn’t know you’re quite a dreamer, Sam

SAM: But everything starts from a dream, Cathy. Who knows? Maybe this dream will come true

if you accept to keep me company this weekend. I’d like to talk and know you more.

Can I have this pleasure?

CATHY: I don’t know. I have to think it over. I’ll let you know tomorrow or…

SAM: Please text me on this number. 035 42 461 02

CATHY: Ok, promise. Look, time’s flying. I have to go home or my parents will begin to worry

**Say if it is true or false**

1. Suzy is at home with Sam
2. Sam is eating breakfast in the kitchen
3. Sam thinks his bath will take a long time
4. Cathy wants to take some songs from the computer
5. Sam invites Cathy out for the weekend
6. Cathy refuses the invitation
7. Cathy gives him her phone number

HIS UNCLE COMPLAINS ABOUT MALWARE VIRUS IN HIS LAPTOP

UNCLE BEN: I don’t know what happened but my laptop doesn’t work really well

SAM: Is it protected from any malware virus?

UNCLE BEN: No, is that necessary, Sam?

SAM: Of course, uncle Ben

UNCLE BEN: Which antivirus is the best?

SAM: There are some effective antivirus software but I have avast in my file

UNCLE BEN: Good. Can you install it right away?

SAM: Yes, Uncle. It can be done just in a few seconds. Then we restart the system, and it’s finished.

UNCLE BEN: You’re a genius, Sam

SAM: And don’t forget to update it whenever you’re connected

UNCLE BEN: I’ll do that

SAM: You’re lucky the system is not damaged by the virus. Otherwise, we couldn’t have had other choice than to format it.

UNCLE BEN: And lose everything I stored in it

**Say if it is true or false**

1. Uncle Ben has a problem with his computer
2. Sam decides to install an antivirus on the system
3. It takes a long time to install the software
4. After installing the antivirus, the system must be restarted
5. After formatting it’s possible to lose some files
6. The system of the laptop is already damaged

SUZY WANTS TO USE FACEBOOK

SUZY: Sam, I want to sign in to facebook. Can you help me?

SAM: Sure. Do we still have enough credit in the modem?

SUZY: I think so. I just recharged it last evening

SAM: Good, you just connect to yahoo or Gmail. Then open an account. Let’s do it right away

SUZY: Oh, thank you, Sam. All my friends communicate through facebook

SAM: I don’t think it’s a good idea to use Facebook. Because everybody knows about your secret.

There’s no privacy at all.

SUZY: yeah, but it’s fun to read about friends and to be connected to several people all over the

world. Don’t you think it’s the quickest way to make friends abroad, and get a love partner,

who knows?

SAM: I don’t know, Suzy. Do you think getting a partner through the internet is good for a lasting

marriage or relationship?

SUZY: I don’t know, but with the coming of internet the world has become smaller. And that’s what’s

important.

**Say if it is true or false**

1. Suzy needs to connect to fb
2. They have an internet modem
3. Sam doesn’t enjoy using facebook
4. You need to have an email address in order to be able to sign in to fb
5. Facebook threatens privacy according to Sam