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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.1

### ● Listening Activity No. 1

*Indicate whether the following statements are true or false by writing T for true, F for false and N if the statement is not mentioned.*

1. A man is calling from home.
2. He has been phoning for about 15 minutes.
3. The man dialed a wrong number.
4. The man keeps making a funny noise.
5. The man hasn't put enough money in the phone box.
6. The operator said the lines were overloaded.
7. The problem is because of crossed lines.
8. The man got through after talking to the operator.
9. The man is calling a friend in Manchester.

## 4-1 Listening Activity No.2

### ● Listening Activity No. 2

*Answer the questions by writing up to three words or a number.*

1. Which session of the conference is it?  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Which room will the grammar session be held in?  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Where should people return their keys?  
\_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

4. What should be returned to the session chairpeople?
  - A. Discussion handouts.
  - B. Tape recorders.
  - C. Discussion records.
  - D. Section recorders.

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5. By what time does the speaker want people to gather to take the 3:30 buses?  
A. 2:30.  
B. 3:15.  
C. 3:30.  
D. 3:25.
6. Where should people gather to take the buses?  
A. Outside the airport.  
B. Outside Room 203.  
C. Outside the main building.  
D. Outside Room 302.
7. Who is not asked to collect reprints from the conference desk?  
A. Professor Hurst.  
B. Professor Cole.  
C. Professor Malnachurk.  
D. Professor Olsen.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

- A* for an accurate statement;  
*I* for an inaccurate statement;  
*N* if the information is not given.

8. Professor Olsen is from the Leeds University.
9. The Sixth Annual Convention of EFL will be held.
10. All people have to leave their names at the conference desk.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.3

### ● Listening Activity No. 3

*Answer the questions by writing a few words.*

1. Whom is the letter for?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. What does the mother complain about?

\_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letters.*

3. How much is the phone bill for 3 months?

A. £30.94

B. £140.44

C. £130.94

D. £300.44

4. The phone calls are more expensive

A. between midnight and 6 am.

B. in the evenings.

C. after 6 pm.

D. before 6 pm.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

*A for an accurate statement;*

*I for an inaccurate statement;*

*N if the information is not given.*

5. Jane works on Saturdays.

6. Jane has to use the phone box down the road.

7. The phone box down the road is expensive.

8. Jane has to pay half of the bill.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.4

### ● Listening Activity No. 4

*Complete the statements below.*

1. Underground tickets are available at \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Ticket prices for the underground vary according to the travel \_\_\_\_\_.

*Answer the question.*

3. How many zones are within the travelcard area? \_\_\_\_\_.

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

4. Where can you get travelcards?  
A. At travel agencies                      B. At train stations.  
C. At underground stations.              D. At bus stops.
5. What time can the travelcards be bought?  
A. Anytime during the day.                B. After 9:30 at weekends.  
C. Anytime at weekends.                  D. After 9:30 am on weekdays.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

*A for an accurate statement;*  
*I for an inaccurate statement;*  
*N if the information is not given.*

6. The easiest and most economical way to travel around London is with a travelcard.
7. You need a passport for a travelcard season ticket.
8. Smoking is allowed on the underground.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.5

### ● Listening Activity No. 5

*Complete the statements below.*

1. They are talking about a job at a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The company is seeking \_\_\_\_\_.

*Answer the following questions.*

3. What does the company provide for people to travel in? \_\_\_\_\_
4. What does the company offer in addition to a salary? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

5. The job offers excellent prospects for
  - A. a retired person.
  - B. a person who has a car.
  - C. a young person with ambition and enthusiasm.
  - D. a young person with ambition and experience.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

*A for an accurate statement;  
I for an inaccurate statement;  
N if the information is not given.*

6. The applicant must write to the personnel manager.
7. The man is interested in the job.
8. The applicant has to be good on a team.



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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.6

### ● Listening Activity No. 6

*Answer the questions by writing a word.*

1. Who is Mike talking about? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What was the first complaint about Mike? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letters.*

3. Mike often talks about
  - A. his difficulties at his house.
  - B. finding a place to live.
  - C. the parties he went to.
  - D. his friend's house.
4. Mike wants to move, but he wants to live
  - A. alone.
  - B. in a quiet place.
  - C. near the school.
  - D. with his parents.
5. How many people live in Tom's house besides Tom?
  - A. 2
  - B. 3
  - C. 4
  - D. 5
6. The expenses which Tom and his housemates share do not include
  - A. food.
  - B. rent.
  - C. light.
  - D. heating.
7. If Mike goes to live with Tom, he will likely have
  - A. more food.
  - B. more expense.
  - C. more noise.
  - D. more freedom.

*Write a word or a number in the spaces provided.*

8. What day is it when Tom and Mike are talking? \_\_\_\_\_
9. On what date will Jane vacate her room? \_\_\_\_\_
10. When is Mike moving into the house? \_\_\_\_\_

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.7

### ● Listening Activity No. 7

*Answer the questions by writing up to three words.*

1. When did the researcher finish her survey? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What do the Science students complain about? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

3. What complaints did the students make about the library catalogues?  
A. They are too complicated.                      B. They are incomplete.  
C. They are really bad.                              D. They are out of date.
4. When the chief librarian heard the criticisms, he indicated it might be possible to  
A. buy some new books.  
B. change the librarians there.  
C. check all the cards and reprint them where necessary.  
D. change to a computer system.
5. How much would it cost to do the first option?  
A. About £1,000.                                      B. About £6,000.  
C. About £60,000.                                   D. About £600.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

*A for an accurate statement;  
I for an inaccurate statement;  
N if the information is not given.*

6. It would take about a year to change the catalogue system to a computer system.
7. The chief librarian suggested two possible ways to improve the catalogue system.
8. The chief librarian agreed to try to improve the borrowing facilities as well.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.8

### ● Listening Activity No. 8

*Answer the following questions by writing up to three words.*

1. Where does the student come from? \_\_\_\_\_
2. How long has the student been in this country? \_\_\_\_\_
3. What is the student studying at the moment? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the correct answer.*

4. What does the student worry about now?
  - A. His English study hours.
  - B. That her qualifications may not be accepted here.
  - C. Her working experience in her own country.
  - D. Her tutoring at school.
5. What kind of course does the counsellor suggest the student to apply for?
  - A. Civil engineering diploma course.
  - B. Master's degree in English.
  - C. English diploma.
  - D. Master's degree in engineering.

*Write up to three words in the spaces provided.*

6. Did the student study engineering at a university? \_\_\_\_\_
7. How long did the student work for a big company? \_\_\_\_\_
8. When does the counsellor suggest the student apply for a degree course?  
\_\_\_\_\_



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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.9

## ● Listening Activity No. 9

*Answer the questions by writing a few words.*

1. Where are all student services to be found at the college?  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Are all students automatically members of the Student Union?  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. What document do the students need to get their student cards?  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. Where do students go to get their student cards?

Circle the appropriate letter(s).

5. When is the student health centre open?
  - A. From 9:30 to 8:45 on weekdays.
  - B. From 9:30 to 5:00 on Fridays.
  - C. From 9:30 to 5:00 on weekdays.
  - D. From 9:30 to 8:45 Monday to Thursday.
6. Circle the days when Dr. B. Kearns hold a surgery in the Medical Centre.
  - A. Monday and Tuesday mornings.
  - B. All weekdays mornings except Friday.
  - C. Either Wednesday or Friday afternoons.
  - D. Thursday afternoons.
7. Whom do students have to register with if they stay in England?
  - A. A college doctor.
  - B. Dr. B. Kearns.
  - C. A local doctor.
  - D. A hospital doctor.

Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing

*A* for an accurate statement;

*I* for an inaccurate statement;

**N** if the information is not given.

8. The nurses will make appointments for you.
9. Dr. Kearns can be found at her surgery any time during the day.
10. Dr. Kearns' surgery is located at No. 2 Ascott Avenue, W5.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.10

## ● Listening Activity No. 10

Answer the following questions by writing a number or up to three words.

1. Who is Ms. Penny Rawson? \_\_\_\_\_
2. What is Ms. Rawson going to discuss? \_\_\_\_\_
3. How many counsellors are there in the college? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Are counsellors full-time at the college? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

5. How are the students referred to the counsellors.
- A. By themselves. B. By their parents.
- C. By their teachers. D. By a tutor.
6. How do counsellors meet students?
- A. See the students only individually.
- B. See the students only in groups.
- C. See the students in any way necessary.
- D. See the students only in the courses.

Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing

*A* for an accurate statement;

*I* for an inaccurate statement;

**N** if the information is not given.

7. Counselling Service can solve all students' problems.
8. Counselling Service is a confidential service.
9. Counselling Service has a small fee.
10. No one, according to Ms. Rawson, ever has problems at this university.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.11

### ● Listening Activity No. 11

*Complete the following statements by filling in the relevant words.*

1. Susan will be a \_\_\_\_\_ student.
2. She wants to keep her money in a safe place with easy \_\_\_\_\_.
3. She is suggested to open an \_\_\_\_\_ Account.

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

4. A current account provides the following facilities:  
A. a chequebook                      B. a cashcard  
C. a deposit book                      D. all of the above
5. If the balance is £500 or over the interest is  
A. 5.25%.                                  B. 2.55%.  
C. 7.25%.                                  D. 7.55%.
6. Money can be withdrawn with  
A. a chequebook.                      B. a cash card.  
C. an ID card.                              D. a passport.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

*A for an accurate statement;  
I for an inaccurate statement;  
N if the information is not given.*

7. The bank statement tells you how much money is in your account.
8. The bank statement provides you with a permanent record of income only.
9. You can ask your bank about your statement by telephone.
10. You can use a cashcard to check the balance.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.12

### ● Listening Activity No. 12

*Complete the statements below. Use up to three words.*

1. Mrs. Jane Smith is \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Mrs. Smith would like to talk about \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Where is Mr. Wilson presently working? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter (s).*

4. Mr. Wilson has had his present job
  - A. since 2010.
  - B. for more than three years.
  - C. for three months.
  - D. since 2011.
5. The reason he wants a new job is
  - A. for a change.
  - B. to earn more money.
  - C. to get a promotion.
  - D. to have a new challenge.
6. The thing he likes most about his present job is
  - A. the responsibility.
  - B. good salary.
  - C. his colleagues.
  - D. working conditions.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

- A for an accurate statement;*  
*I for an inaccurate statement;*  
*N if the information is not given.*

7. They are looking for someone prepared to work overtime.
8. Mr. Wilson graduated from Leeds University.
9. Mr. Wilson has a diploma in design.
10. Mr. Wilson will get the new job.



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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.13

### ● Listening Activity No. 13

*Complete the statements below.*

1. In Britain a foreign student can get treatment from the British Medical Scheme if the student's course of study is for \_\_\_\_\_.
2. For a long-term student, treatment in British hospitals is \_\_\_\_\_.

*Answer the following question by writing a short phrase in the space provided.*

3. What should the student do first if he wishes to join the British Medical Scheme?  
\_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

4. Where can you find lists of doctors?  
A. From the Student Union office. B. From local post offices.  
C. From the registration's office. D. From the university medical clinic.
5. Give two ways to find out a doctor's consulting hours.  
A. \_\_\_\_\_  
B. \_\_\_\_\_

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

*A for an accurate statement;  
I for an inaccurate statement;  
N if the information is not given.*

6. Casualty or emergency treatment is free for everyone in all hospitals.
7. A dentist can choose whether or not to accept a patient for NHS treatment.
8. A private patient will pay the full cost of dental treatment.
9. People should have their teeth checked every six months.
10. Basic dental treatment is a minimum of 17 pounds.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.14

### ● Listening Activity No. 14

Answer the following questions and complete the statements below. Use **NO MORE THAN THREE WORDS** for each answer.

1. The college's firm aim is to be a \_\_\_\_\_ institution.
2. The college judges people on their \_\_\_\_\_ and commitment to study as much as \_\_\_\_\_.

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

3. Circle the statements about the students that the director has mentioned.  
A. Some students are seeking specific skills.  
B. Some are learning about the latest scientific knowledge.  
C. Some are seeking to develop their artistic abilities.  
D. Some are stretching their bodies.
4. How many teachers and staff are there at the college?  
A. 500                      B. 800                      C. 1000                      D. 1500

5. Which word best describes the director's speech?  
A. Informative.                      B. Depressing.  
C. Inspiring.                      D. Amusing.

*Write a word in the space provided.*

6. Is it a congratulation speech? \_\_\_\_\_

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

- A for an accurate statement;*  
*I for an inaccurate statement;*  
*N if the information is not given.*

7. You may find a suitable course at the polytechnic college.
8. The college specializes in a narrow range of subject areas.
9. The college has a homogeneous student body.
10. The college has the longest history of any school in its community.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.15

### ● Listening Activity No. 15

*Complete the following statements by filling in a relevant word or a number.*

1. Bell College is one of a group of schools run by the Bell Educational Trust, a \_\_\_\_\_ educational foundation.
2. The college offers an attractive environment for study and leisure for students aged \_\_\_\_\_ or over.

*Answer the following questions with a word or a number as required.*

3. How many students live on campus? \_\_\_\_\_
4. How many students live off campus? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

5. What areas of study do the courses offer?  
A. English for Industrial Training.                      B. English Programme.  
C. Teacher Training.                                          D. Social Studies.
6. How many nationalities are there in the college?  
A. 13.                      B. 30 or more.                      C. 50.                      D. 50 or more.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

- A* for an accurate statement;  
*I* for an inaccurate statement;  
*N* if the information is not given.

7. Teachers in the college are from many parts of the world.
8. According to the college policy teachers from Rwanda are presently not welcome.
9. The college has its own medical centre.
10. The college provides cultural and social activities only on weekends.



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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.16

## ● Listening Activity No. 16

Answer the questions by writing a word or a phrase.

1. When does the student have to move out of his present accommodation?

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2. For how long did the college offer him a temporary room?

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Circle the appropriate letter(s).

3. Circle the problems that the student has now.

- A. No friends.
- B. No money.
- C. No place to live in.
- D. Homesick.

4. Circle the help that the Welfare Office can give.

- A. To provide long-term accommodation for him.
- B. To contact the accommodation service.
- C. To subsidize his rent payments.
- D. To offer him a grant.

5. Where could the student get money?

- A. From a bank  
B. From a landlord.  
C. From the British Council.  
D. From the Student Union.

6. How much could the student get as an emergency loan?

- A. Up to £200.  
B. About £250.  
C. £220.  
D. £2000.

Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing

*A* for an accurate statement;

**I** for an inaccurate statement;

*N* if the information is not given.

7. The Union may be able to provide a long-term emergency accommodation.

8. The student only has £90 left for food and books.

9. The student will apply for an emergency loan.

10. The student feels more optimistic after talking to the welfare officer.



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### 4-1 Listening Activity No.17

### ● Listening Activity No. 17

Complete the statements below. Use up to three words.

1. Peter asks Anna to do him a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Peter is going to visit \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Peter will be away for \_\_\_\_\_.

Circle the correct letter(s).

4. What animal is Anna being asked to look after?  
A. rabbits  
B. birds  
C. cats  
D. dogs
5. What does Peter want Anna to do?  
A. To look after a pregnant animal.  
B. To buy a box of cat food.  
C. To feed the animals.  
D. To wash the animals every day.
6. How many babies did one of the animals have last time?  
A. 2  
B. 4  
C. 5  
D. 6
7. When Peter mentioned that one of the animals is going to be delivering soon, Anna was  
A. happy.  
B. worried.  
C. sad.  
D. angry.

Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing

*A* for an accurate statement;

*I* for an inaccurate statement;

**N** if the information is not given.

8. The mother cat eat only cat food. \_\_\_\_\_
9. Peter will bring a box of cat food. \_\_\_\_\_
10. One of the cats is a male. \_\_\_\_\_

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.18

### ● Listening Activity No. 18

Complete the following statements below.

1. Our health is affected by \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Safeway tries to help customers not only in the range and types of food offered, but also by providing up-to-date reliable \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Circle the reasons given for using less sugar.
  - A. For the sake of our eyes.
  - B. For the sake of our body's weight.
  - C. For the sake of our teeth.
  - D. For the sake of our livers.
4. Which of the following attacks the tooth itself?
  - A. Carbohydrates.
  - B. Saliva.
  - C. Acid.
  - D. Plaque.

*Write a short phrase in the space provided.*

5. What is the worst thing you can do to your teeth?

Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing

*A* for an accurate statement;

*I* for an inaccurate statement;

**N** if the information is not given.

6. The speaker advises people to stop taking sugar at once.
7. The speaker suggests choosing snacks carefully.
8. The speaker suggests substituting yogurt for sugar.
9. The speaker suggests cutting back on the sugar you use in baking.
10. The speaker is a dentist.

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.19

## ● Listening Activity No. 19

Complete the following statements by filling in a relevant word or a number.

1. An au pair is a single girl without any dependants who comes to UK to learn English and to live as \_\_\_\_\_ of an English speaking family.
2. An au pair may help in the house for up to \_\_\_\_\_ hours a day for pocket money.

Circle the appropriate letter(s).

3. Circle the suitable tasks that an au pair may do in the house.  
A. Dusting the house. B. Painting the house.  
C. Taking care of children. D. Mowing lawn.
4. How much money should be given as pocket money?  
A. 14 to 20 pounds a week. B. 15 to 20 pounds a week.  
C. 15 to 20 pounds a month. D. 50 to 60 pounds a month.
5. An au pair must be a single girl aged  
A. under 17. B. under 27.  
C. more than 27. D. between 17 and 27.
6. Circle the appropriate nationalities for an au pair.  
A. Japanese B. French C. Turkish D. Russia

Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing

*A* for an accurate statement;

**I** for an inaccurate statement;

*N* if the information is not given.

7. A girl who has been in the UK before as an au pair will be allowed to come to the UK again as an au pair even if the total period is more than 2 years.
8. An au pair who is from the Commonwealth or EC will have to register with the police if she stays longer than 6 months.
9. An au pair may change host families during her time in the UK.
10. Write 2 possible ways for an au pair to apply for a longer stay in the UK.
  - A. \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. \_\_\_\_\_

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## 4-1 Listening Activity No.20

### ● Listening Activity No. 20

*Answer the questions by writing a word or a number.*

1. Which month would the customers like to book a holiday for? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Do they know exactly where they want to go for their holiday? \_\_\_\_\_

*Circle the appropriate letter(s).*

3. When will both customers be free to travel?
  - A. The first week of July.
  - B. The whole month except for the last five days.
  - C. From the first to the twenty-third of July.
  - D. From the seventh to the twenty-third of July.
4. Which country did the two customers visit last year?
  - A. Italy.
  - B. Sweden.
  - C. France.
  - D. Portugal.
5. How long did the customers want for their holiday?
  - A. A week.
  - B. Ten days.
  - C. Two weeks.
  - D. Four weeks.



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6. Why don't the customers want to go to Italy?
- A. Because there are too many young people.
  - B. Because it would be too hot.
  - C. Because they've been there.
  - D. Because the dates don't suit them.
7. Circle the reason that they don't like to go to Sweden.
- A. Too expensive.
  - B. Too hot.
  - C. No beaches.
  - D. Not enough facilities.

*Indicate whether the following statements are accurate or not by writing*

- A for an accurate statement;*  
*I for an inaccurate statement;*  
*N if the information is not given.*

8. The customers prefer to visit Portugal by flight from London.
9. It would be 385 pounds for them to visit Portugal.
10. The customers have decided where to go for the holiday.