

## Chapter 2: UNIT 01

### PART I. Picture Description

1. (A) This is a picture of a motorcycle.  
(B) This is a picture of a chair.  
(C) This is a picture of a wheelchair.  
(D) This is a picture of a bicycle.
2. (A) This man is wearing glasses.  
(B) He is looking into a movie camera.  
(C) He is using a computer.  
(D) The man is checking his eyesight.
3. (A) The woman has an injured arm.  
(B) She has an injured knee.  
(C) The woman has an injured foot.  
(D) She injured her wrist.
4. (A) The woman is looking in a bottle.  
(B) The woman is crying.  
(C) She is looking into a telescope.  
(D) She is putting medicine in her eye.
5. (A) The man in white is a doctor.  
(B) The man in white is a businessman.  
(C) The man in white is a cook.  
(D) The man in white is a teacher.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

1. I have a headache. Do we have any aspirin?  
(A) Look in the medicine cabinet in the bathroom.  
(B) She is on her way home.  
(C) I feel fine.
2. Can I make a doctor's appointment for Monday, please?  
(A) Monday is a weekday.  
(B) Give the children some candy.  
(C) Yes. Is 2:30 OK?
3. Do you have to study hard to become a dentist?  
(A) Yes. It is a lot of work.  
(B) The dentist's office is next to the barber shop.  
(C) She will return tomorrow afternoon.
4. Can you recommend a good eye doctor?  
(A) I wear glasses.  
(B) Yes. I go to Doctor Park.  
(C) Don't worry so much. You'll be fine.
5. She cut her finger! What should we do?  
(A) There are six students in the class.  
(B) I'd like a drink of water.  
(C) It's not too deep. Cover it with a small bandage.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Ow! My tooth really hurts!  
(M) Mary, you've had a toothache for over a week. You should go to the dentist. Why don't you make an appointment?  
(W) I can't. I tried, but he is on vacation until Thursday. I'll have to wait two more days.  
(M) Well, I guess you have no choice then. But be sure to call first thing Thursday.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Mr. Thomas, look at the chart on the wall. Now, could you read the last line for me?  
(M) Yes. It looks like, A, F, R, P, Q, M, and X.  
(W) Very good. Now, how about the second line? What can you see?  
(M) It says T, S, M, Z and K.  
(W) That's perfect. Your eyesight is excellent! You don't need glasses at all. Come for another check up in 12 months' time.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(M) A lot of people think that being an animal doctor is very easy, but it is not. First, the training is very difficult. A person has to learn the same basic medical information as a doctor for people. Then, a person has to learn about how different animals have their organs in different places. Human organs are in the same position in all people. However, a dog's heart is in a different location than a cat's heart; animal doctors need to know that. Also, animal doctors need to be good at understanding animals. Animals cannot talk and tell you what is wrong, so you have to learn how to understand without words. I think that this is the most important quality.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(W) Last Saturday, I injured my ankle playing basketball. One of the players from the other team bumped into me and I fell down. When I fell, my ankle twisted. It was very painful immediately. When I woke up it was very swollen and a little red, so I went to the hospital. The doctor gave me some pain-relieving tablets and told me to take two tablets a day and wrap my ankle tightly with a bandage for one week. He said it was not a serious injury, and that I would be just fine. He told me not to do any exercise for three weeks. I have to rest my ankle so it can heal more quickly. I'm really looking forward to getting back to the basketball court.

## UNIT 02

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The girl looks happy.  
(B) The girl is sleepy.  
(C) The girl is angry.  
(D) The girl is looking out the window.
- (A) The girl is telling a joke.  
(B) She has an injured arm.  
(C) She is asking a question.  
(D) The girl is reading a book.
- (A) The boy is in the kitchen.  
(B) He is in the library.  
(C) He is in a classroom.  
(D) He is at the hospital.
- (A) The students are passing notes.  
(B) The boy and girl are holding hands.  
(C) They are studying.  
(D) The students are eating lunch.
- (A) The man is at his desk.  
(B) He is in his office.  
(C) The man is by the entrance.  
(D) The man is near the board.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- I'm so happy! I got an A in History!  
(A) He is in the classroom right now.  
(B) Congratulations!  
(C) My history teacher's name is Mrs. Lewis.
- Which class do you have on Tuesday mornings?  
(A) French.  
(B) I don't like to wake up early.  
(C) We can go together.
- Will Brian go to university next year?  
(A) Brian studies hard.  
(B) She gave him the letter.  
(C) No. He still has one more year of high school.
- Is Professor Green your music teacher?  
(A) Green is my favorite color.  
(B) No, Mrs. Benson is.  
(C) The music store is closed today.
- Can you take these books back to the library for me?  
(A) There is some extra paper in the desk drawer.  
(B) The books are expensive.  
(C) Yes, I'll put them in my bag.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Next semester will be difficult. I didn't get accepted for the course I wanted. I didn't even get my second choice. I wanted to study a language, but instead I'll be taking geology.
- (W) That's too bad. Why do you think that geology is so difficult? You might be really good at it. Maybe you'll enjoy it.
- (M) Well, I'm not interested in learning about rocks and minerals. Besides, I'm not good at scientific subjects.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) I have to decide whether to take Spanish or German on Tuesday mornings. Spanish sounds so romantic, doesn't it? But you've enrolled for German, haven't you? It'd be fun to study together.
- (M) Well, you know, Spanish class meets on Thursday mornings, not Tuesdays. That's why I'm taking German.
- (W) Oh. Well, I guess I'll be taking German too then. I can only study on Tuesdays.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(W) I'm not really a good student. I don't often get high grades. I don't usually like studying in school, but there are a couple of subjects I enjoy. My two favorite subjects in school are chemistry and art. I like chemistry because it uses the logical part of my brain. I can work for hours trying to find the answer to a complex chemistry problem. You might be thinking that sounds like math. But it is more interesting than mathematics because then I can go to the chemistry lab and do experiments. It is exciting to see what happens when I do an experiment. On the other hand, I like art because I can be creative. I can express my feelings with a paintbrush. Both art and chemistry let me express different parts of myself.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(M) My exams today were so difficult. I had three exams. In the morning, I had a French exam. French is really difficult for me, especially French spelling. I can never remember if I need an extra "e" at the end of words and that kind of thing. Then, after lunch I had a history exam. I couldn't remember any of the dates that I studied before the exam. History is the most difficult subject because I find it boring. Finally, in the afternoon I had a math exam. It was difficult, but math is my favorite subject, so I think I did pretty well on the exam. I'm good at math and I usually get high grades, so I'm sure I'll get a good score. Last semester, I got the best grade in my class.

## UNIT 03

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The boy is watching television.  
(B) The boy is doing homework.  
(C) The boy is eating.  
(D) The boy is making lunch.
- (A) The box is full of toys.  
(B) The bowls and plates are broken.  
(C) The dishwasher is almost full.  
(D) The dishes are in the refrigerator.
- (A) The boy is in front of the computer.  
(B) The boy is looking behind the computer.  
(C) The computer is next to a desk.  
(D) The boy is fixing the computer.
- (A) The man is sitting by the bed.  
(B) The curtains are closed.  
(C) There is no furniture in the room.  
(D) The man is watching television.
- (A) The man is cleaning the room.  
(B) They are having a party.  
(C) The man is in the garden.  
(D) The man has a car.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- Why didn't you answer the phone last night?  
(A) I was taking a bath when it rang.  
(B) It was hot last night.  
(C) That's a good idea.
- Whose turn is it to wash the dishes?  
(A) I want to eat pizza.  
(B) I think it's my turn.  
(C) Turn over.
- Did you mow the grass this morning?  
(A) Yes, it looks great, doesn't it?  
(B) It rained this morning.  
(C) No, I'm busy.
- Where are your brothers?  
(A) They are my brothers.  
(B) I am at home.  
(C) They're in the garden, Mom.
- Have you finished the laundry yet?  
(A) No, the washing machine is broken.  
(B) He is a dry cleaner.  
(C) I like to do laundry.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Well, it's 8 o'clock and I need a study break. I have a mid-term test in a few days. Mind if I join you? What are you watching? Is it anything interesting?
- (M) Well I think it's interesting. It's a documentary about crocodiles. They are amazing creatures.
- (W) Crocodiles, huh? That's not really my kind of thing. I want to watch a soap opera on another channel. Can't we change?
- (M) Well, actually, I have a report to do on crocodiles.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Can you do me a favor? When you go to the mall, can you get a few things for me? I haven't had time to go shopping today.
- (M) Sure, I'm leaving in about ten minutes. I'm taking the car, so it's no problem to bring back whatever you want. What do you need?
- (W) Some cheese, pasta, and tomatoes for our dinner. Make sure the tomatoes are ripe. You bought green ones last time.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(M) Ken, I'd like to introduce you to my family. They've really been looking forward to meeting you. This is my wife Sandy, and these are my three children. This tough little one is my son Mike, and these are my two daughters, Anne and Christina. Mike is 7 years old, and the girls are both 5. As you can probably tell, they are twins. It was a lot of work taking care of the twins when they were babies. We were afraid of mixing them up. It's not a problem now they are older because they have developed such different personalities. They are a little shy right now, but they'll soon start asking you all kinds of questions.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(M) My wife Gail and I have recently purchased a beautiful home. It has a large garden and a yard for the kids and the dog. It's near the local school where Gail teaches, and it is near several shops and a sports center. The kids are crazy about swimming and soccer, so it's going to be great for them. Inside there's a kitchen, living room, dining room, and bathroom. Upstairs there's our bedroom plus separate bedrooms for our two kids. They are looking forward to choosing their own wallpaper to decorate their rooms. There's plenty of room, and we're happy to be first-time homeowners. We were so tired of paying rent to other people. We're going to enjoy living here.

## UNIT 04

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The actresses are making a movie.  
(B) They are leaving the theater.  
(C) The two women are watching a show.  
(D) The actresses are in costume.
- (A) The man is holding flowers.  
(B) The man gave the woman flowers.  
(C) The movie theater is closed.  
(D) There are many people waiting in line.
- (A) The woman is wearing headphones.  
(B) The woman is singing on stage.  
(C) She is speaking to a small audience.  
(D) She is turning on the machine.
- (A) The people are watching a movie.  
(B) The people are making a sign.  
(C) The people are in a theater.  
(D) The people are buying tickets.
- (A) The man is selling tickets.  
(B) The man is watching a sad movie.  
(C) The man is laughing.  
(D) The man is sitting at home.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- What time does the movie start?  
(A) I think it starts at 3:30.  
(B) Yes, let's go to see a movie.  
(C) There are three movie theaters.
- Is there anything good on TV tonight?  
(A) Did you buy it?  
(B) No, just the usual.  
(C) There's a book on the TV.
- Have you seen the new musical at the Play House?  
(A) Yes, it was great.  
(B) Yes, it is the Play House.  
(C) I like musicals.
- Where is my movie ticket?  
(A) It's already 4 o'clock.  
(B) This is a good movie.  
(C) There it is, under that chair.
- Do you like watching comedies?  
(A) No, I prefer action movies.  
(B) It is not a comedy.  
(C) This is very funny.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Do you want something to eat? The film doesn't start for another ten minutes and I'm pretty hungry.
- (W) Sure, I'll have some popcorn. No butter, please, but make sure they put on a lot of salt.
- (M) All of that salt is not good for you, and it will make you thirsty. Do you want anything to drink with that?
- (W) Yes. I would like an orange juice, please.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) I'd like two seats for the 7:30 performance.
- (W) Certainly. Would you like your seats near the middle of the theatre or near the aisle?
- (M) Hmm...maybe near the aisle, please. That way I don't step on anyone's feet if I have to go to the bathroom.
- (W) How will you be paying, cash or credit card?
- (M) I'll pay in cash. And I'll buy a program, too.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following introduction.

(W) Ladies and gentlemen, welcome to today's program. On our talk show today, we have three guests. First, this is Mr. Brian Hopkins from Chicago, Illinois. Next to him is Ms. Tina Martin from Madison, Wisconsin, and on her left, we have Dr. James Lee from Orlando, Florida. Welcome to all of you. Our topic for discussion today is the problem many homeowners have with their neighbors. Most of us don't even know our neighbors, but some families have a difficult relationship with the people living next door. Loud parties, parking their cars in front of your house, their dog making a mess in your yard. Why can't we all just get along? What are some things we can do to help deal with bad neighbors? Let's take a look.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following review.

(M) *The Talk of the Town* is a romantic comedy set in a small town in the south of France. This movie takes a typical love story and gives it a little bit of a surprising twist that I think most viewers will really enjoy. In *The Talk of the Town*, rich businessman Timothy Green finds himself on vacation in the strange town of Moliere. Nothing here is quite what it seems. He constantly upsets the locals with his foolish mistakes and his inability to speak the French language. However, after meeting the mysterious and accident-prone Stephanie, played by Nina Ricci, his trip begins to improve. Go to see this movie if you want a light-hearted diversion. It will certainly make you laugh, and I bet you won't believe the surprise ending! This movie is suitable for the whole family.

## UNIT 05

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The man is holding a backpack.  
(B) He is carrying a suitcase.  
(C) He is holding a box.  
(D) The man is carrying a briefcase.
- (A) The woman is giving a presentation.  
(B) The woman is drawing a picture.  
(C) She is changing clothes.  
(D) She is serving food.
- (A) The man is in a sports stadium.  
(B) He is near an office building.  
(C) He is on a farm.  
(D) He is in a city.
- (A) The man is reading the paper.  
(B) He is reading a book.  
(C) The man is exercising.  
(D) He is eating lunch.
- (A) He is a police officer.  
(B) He is a doctor.  
(C) He is a firefighter.  
(D) He is a teacher.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- Where do you work?  
(A) At 9:00 a.m., usually.  
(B) He went on vacation.  
(C) In the office building on the corner.
- Can you help me file these papers?  
(A) I don't know how to type.  
(B) Sure. Let's do it together.  
(C) My desk is in the corner.
- Did the boss hire a new worker?  
(A) Yes, her name is Sue.  
(B) I went to New York once.  
(C) His office is down the hall.
- Will you come to work on Saturday?  
(A) The coffee has sugar in it.  
(B) I like my job.  
(C) No, I finished everything today.
- Have you ever worked in a grocery store?  
(A) They sell fruits and vegetables.  
(B) Yes, when I was in university.  
(C) I can't go with you.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Lisa, I heard that you got a new job. I didn't even know you were looking. Why did you change?  
(W) Well, I started to apply for jobs about a month ago. You know, the pay at my old job was too low, and the hours were so long. Now, I make more money, and my working hours are shorter.  
(M) That's great! Congratulations!

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Hey, Jean. Are you hungry? Let's have lunch together today. What do you feel like? I'll pay.  
(W) I'd like to but I can't, Steve. I have a business meeting to go to. I have a very busy day today.  
(M) That's OK. Maybe some other time. Let me know when you have time. I know a lot of good restaurants around here.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(W) Most people think of the average working day as nine to five. In other words, most people are used to working during the day, usually from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. But some jobs start at different times. People who work "swing shift" jobs usually start work late in the afternoon, around 5:00 p.m., and finish late at night, around 1:00 a.m. Other people work "graveyard" shift jobs. These shifts last all night, from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. These strange hours are necessary because some jobs can only be done at night. There are also an increasing number of people who work flexi-time. Flexi-time is convenient for workers because they can choose when to go to work. For example, even if my regular hours are from 9:00 to 5:00, I could go to work from 8:00 to 4:00 instead, if I wanted.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(M) I changed jobs about 2 months ago. My new job is much better than my old job. First, the pay is much higher. Also, I work fewer hours. In my old job, I worked ten hours a day, but in my new job I only work six hours a day. I used to be exhausted all the time, but now I have lots of energy. My benefits are also better. I have medical and dental insurance, which I did not have at my old job. Finally, my new job is closer to my home. I can walk to work which saves me a lot of money each month on gasoline and parking fees. I can arrive home much earlier than before so I also have enough time to take French classes twice a week, and I'm going to join a gym next week.

## UNIT 06

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The children are waiting to get on the bus.  
(B) The kids are eating lunch.  
(C) A girl is getting off the bus.  
(D) The bus is stuck in traffic.
- (A) The telescope is being used.  
(B) The weather is not good.  
(C) The view looks out on a park.  
(D) This is used to see things far away.
- (A) There are two people on the balcony.  
(B) The flowers are around the room.  
(C) There are flowers on the balcony.  
(D) The hotel has few guests.
- (A) The woman is waiting for her luggage.  
(B) The woman is checking in her luggage.  
(C) The woman is walking with her luggage.  
(D) The luggage is next to the door.
- (A) There are many tourists in front of the building.  
(B) There are very few people in front of the building.  
(C) The weather is hot and sunny.  
(D) The people are dancing.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- Where did you go on vacation?  
(A) Yes, the weather was terrible.  
(B) We went to Spain for a week.  
(C) Yes, we went on vacation.
- Do you prefer the seaside or the mountains?  
(A) Well, I like the beach more than the mountains.  
(B) I went to the seaside two years ago.  
(C) I prefer them both.
- Are there a lot of interesting museums in Paris?  
(A) No, it is less expensive.  
(B) Yes, there are hundreds.  
(C) I like museums.
- How was your flight?  
(A) It was just awful.  
(B) I woke up late today.  
(C) Yes, it was.
- When is Jane coming back?  
(A) Oh, she came back this morning.  
(B) She is coming.  
(C) Jane didn't come back.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Hi! Long time no see! Did you enjoy your vacation?  
(W) Yes, I had a wonderful time. The weather was wonderful, and the people were really kind. But now, I'm very sleepy. I have terrible jet-lag.  
(M) Yes, you look very tired. Well, try to get plenty of sleep tonight.  
(W) I'm so tired, I could fall asleep right now!

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Oh no, it's raining again. This is the sixth time this week that it has been raining. I wanted to go to the beach and try out my new surf board.  
(M) Maybe tomorrow. Let's go for a drive instead. It's not raining too much, and we could drive along the coast and look at the ships in the bay.  
(W) That doesn't sound like too much fun, but there is nothing else to do. I guess we have no choice, do we?

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following introduction.

(M) Welcome to the Travel Show. I'm your host, Bob Wilkens. In part one, tonight we'll be taking a look at the popular resort island of Marina and interviewing families on a cruise ship in part two. Finally, in our last segment we will show you how to save money on your vacation. Trust me, you won't want to miss tonight's fantastic episode! We will start now by going to our most adventurous reporter, John Rogers. John is on the fabulous island of Marina. Marina is famous for its goat-milk cheese. John, tell us about the island of Marina and some of the fantastic types of cheeses that you have tried.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following advice.

(M) Do you want to avoid another bad sunburn this summer vacation? Sunburns are not only painful, but they are the leading cause of missed work during the summer months. Sunburns are easy to avoid. First, always wear a hat, and put on sunscreen every time you go outside. Remember, if the sun can't find you, it can't burn you. Another very good bit of advice is stay inside between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. This time is the hottest part of the day. Third, reapply your sunscreen frequently. It's no good thinking once a day is enough. Expert sunologists recommend at least three times per day for maximum effectiveness. And finally, be sure to use sunscreen with a high protection factor, especially if you have fair skin. If you have blonde or red hair be extra careful, too! If you follow these simple rules, you won't come back from your vacation with a bright red face this year.

## UNIT 07

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The person is cooking food.  
(B) The person is planting a flower.  
(C) The person is working with clay.  
(D) The person is playing a musical instrument.
- (A) The girl is looking in a mirror.  
(B) She is reading a book.  
(C) She is painting a picture.  
(D) The girl is using a computer.
- (A) The building is on the lake.  
(B) The building is in the mountains.  
(C) The building is in the field.  
(D) The building is in the forest.
- (A) These women are dancing.  
(B) They are playing sports.  
(C) These women are walking to school.  
(D) They are swimming.
- (A) This is a picture of some trees.  
(B) These are a few statues.  
(C) These are tourists on holiday.  
(D) These are actors in a movie.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- Where is the art museum?  
(A) Down the street, next to the post office.  
(B) Not today. I'm busy.  
(C) Last week.
- Can you paint very well?  
(A) My favorite color is blue.  
(B) Yes, I took lessons for five years.  
(C) He is not home right now.
- Did you buy some new paint brushes?  
(A) I have no money.  
(B) They went to the park.  
(C) Yes, six of them.
- Does she use a computer to color her drawings?  
(A) No, she paints them all by hand.  
(B) She loves computer programming.  
(C) Yes, she has a computer.
- When will he have his art exhibit?  
(A) At the museum.  
(B) I don't go there often.  
(C) Next Saturday.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) This painting is so beautiful. I really like the colors. It reminds me of being at a circus.  
(W) I like that painting, too. The colors are so bright and cheerful. I remember when I was a child, I had a similar painting hanging next to my bed.  
(M) Really? The artist chose such interesting colors. They make me feel happy. I really like this place.  
(W) Yeah, they built it six months ago. It only opened two months ago.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Let's go to the museum this weekend. There is going to be a fantastic exhibit of bowling balls called "Bowling Balls from Around the World."  
(W) That's a good idea. I haven't been to the museum in a long time. In fact, I haven't been to the museum since I was a little kid. I remember that they had an exhibit about Egyptian mummies then.  
(M) Me neither. I haven't been to the museum since I was in high school. Well anyways, see you on Saturday then.  
(W) Great! It's a date!

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

- (M) My son is a painter. He always liked painting, even as a little child. When he was a student in elementary school he won his first art competition. He painted a picture of a cat and won first prize. When he came home he was so happy that he actually tried to paint our cat! Since then he has done many paintings. Now, he has his own studio, and he makes paintings that are bought by hotels and restaurants to decorate their walls. Mostly he does landscapes, but he can paint anything. You name it, he can paint it. Next time you go to a restaurant, look at the painting on the wall... it may have been done by my son!

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

- (W) Wherever I travel, I always carry a sketchbook with me. Some people like to take photographs, but I think that photos are too impersonal. I prefer sketching because I can make a picture that nobody else has. I have done sketches of many things that I have seen: the Eiffel Tower in Paris, the Coliseum in Rome, and Buckingham Palace in London just to name a few. Sketching is also a good way to meet people. People see me sketching and sometimes start talking to me. I've met a lot of very nice people that way, and now I have friends all over the world. I have a big notebook at home where I keep all of my sketches. I have over one hundred of them.

## UNIT 08

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The woman is listening to music.  
(B) The woman is buying some CDs.  
(C) The woman is holding a CD.  
(D) The woman is recording a CD.
- (A) The cassette tape is damaged.  
(B) The cassette tape is brand new.  
(C) The cassette tape is on sale.  
(D) There are many cassette tapes on the keyboard.
- (A) There are many fans on the stage.  
(B) There is no one on the stage.  
(C) There are some musicians on the stage.  
(D) There are several bands on the stage.
- (A) The guitar is in its case.  
(B) The guitar is under the table.  
(C) The guitar is against the wall.  
(D) The guitar is broken.
- (A) The children are studying.  
(B) The children are fighting.  
(C) The children are playing music.  
(D) The children are learning to dance.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- How often do you listen to the radio?  
(A) I usually listen every morning.  
(B) It is not a radio.  
(C) Yes, I like listening to the radio.
- Are you going to the concert tonight?  
(A) He is a rock musician.  
(B) No, I couldn't get a ticket.  
(C) I often go to concerts.
- Where did you buy this album?  
(A) I didn't. I downloaded these songs for free.  
(B) I often buy new albums.  
(C) I have about twenty albums.
- What is your favorite kind of music?  
(A) I like everything except jazz.  
(B) It is my favorite kind of music.  
(C) I like listening to music.
- Have you ever been to the opera?  
(A) My mother taught me.  
(B) I have been just once.  
(C) I didn't go last year.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Why don't we go to see that new musical next week? I've heard that it is very good.  
(W) How about going to see a play instead? You know that I don't really like musicals.  
(M) Well, how about trying this one? You know I love musicals and you might enjoy it. We went to see a play last time, so it's my turn to see what I want.  
(W) Okay, but next time I get to choose.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) You were great at the karaoke last night. I had no idea you had such a good voice. You should sing more often.  
(W) Oh, no. I was really out of tune. I feel a little embarrassed to tell the truth. It is a long time since I practiced that song.  
(M) Don't be silly. You are a really good singer. I wish I could sing.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(W) And on this week's countdown to the top of the charts, the ever-popular Boys and Girls are holding on to their position at number three with their latest hit, "Forever with you." Did you know that their lead singer, Mariella, recently graduated from university? Newcomer Evan Jones has moved up three places from number 5 with "Dance Time." He wrote the song himself and composed the music with his brother. Now, I'm sure you have already guessed, but for the third week in a row, the number one song is Pablo with "I'm the One." We have a big surprise for you tonight. Pablo is here to perform live in the TV studio. Let's listen to this week's number one song. Give a big hand for Pablo.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(M) I don't come from a musical family. I never had the chance to learn a musical instrument when I was younger. However, my eldest son Michael has just started learning how to play the drums. He is a big fan of rock music, and he really likes trying to copy the drummer in his favorite band. I want to encourage him to be creative. My wife and I think it is important for our children to learn a wide variety of things. But I think it was a big mistake. He practices for about three hours every night. It's a problem for my family because he starts his practice at nine o'clock. I go to bed at ten o'clock, so his drumming disturbs my sleep. But he has homework to do until nine. I just don't know what to do.



## UNIT 09

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The woman is dancing.  
(B) She is playing guitar.  
(C) She is rock climbing.  
(D) The woman is weight-lifting.
- (A) The person is putting on ice-skates.  
(B) The person is putting on shoes.  
(C) The person is taking off her running shoes.  
(D) The person is taking off her socks.
- (A) The surfer is beside his board.  
(B) The surfer is in the water.  
(C) The surfer is on his board.  
(D) The surfer is on the beach.
- (A) These are basketballs.  
(B) They are bowling balls.  
(C) They are tennis balls.  
(D) These are golf balls.
- (A) The man is falling down.  
(B) The man is going to work.  
(C) He is climbing the rocks.  
(D) He is jumping in the air.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- I have two tickets to the baseball game. Would you like to go with me?  
(A) I don't have a baseball.  
(B) Yes, I'd love to!  
(C) He went yesterday.
- Does anyone here know how to ski?  
(A) I do, a little.  
(B) He will be here soon.  
(C) It's five o'clock.
- Where are they going to build the new sports stadium?  
(A) It will be full of people.  
(B) I've never gone there before.  
(C) Near the university.
- How did you injure your leg?  
(A) Playing soccer.  
(B) It doesn't hurt too much.  
(C) It's my left leg.
- I'm too short to play basketball.  
(A) I have a basketball, too.  
(B) No, you're not. Give it a try!  
(C) Shorts are for summer.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) How often do you exercise Bill? You look quite fit and healthy.

- (M) I try to exercise regularly. I lift weights three times a week, and I run two times a week. I run outside in the summer, and indoors in the winter.  
(W) So that's how you stay in such great shape. Good for you.  
(M) Yeah. I also go swimming as often as I can.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Where is the best place to learn yoga around here? I'm looking for a class I can join to improve my health.  
(M) The New Health Yoga Center is not far from here, and they have very good yoga instructors. I go there twice a week and I would definitely recommend them.  
(W) Hmm. Well, if you say the instructors are good, then that's where I'll go. Maybe I'll take up yoga next month.  
(M) Well, if you join this month, you will get a 20% discount.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(W) My brother John just became a soccer referee. He will referee for the first time next month. He has been playing soccer for about three years, and he has always wanted to be a referee. A referee is a person who watches the soccer game and decides if the players are doing anything that they shouldn't be doing, like using their hands, or committing a foul, like kicking another player. It happens more often than you might expect. If the referee finds a player doing anything like this, he can give the player a penalty. If a player gets three penalties, he must leave the game. It's a very serious punishment, and the players can get very upset. Players sometimes get very angry with the referee, so it can be quite stressful. Soccer referees have to know the rules of soccer very well. My brother loves soccer and I know that he will be a great referee.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(W) Some children start playing baseball when they are very young. Little children, maybe 5 to 9 years old, start by playing T-ball. T-ball is gentler than baseball, so it is a good start. In T-ball, the ball is not thrown to the hitter. It is placed on a stand and the child has three chances to hit it. As children get older, say between 10 to 15 years old, they play in Little League. Little League is a baseball organization for kids that helps them learn about the rules of baseball. A lot of children go to Little League practices after school and play games on the weekend. After that, they may play on their school baseball teams when they are in middle and high school. Baseball is a very popular sport and is played by both boys and girls, although it is more popular with boys. A lot of parents get involved with their children's teams and go along to watch the games. Some parents even volunteer to coach the team during practice sessions.

## UNIT 10

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The plates are full of food.  
(B) The man and woman have finished eating.  
(C) The man has already eaten.  
(D) The woman has no food.
- (A) The coffee cup has a spoon in it.  
(B) The coffee cup is empty.  
(C) A man is drinking coffee.  
(D) A woman is drinking coffee.
- (A) The dishes are next to the sink.  
(B) The sink is full of dishes.  
(C) The dishes are broken.  
(D) The sink is full of water.
- (A) The man is preparing food.  
(B) The man is drying dishes.  
(C) The man is eating lunch.  
(D) The man is cleaning the kitchen.
- (A) The woman is eating lunch with friends.  
(B) The woman is eating at home.  
(C) The woman doesn't have a fork.  
(D) The woman is holding a fork.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- Are you hungry?  
(A) I eat breakfast every day.  
(B) Yes, let's eat something.  
(C) Yes, I already ate, thank you.
- What is in your sandwich?  
(A) Cheese and tomato.  
(B) This is my sandwich.  
(C) I often eat sandwiches.
- Do you eat meat?  
(A) No, I'm a vegetarian.  
(B) Beef and pork are meats.  
(C) No, I don't have any meat.
- How was that new restaurant?  
(A) I never eat in restaurants.  
(B) The food was OK, but the service was poor.  
(C) It's an Italian restaurant.
- What time is dinner?  
(A) Let's have dinner tomorrow.  
(B) It's dinner time.  
(C) It's at seven.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) I don't know where to take my girlfriend for dinner tonight. We always go to the same places, and I'm getting fed up of them. I want to go somewhere different.
- (W) How about a nice French restaurant? That would make a nice change for you. I know a good place if you are interested.
- (M) No. Thanks, but I can't afford that kind of place. I guess we'll just have to go to one of our regular places.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) I'm so hungry. I didn't have time for breakfast this morning. I'm having a hard time waking up early enough these days.
- (M) You didn't eat lunch either, did you? It's not good to skip meals. Nutritionists say that breakfast is the most important meal of the day.
- (W) Yeah, I know all that stuff, but I was so busy today. I have a deadline for an order and I'm trying to finish writing a report, too.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following instructions.

(W) This is a very simple recipe to make. I know that all of you watching at home will be surprised just how easy it is. You might like to make it together with your children. They can help you, and it's always fun to cook things together. In fact, my mother taught me how to make this dish when I was only 7 years old. Even as a child, I was able to make it with no difficulties. If you do try this with your children, I recommend that you cut up the ingredients first. You don't want to risk any accidents with sharp knives. OK, back to the recipe. It only take 20 minutes, and best of all, it is good for you, too.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following advice.

(M) Eating well is so important these days. There are so many choices, and so many different ideas on what is healthy and what is not, so it can get a little confusing. Well, if you want to live a long and healthy life, you need to watch what you eat. Too many sugary snacks and sugary drinks will rot your teeth, and could make you gain weight. So it is better to eat fruit or vegetable sticks between meals, and to drink water or sugar-free juices. Also, you should try to avoid fatty foods such as potato chips and pastries. Eat as many vegetables as you like, and eat a lot of fruit, too. Wholegrain breads and pastas are also good. If you combine this healthy eating with regular exercise, you will live a long and healthy life.

## UNIT 11

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The gauge shows that the tank is empty.  
(B) The gauge shows that the tank is half-empty.  
(C) The gauge shows that the tank is full.  
(D) The gauge is square-shaped.
- (A) The sign means go straight.  
(B) The sign means do not speed.  
(C) The sign means do not touch.  
(D) The sign means touch.
- (A) This is a map.  
(B) This is a television.  
(C) This is a book.  
(D) This is a blanket.
- (A) The astronauts are in the rocket.  
(B) The rocket is taking off.  
(C) The people are taking pictures of the rocket.  
(D) The rocket is landing.
- (A) The woman is looking around the microscope.  
(B) She is looking for the microscope.  
(C) She is looking through the microscope.  
(D) The woman is looking at the microscope.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- Have you seen my calculator? I can't find it anywhere!  
(A) It's on your desk.  
(B) Thank you very much.  
(C) That's great news.
- This fish is very strange-looking. What is it?  
(A) It's a fish.  
(B) Don't look at it.  
(C) It's a puffer fish.
- What is the name of the planet closest to Earth?  
(A) It's Mars.  
(B) My name is Jimmy.  
(C) That's right.
- How do you know so much about chemicals?  
(A) I studied history.  
(B) I studied chemistry.  
(C) I studied English.
- Can I borrow your telescope tomorrow night?  
(A) I have two televisions.  
(B) Sure. It's in my bedroom.  
(C) No thanks, I'm busy.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) What's that book you are looking at? Who is the man in that picture? He looks familiar.  
(W) That's Einstein. I'm sure you've seen lots of pictures of him before. He was a famous physicist. He studied physics.  
(M) A physicist? He must have been smart to study physics. Physics is my worst subject in school.  
(W) Yeah. I like physics, and I still find it difficult.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) My chemistry professor makes us wear eye protection. I hate it. I always feel so foolish with those big plastic glasses.  
(W) Yes. But eye protection is very important so chemicals don't get in your eyes. A lot of those chemicals can cause serious damage to your eyes.  
(M) Right. We usually wear goggles when we are using chemicals for experiments. I guess it is better to look silly than to hurt our eyes.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(M) Next year, I will be taking biology. However, to be honest, I really don't want to take biology. I used to enjoy biology, but next year I don't want to take it because we will have to dissect a worm, a frog, and a mouse. Frankly, the thought of cutting open a little frog or a mouse is pretty disgusting to me. I have never even touched a mouse before. I don't know if I can do it. I think that students should have the right to refuse to do animal experiments. I think we should be able to watch a video or look at pictures in a book instead. It is not necessary to kill animals for our studies. Maybe I can change my class from biology to geology. In geology, we study rocks. I don't mind cutting open a rock.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(W) I have been teaching astronomy at a private university for almost 15 years. I have always wanted to be an astronomer. Astronomers look at the stars and planets through giant telescopes. Even when I was a child, I used to go outside at night to look at the stars. I learned the names of the most important stars before I learned how to write. The university where I work as an astronomy teacher has a giant telescope. It is inside an observatory at the top of a small mountain near my university. Usually, I go there on the weekends and watch the stars. Observatories with telescopes need to be in very quiet dark places like mountains because the lights from the cities can make the stars very hard to see. I get such a peaceful feeling when I look at the night sky.

## UNIT 12

### PART I. Picture Description

- (A) The boy is taking a nap.  
(B) The boy is fishing.  
(C) The boy is eating a snack.  
(D) The boy is drawing a picture.
- (A) The man is picking flowers.  
(B) The man is standing up.  
(C) The man is talking to his neighbor.  
(D) The man is working in the garden.
- (A) The dog is sitting on a boat.  
(B) The dog is eating on the boat.  
(C) The dog is standing on a boat.  
(D) The dog is swimming to a boat.
- (A) The men are looking at a computer.  
(B) The men are making a phone call.  
(C) The men are having lunch.  
(D) One man is asleep.
- (A) The can of pencils is full.  
(B) The pencils are on the can.  
(C) The can of pencils is empty.  
(D) The pencils are broken.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

- Do you still collect stamps?  
(A) Yes, I have about 2,000 now.  
(B) Yes, these are stamps.  
(C) No, she didn't stamp it.
- Is the art gallery open today?  
(A) No, it's closed until next week.  
(B) I went to the gallery once.  
(C) It usually opens at 9 a.m.
- How long have you been learning the piano?  
(A) For about 5 years.  
(B) Every Monday.  
(C) It takes about an hour.
- Do you want to go swimming this weekend?  
(A) The swimming pool is near my house.  
(B) I often go swimming.  
(C) No, thanks. I have other plans.
- What's your hobby?  
(A) I paint watercolor pictures.  
(B) My mother likes to knit.  
(C) It's not my hobby.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) I've seen some great games advertised on the Internet. I want to buy a new computer game. But I don't have much money.
- (W) I know, they are so expensive, aren't they? But you don't need to pay out for a new game. Why don't you just copy one of mine?
- (M) I can't do that. It's illegal. I know a lot of people do it, but I would feel bad doing it.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) What are you doing this afternoon? Do you want to go to the horse races with me? I go about once a month, and I was thinking today is a nice day for it.
- (W) That's rather often. I didn't know you liked to gamble. Isn't it risky?
- (M) Oh, I never bet money. I just go for the exciting atmosphere. It's fun just watching the other people who go there.

### PART IV. Short Talks

Questions 1 through 3 refer to the following talk.

(W) My local recreation center offers some very interesting classes and activities. It's a little far from my home, but this year I've been taking a lot of classes. The last class I took was pottery. It sounds difficult, but it is a lot of fun. I wasn't very good at it, but I really enjoyed it. I managed to make a plate which I gave to my mother for her birthday. She now uses it at home almost every day. Next, I want to sign up for knitting. My father wears a lot of sweaters, so I want to knit a sweater for him. I think he'd like that. I won't tell him before I do it because I want it to be a surprise for him. His birthday is in December, so if I start classes in April I think I can finish in time.

Questions 4 through 6 refer to the following talk.

(M) Let me show you some of my pictures. I first took up photography as a hobby about ten years ago. I had to save up my allowance for two years because my parents refused to buy me a camera. They thought I was too young, you see. Anyway, I didn't get into it seriously until about three years ago. Now, I never go anywhere without my camera. I don't use a digital camera. I have thought about it, but I like the camera I already own because I like to use film. I take both black and white and color pictures, but I like the black and white ones better. I think they look more impressive. Even an ordinary object looks impressive in black and white. Photography is not a cheap hobby, but I enjoy being able to share my pictures with everyone.

## Chapter 3: PRACTICE TEST

### PART I. Picture Description

<Sample>

- (A) The woman is using a musical instrument.
  - (B) The woman is typing on a computer.
  - (C) The woman is playing a video game.
  - (D) The woman is sitting behind the table.
1. (A) The woman is watching a movie.  
(B) The woman is eating at a café.  
(C) The woman is buying something.  
(D) The woman is in a meeting.
  2. (A) The woman is listening to music.  
(B) The woman is filming something.  
(C) The woman is playing a computer game.  
(D) The woman is cleaning her glasses.
  3. (A) The vehicles are parked on the street.  
(B) The vehicles are parked next to each other.  
(C) The vehicles are in a garage.  
(D) The vehicles are all for sale.
  4. (A) The man is looking in the window.  
(B) The man is fixing the telephone.  
(C) The woman is looking at her watch.  
(D) The people are standing by the wall.
  5. (A) The bicycle is going fast.  
(B) The bicycle is near the hospital.  
(C) The bicycle has two people on it.  
(D) The bicycle is on the ground.
  6. (A) The man is talking on the telephone.  
(B) The man is relaxing in the park.  
(C) The man is cleaning the aisle.  
(D) The man is watering the plants.
  7. (A) The people are trying on jewelry.  
(B) The people are shopping in the store.  
(C) The people are waiting in line.  
(D) The people are outside the building.
  8. (A) The picture is on the wall.  
(B) The picture is in a museum.  
(C) The picture is not finished.  
(D) The picture is above the child.
  9. (A) The bird is eating seeds.  
(B) The bird is sitting on the fence.  
(C) The bird is building a nest.  
(D) The bird is flying to the tree.
  10. (A) The man is typing.  
(B) The people are making dinner.  
(C) The woman is painting the wall.  
(D) The woman is painting a picture.

### PART II. Questions and Responses

<Sample>

- How are you?  
(A) I'm fine, thank you.  
(B) I'm Dave.  
(C) I'm a police officer.
11. Did you get up early this morning?  
(A) I went to bed last night.  
(B) No, I got up late.  
(C) Yes, I had breakfast.
  12. How is your father?  
(A) He's 65 years old.  
(B) Yes, he is.  
(C) Not bad at all.
  13. What's new?  
(A) Nothing special.  
(B) I'm new here.  
(C) Fine, thanks.
  14. How have you been lately?  
(A) Pretty busy.  
(B) I got up late.  
(C) By subway.
  15. Did you call me yesterday?  
(A) Yes, I do.  
(B) Yes, I wanted to speak to you.  
(C) No, I wasn't there.
  16. What time does the meeting start?  
(A) It starts just fine.  
(B) In just a few minutes.  
(C) Yes, I'll be at the meeting.
  17. Did you go to the bank?  
(A) Sorry, I didn't mean to.  
(B) Yes, you can.  
(C) It's closed today.
  18. Where would you like to go for lunch?  
(A) No, thanks. I've had enough.  
(B) It doesn't matter.  
(C) Yes, I'm going.
  19. Have you read *The Minister's Son*?  
(A) No, but I've heard it's very good.  
(B) Of course you can borrow it.  
(C) I don't know him.
  20. How do you start the washing machine?  
(A) They're very expensive.  
(B) I don't have a washing machine.  
(C) Just wait, and I'll do it for you.

21. Can you come over after the show?  
 (A) I'd love to go to the show!  
 (B) That would be nice.  
 (C) Yes, I did.
22. Are you finished with that magazine?  
 (A) Just about.  
 (B) That will be \$1.25, please.  
 (C) Yes, I get it every month.
23. Is the cat sick?  
 (A) I don't have six cats.  
 (B) No, it's just sleeping.  
 (C) Yes, I agree.
24. Why did she cancel the trip?  
 (A) She loves to fly.  
 (B) No, she didn't.  
 (C) She has the flu.
25. When is the next train?  
 (A) 5 o'clock.  
 (B) Over there.  
 (C) It's going to Chicago.
26. Did your sister have her baby?  
 (A) Yes, she does.  
 (B) Not yet.  
 (C) She was a cute baby.
27. How long does the program last?  
 (A) No, it will be first.  
 (B) It's only an hour long.  
 (C) The program starts in 5 minutes.
28. Where does it hurt?  
 (A) Yes, very much.  
 (B) I don't think so.  
 (C) Above my knee.
29. Is this table OK for you?  
 (A) It's perfect.  
 (B) Yes, it's for me.  
 (C) That will be all.
30. Which bag is yours?  
 (A) No, it isn't.  
 (B) That one.  
 (C) I like this bag.
31. Who was absent from class today?  
 (A) They went out after class.  
 (B) I sent them to class.  
 (C) Only one student.
32. Do you still have that coffee maker?  
 (A) Sure, anytime.  
 (B) No, I sold it.  
 (C) No, thanks. I don't drink coffee.
33. How often do you go out to eat?  
 (A) Great! I'll pick you up at 7:00.  
 (B) Last Friday night.  
 (C) Every weekend.
34. Can you tell me where the bus stop is?  
 (A) I appreciate your help.  
 (B) Sorry, I'm from out of town.  
 (C) The next stop is Central Park.
35. What are the kids doing?  
 (A) They are doing well, thank you.  
 (B) I don't know. I think I'll go check on them.  
 (C) Yes, they did it.
36. Is the copy machine still broken?  
 (A) No, it was fixed this morning.  
 (B) Yes, I'll make some copies.  
 (C) Please take a break.
37. Why is the house so quiet?  
 (A) OK. I'll be quiet.  
 (B) Nobody is home.  
 (C) In the afternoons.
38. When are you going to the therapist?  
 (A) I am feeling better, thanks.  
 (B) He said there was no problem.  
 (C) Tomorrow morning.
39. Would you go outside to smoke?  
 (A) Yes, I can see the smoke.  
 (B) Of course.  
 (C) Usually after dinner.
40. Do you have to go so soon?  
 (A) I'm afraid so.  
 (B) Yes, you should.  
 (C) I left as soon as I could.

### PART III. Short Conversations

Questions 41 through 43 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Excuse me, I wonder if you could help me? I'm looking for a pair of hiking socks.  
 (W) This is lady's wear. Try the sports department. It's on the 7<sup>th</sup> floor. Just ask someone when you get there.  
 (M) Thanks. I'm not very good at shopping. I always get lost in large stores.

Questions 44 through 46 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) Don't be angry, but I'm afraid I have to work late at the office tonight. I'm really sorry.  
 (W) Oh, it's no problem. I can take the kids to the movie for you on the way to my computing class. I will have plenty of time because I have already finished my assignment.  
 (M) Thanks. This project came up at the last minute.

Questions 47 through 49 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Is it true? I heard that the mayor is closing the cheese factory. That'll mean a lot of people out of work and looking for a job.
- (M) Yes, well, not exactly. It is only temporary. There was a problem with the machinery, so they need to replace it for safety purposes.
- (W) Oh, I'm surprised. I thought it was going to be shut down for good.

Questions 50 through 52 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Why are your white bell-bottom pants on my chair? I thought I told you to keep your things in your room. I don't like it when you leave your things on my chair.
- (M) I stained them at the concert last night. Look, there's a big blue mark on them. Can you wash them for me?
- (W) That's the second time this week. Do them yourself. There's a bar of laundry soap in the kitchen.

Questions 53 through 55 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) It's been almost half an hour. And you said that he is usually on time?
- (M) Yeah, I don't understand. I've known Jim for three years, and he's always on time. I've never known him to be late before. I hope he's OK.
- (W) Well, let's give him a few more minutes, but then we really have to leave. The show begins at seven. I don't want to miss it.

Questions 56 through 58 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) I'm ready to go if you are. I'll just go start the car engine. Can you lock the front door?
- (W) Hey, why aren't you wearing the black shoes that I bought for you last week? I thought you liked them.
- (M) I did. I thought they were great, but they were a bit tight so I exchanged them. This pair is not as formal, but they are so much more comfortable.

Questions 59 through 61 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) The annual company picnic is on Saturday. We have booked a field on the Hatfield Farm Estate. I'm expecting about one hundred people to come.
- (W) I hope the weather is better this year. It poured with rain all day last year. No one had a good time. We got so wet.
- (M) The weather should be good. I've checked the forecast, and there is no rain expected this time. Anyway, bring a raincoat just in case.

Questions 62 through 64 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) What's the problem? Does it need a lot of work? I hope it won't be too expensive.
- (M) You need your muffler changed, and your tires need to be rotated. Everything else looks pretty good. It'll be a lot cheaper than last time.
- (W) I see. Well, when will it be ready? I need to use my car for my job, and I've a lot of work to do this week.

Questions 65 through 67 refer to the following conversation.

- (M) I saw your sister at the theater last week. She was there with some guy. I don't think she saw me.
- (W) Oh really? That's her new boyfriend. Did you find the movie as touching as she did? She said she cried the whole way through.
- (M) Touching? To be honest, it was so boring that I fell asleep halfway through. It was a total waste of money.

Questions 68 through 70 refer to the following conversation.

- (W) Excuse me. How can I get to City Hall? Is there a bus that goes there from here?
- (M) Yes. Bus 47 comes every half an hour. It stops right in front of City Hall. Or, if you are in a hurry, you can grab a taxi. It shouldn't be too expensive from here.
- (W) Well I have to be there in 15 minutes, so I guess I'm going to have to take a taxi. Thanks for your help.

## **PART IV. Short Talks**

Questions 71 through 73 refer to the following talk.

My parents are originally from Florida, but they moved to California 13 years ago. We live in San Francisco. My father loves California, but my mother still prefers Florida. All of her relatives are still there, and she worries about my grandmother who is getting old. She'd like to be able to take care of her. She wants to move back to Florida in about two years, after I graduate from university. I'll probably stay here. Florida no longer feels like home.

Questions 74 through 76 refer to the following announcement.

May I have your attention please? For the next twenty minutes, we'll be having a sale on dress shirts for men at 20 percent off the original price. All wool and silk ties are 20 percent off as well. In our shoe department, women's leather boots are half price. His and hers overalls are an incredible 40 percent off. These savings won't last, so please hurry. I am sorry to have to tell you that these offers are valid for only one purchase of each item per customer. This is to allow more of our customers the opportunity to purchase our quality goods at extra low prices. Thank you for your cooperation.

Questions 77 through 79 refer to the following notice. Due to the extremely cold temperatures, all public schools will be closing early this afternoon. This is to allow all students who live outside of town to arrive home safely before dark. Buses will begin running one hour earlier at 2 p.m. instead of their usual 3 p.m. time. Parents of students who live in town may pick up their children any time after 2 p.m. There will be special activities from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. in the gym for those students who do not go home early. We will keep this policy in force tomorrow as well. We will review the situation Wednesday morning. Please contact the school office if you have any questions.

Questions 80 through 82 refer to the following advertisement.

From the banks of the Red River comes an ancient secret to better health. The native peoples of the area have always known the dramatic cleansing effects of dried grapes on the digestive tract. This health giving food has kept them youthful looking and healthy for centuries. The same benefits are available today with Raisin-X. Produced using only the finest quality fruit, Raisin-X has concentrated cleansing power. Available in a liquid or easy-to-chew tablets. One spoonful or one tablet twice a day is all you need to experience the full benefits of Raisin-X. For a limited time, buy two month's supply of Raisin-X and get one month absolutely free!

Questions 83 through 85 refer to the following message. Thank you for calling the Blue Sky Agency. It is always our pleasure to serve you. Unfortunately, all our agents are busy at this time. We apologize for making you wait. For this month's tour specials, press one. For ticketing information, please press two. Press three to hear our location and business hours. Callers wishing to inquire about air mileage, please press four. If you wish to speak to an agent, please hold the line and your call will be taken shortly. Thank you again for calling. One of our agents will be with you shortly. Have a nice day.

Questions 86 through 88 refer to the following introduction.

Good evening ladies and gentlemen. Tonight's speaker is best-selling author and professional skateboarder, Rick Simonson. He might not be a familiar face to most of you, but Mr. Simonson's book, *Kick the Spit*, has motivated thousands of people from all walks of life to quit chewing tobacco. He himself gave up chewing tobacco five years ago, after 15 years of addiction. He just completed a month-long tour of the professional baseball spring training camps in Florida, encouraging young athletes not to develop harmful habits. Tonight, Mr. Simonson is here to share his strategies for dealing with addictive behavior and building overall strength. His ideas can be applied for all sorts of habits including smoking and drinking. Let's give a big hand for Rick Simonson.

Questions 89 through 91 refer to the following announcement.

Attention please. This is a special announcement for all Oak Park Sports Club members. We would like to inform you that our indoor basketball courts will be closed for repairs on Tuesday. This is to perform necessary maintenance work. They will be open again on Friday morning with a new improved surface and new nets. Until then, please feel free to use the outdoor courts. Bookings are not necessary for the outdoor courts. Also, the volleyball tournament scheduled for this week has been moved to Oak Park High School gym. The times and dates remain the same. Call our office for more information. Thank you.

Questions 92 through 94 refer to the following phone message.

Hello, Mike. This is Dr. Luther from the physics department. I wonder if you could give me a call when you get home. We need you to return the equipment that you borrowed from the lab last week. Another student needs it to perform an experiment in an important exam on Wednesday, and we need to check that everything is in perfect condition. Please drop it off at the office tomorrow morning. Also, a large number of knobs and dials are missing from the parts room. If you know anything about this, please call me at home. My number is 344-7979. Thank you. I'll be at home all evening. Don't worry about the time, even if it is past midnight. I will be staying up all night to work on my new book.

Questions 95 through 97 refer to the following announcement.

Ladies and gentlemen, we will be arriving at Graceland in just a few minutes. When you get off the bus, please proceed immediately to ticket gate number 4 and wait for your tour guide, Mr. Murray. He will accompany you on your tour of the estate. Mr. Murray is very knowledgeable about Graceland and will share some very interesting facts and information with you. Do not leave any valuables on the bus. If you wish to leave anything behind, please inform the driver and he will put it in the cargo area underneath. The bus will be leaving at 6:00 p.m. Please be back in the loading area no later than 5:45 to assure a prompt departure. Thank you and enjoy Graceland.

Questions 98 through 100 refer to the following order.

Yes, I'd like to have 10 balloons delivered to Charlie's International School. They are for Matt and Elle on the 6<sup>th</sup> floor, room 2. The note should read, "Congratulations on your engagement! From all of us here at Daelim Motors." The school closes at 5:30 p.m., so I'd like them delivered this afternoon by 4:00 p.m. if possible. My Name? Yes, it's Tracey Kim. My credit card number is 1889-340-34527. The expiry date is October 2005, and that's a Visa card. Oh, could you make five of the balloons red and five of them silver. I think that would look nice. Thank you.