

Listening Jump

for better speaking

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UNIT

01

Places

WARM-UP C

1 Track 1 00:43

M Where is the house?

W It is next to the store.

2 Track 2 00:12

B Why can't you play with us?

G I promised my mom I'd help her.

3 Track 3 00:11

M Are you excited to go shopping?

W I can't wait.

BUILD-UP A

Track 4 02:56

W Hey, Daniel. How are you?

M Hi, Terri. I'm fine. I just moved into a new place.

W Congratulations. Is it a house or an apartment?

M A house. It has a big backyard, and it is next to the water. Why don't you come and see it?

W I'd love to! What's your address?

M 16 Oak Street. The house is green and white.

W 16. Got it! How about tomorrow night?

M Sounds good.

BUILD-UP B

1 What did the man do?

- (A) Got a new job
- (B) Changed homes
- (C) Looked at the water
- (D) Bought a dress

2 What does the man ask the woman to do?

- (A) Visit his house
- (B) Help him move
- (C) Buy an apartment
- (D) Make him dinner

3 What does the man tell the woman about the house?

- (A) He tells her the price.
- (B) He tells her the number of rooms.
- (C) He tells her the color.
- (D) He tells her the phone number.

LISTENING TASKS A

Track 5 01:00

W The next house to see is in the country.

M Is this bigger than the last house?

W Yes, it is. It has three bedrooms and two bathrooms.

M That's plenty of room.

W There's also a deck in the backyard. The front yard has a garden.

M A garden? My wife loves flowers! Does it have a garage?

W Yes. It has a two-car garage.

M That's great. I have two cars!

LISTENING TASKS B

Track 6 00:57

M Are you free on Saturday? I have tickets to a concert.

W I'm sorry, but I promised to help Karla move.

M That's too bad. Where is she moving?

W She has an apartment on Brown Street.

M What time are you helping her? I can help, and then we can go to the concert.

W I will go to her house by ten o'clock.

M All right. I'll meet you there. What's the address?

W It's 44 Red Street.

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

Track 7 00:49

W Let's have the party at my house. I have a big-screen TV and a huge backyard.

M Let's have it at mine. It's larger, and I've got a pool.

W OK. Where do you live?

- M On Brown Street. The address is 51 Brown Street.
- W That sounds great. My cousin lives on Brown Street. It's next to the river.
- M I can't wait for this weekend. The party will be great!

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

🎧 Track 8 ⌚ 00:51

- W I love to visit my grandfather's house because it makes me feel warm and safe. It is light blue with a white roof. It is in the country. It is next to a lake. It smells like coffee all the time. When I smell coffee, I think of my grandfather. My grandfather's house also has a beautiful garden. I can sit on the deck and watch my grandfather in the garden. He loves his vegetables. He always has fresh tomatoes to eat.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

🎧 Track 9 ⌚ 00:36

- M Do you like the water park?
- W I love the water park. It's my favorite place! It has many water slides.
- M They have a new one. It's really fast.
- W Yeah, it's called the Tornado.
- M That sounds like fun. What else do you like?
- W I like the wave pool and the hot tubs!
- M Not me! The hot tubs are too hot in summer!

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 10 ⌚ 00:48

- M Some places in the world are very hot. Ethiopia is a very hot country. It has a very high average temperature. It is about 34.4 degrees. That's hot. Some places are very cold. Antarctica is very cold. The temperature there is minus 80 degrees. That is really cold! In 1983, Antarctica had the coldest temperature: minus 89.2 degrees. Nobody can live in a place like that!

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 11 ⌚ 00:38

- W Hey, Donald, look at this.
- M Let me see. Wow! That's a really big house!
- W It has over 500 bedrooms and 200 bathrooms!
- M It also has five swimming pools.
- W The garage has over 100 cars in it.
- M Who owns it?
- W It's owned by a king. He's really rich.
- M How many people live in it?
- W I don't know. Probably a lot!

UNIT 02 Health

WARM-UP C

- 1 🎧 Track 12 ⌚ 00:28
- M How did you feel after jogging so far?
- W I was tired.
- 2 🎧 Track 13 ⌚ 00:12
- M Why is meat good for us?
- W It has a lot of protein.
- 3 🎧 Track 14 ⌚ 00:11
- M Why don't you like cats?
- W I'm allergic to them.

BUILD-UP A

🎧 Track 15 ⌚ 02:36

- M Hi, Beth. Why are you wearing running clothes?
- W Oh, hi, Brian. My doctor wants me to exercise. I'm jogging to lose weight.
- M I'm a little out of shape myself. Maybe I should try it, too.
- W It is good for your waistline.
- M Can I join you tomorrow?
- W Sure. You can raise your heart rate.
- M That worries me. I can only run for a few minutes. Then I get tired.
- W Don't worry. A little sweat doesn't hurt.

BUILD-UP B

- 1 What is the woman wearing?
(A) Swimming clothes
(B) Skating clothes
(C) Running clothes
(D) Dancing clothes
- 2 What does the woman's doctor want her to do?
(A) Exercise
(B) Wait for him
(C) Get lost
(D) Go on a diet
- 3 What is the man worried about?
(A) Sweating too much
(B) Wearing the right clothes
(C) Getting too tired
(D) Seeing the doctor

LISTENING TASKS A

 Track 16  00:59

- W Are you new?
M No, this is my third class. How about you?
W This is my first class. I want to have a smaller waistline.
M That's why I'm here, too.
W But exercising is hard.
M I know what you mean. I sweat so much.
W Do you want to quit already?
M No way! This class is great for my health.

LISTENING TASKS B

 Track 17  00:47

- M What's wrong, Tanya? Your eyes are watery.
W I have watery eyes and a cough because of Ms. Purdue's cat, Leon.
M Don't you like cats?
W Well, he jumped up on me while I was asleep. I woke up coughing.
M I think you're allergic to cats.

- W I think so, too. I also feel dizzy.
M Well, don't sleep with cats anymore.

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

 Track 18  00:46

- M Doctor, I don't know what's wrong with me. I feel tired all of the time.
W How much do you weigh?
M I think I weigh about 68 kilograms.
W Actually, you weigh more than 110 kilograms.
M Wow. That's a lot. I guess I'm overweight now.
W I think it's time for you to get some exercise.
M I guess I should.

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

 Track 19  00:44

- M Many people are allergic to many things. This means that some foods make certain people sick. Peanuts are full of protein. Protein is in meat and gives us strength. Some people's bodies don't like these proteins. They are allergic to peanuts. If they eat peanuts, they get skin problems and stomach problems. They might even have trouble breathing. Peanuts can seriously hurt some people.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

 Track 20  00:43

- M Welcome to Fun Fitness, Mrs. Sanders. We are glad to see you.
W Well, my husband thinks I'm fat.
M Oh, that's not true. Your waistline is fine. We can help you get in shape in a few weeks.
W I hope so. Do you also give advice on diets here?
M Of course. A good fitness program includes a good diet program. We can give you some good tips.
W That sounds great.

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 21 ⌚ 00:46

W Exercise is a great way to start to lose weight. But exercise by itself is not enough. It takes a lot of exercise to burn up even a little fat. A lot of people quit too soon. If you really want to lose weight, you should mix exercise with a good diet. Healthy food and exercise will help you. Then you will not be too tired or too hungry. And you will lose weight!

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 22 ⌚ 00:40

M Donna, what's wrong? Your face is covered with sweat.
W I feel a little dizzy. I'll be fine in a minute.
M I think you should go to a doctor.
W Oh, no. I'll be fine. I think it was those nuts I ate.
M Nuts? Can nuts hurt you?
W I think I'm allergic to them. But I'm feeling better now, so I'll be OK.
M If you are allergic to nuts, I think you'd better go to the doctor right away.

UNIT 03 Food

WARM-UP C

1 🎧 Track 23 ⌚ 00:29

M What kind of apples do stores sell?
W They usually sell red ones.

2 🎧 Track 24 ⌚ 00:11

M What are you going to make?
W A dessert.

3 🎧 Track 25 ⌚ 00:12

M Why do you like nuts so much?
W They are delicious.

BUILD-UP A

🎧 Track 26 ⌚ 02:34

W Oh, I love this restaurant.
M Me, too. I usually come here every week.
W Well, thanks for dinner. This food is really expensive.
M You're welcome. You deserve a good birthday dinner.
W I really appreciate it.
M Anyway, how's your steak?
W I think it's the best steak ever!
M The steaks are good here. I'm full, but I still want some dessert. They have the best cheesecake in town.

BUILD-UP B

- 1 What are they eating?
(A) Chicken
(B) Pizza
(C) Spaghetti
(D) Steak
- 2 Why are they at the restaurant?
(A) It's the man's birthday.
(B) It's lunchtime.
(C) It's the woman's birthday.
(D) It's a holiday dinner.
- 3 What will the man and woman order next?
(A) Cheese
(B) Cheesecake
(C) Chocolate cake
(D) Steak

LISTENING TASKS A

🎧 Track 27 ⌚ 00:59

W Here's your pizza. Enjoy your meal.
M Wait! This is the wrong pizza.
W Oh, I'm so sorry. What's wrong with it?
M I wanted half of it with mushrooms, ham, and peppers. The other half was ham and

mushrooms. But this only has ham and mushrooms on it.

- W I see. I can take it back to the kitchen and add peppers to one half.
- M Will it take long? I'm really hungry.
- W Just five minutes. I'll have it right out for you.

LISTENING TASKS B

 Track 28  00:46

- M Megan, where are you going?
- W I have to go to the store.
- M What are you going to get?
- W I'm making a dessert for a party.
- M What ingredients do you need?
- W Well, I don't know what to make yet.
- M We have extra cherries. You could make a cherry pie.
- W That's a good idea!

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

 Track 29  00:49

- W What can I get for you today, sir?
- M Hmm . . . I'd like a hamburger and fries.
- W Would you like our lunch special? It's a burger, fries, and a soda for \$5.00.
- M That sounds great, but I don't like soda. I like milk better. Can I get milk?
- W I'm not sure. I'm a new employee.
- M Well, can you ask someone?
- W Of course. My manager's right over there by the cash register. I'll be right back.

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

 Track 30  00:41

- W Popcorn is a very old snack food. In fact, scientists think it is 80,000 years old. Popcorn comes from a vegetable that has a small yellow or white seed. The seed is dried. It is then very hard. When you heat the seeds, they pop. Popcorn is very popular at movie theaters. People can also make it at home in a microwave.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

 Track 31  00:43

- B Mom, can Michael stay for dinner?
- W I already started cooking. I'm making fish. Does Michael like fish?
- B Sure! Can I help make dinner?
- W Look in the freezer. Do we have any more fish?
- B Um, no, we're all out.
- W Well, let's order a pizza instead.
- B What about the fish?
- W I'll eat it for lunch tomorrow. Why don't you order the pizza?
- B OK! Thanks, Mom.

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

 Track 32  00:47

- M An apple can be red or green although it is usually red. Maybe you have seen apples on trees in the country. However, most apples are grown on farms. Apples are delicious snacks, and they are healthy. They can also be an ingredient in different foods. You can use them to make drinks and pies. You can cut them into slices and eat them with dip.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

 Track 33  00:45

- W Alex, you look sick.
- M I don't feel very good.
- W What did you have for lunch?
- M Three pieces of cheese bread and five slices of pizza.
- W That's a lot of food.
- M That's not all. I also ate two cups of ice cream.
- W I know what can make you feel better.
- M What is it?
- W I have some ginger tea. That always settles my stomach.

Review 1

Dialogs B

1 🎧 Track 34 ⌚ 00:45

- M Where is one place that you want to go, Mary?
- W I really want to go to Hawaii. I want to learn how to surf!
- M That sounds great! The weather is very nice in Hawaii.
- W Yes, the temperature is usually between 20 and 30 degrees.
- M Wow! I'm sure you can't wait to go one day!

2 🎧 Track 35 ⌚ 00:33

- W Hey, Tim! Are you feeling OK?
- M I can't stop sneezing. I'm allergic to my new puppy.
- W Oh, no! Your health is most important. Do you know anyone who wants a dog?
- M Well, my sister loves dogs. I know she would like a new puppy.
- W Good idea. You can always get a new pet. How about a fish?

3 🎧 Track 36 ⌚ 00:32

- W I'm so full! I can't eat another bite!
- M Are you sure you don't want any dessert? The chocolate cake here is delicious.
- W I'm trying to eat healthy food these days. I am watching my waistline.
- M You don't need to lose any weight! You look great!
- W Thanks, Max. Let's get one piece of cake and share it!

4 🎧 Track 37 ⌚ 00:31

- M I am so tired lately, but I can't sleep. What should I do?
- W I think you are just stressed. Why don't you start exercising? It helps with stress.
- M I know, but the gym is so expensive.

- W What about jogging outside? It's free!
- M That's a great idea! Thanks for your help, Sarah.

5 🎧 Track 38 ⌚ 00:34

- W Hey, Tom, are you going to the party tonight?
- M Yes, I have to go because I'm playing the music.
- W Do you know the address of the place? I forgot to write it down.
- M Sure, it's 447 Market Street. We will be on the deck in the backyard. The party starts around eight o'clock.
- W Great, see you tonight!

Descriptive English C

🎧 Track 39 ⌚ 00:51

- W I can't wait to start this new cooking class. I will soon be making the healthiest food in town!
- M And I'm excited because I get to eat the delicious food you make!
- W (*laughing*) I hope we learn to cook with fresh ingredients and different kinds of meat.
- M That's great, Jill! I need to eat more meat to get extra protein in my diet.
- W Cooking healthy meals will also help your waistline, Mike!
- M That's true! I think I need to lose some weight.

Statistical Information D

🎧 Track 40 ⌚ 00:56

- M You look great, Jane! What have you been doing?
- W I started exercising about four months ago. I feel great!
- M I was going to the gym, too, but I quit when I wasn't losing weight.
- W Well, it takes time. I only lost six pounds in the first month and eight pounds in the

second month. After three months, I had lost fifteen pounds! And this month I lost another five pounds.

- M Wow! I'm so proud of you. Your waistline is so small now!
- W Thanks! It takes a lot of work, but it's worth it to feel healthy!

UNIT 04 Nature

WARM-UP C

- 1 Track 41 00:29
- M Should we visit the art museum this weekend?
- W That sounds interesting.
- 2 Track 42 00:13
- M What are you watching on TV?
- W A show about dangerous animals.
- 3 Track 43 00:13
- M Do you want to go hiking?
- W Sure. It's especially nice out today.

BUILD-UP A

- Track 44 03:06
- M I feel lazy today.
- W Let's go outside. It's a beautiful day. We can enjoy the sun!
- M OK, but I don't know what to do.
- W Well, we can go for a hike. There are many paths in the woods.
- M That sounds interesting! I have a new camera. I can take pictures of birds.
- W Good idea. I can wear my new hiking boots.
- M Don't forget to put some sunscreen on. It's really sunny outside.
- W OK, I won't.

BUILD-UP B

- 1 Why does the woman want to go outside?
(A) Because it's her birthday

- (B) Because the weather is nice
(C) Because she needs more exercise
(D) Because she likes to watch birds

- 2 What will the man take pictures of?
(A) Paths
(B) Trees
(C) Birds
(D) Beetles
- 3 What will the woman do?
(A) Look for pants
(B) Wear a jacket
(C) Put on sunscreen
(D) Buy hiking boots

LISTENING TASKS A

- Track 45 01:03
- G What is your project about?
- B It's about the mountains in Antarctica.
- G Mountains in Antarctica? Aren't there only glaciers in Antarctica?
- B Actually, there are glaciers on the mountains.
- G There are mountains under the snow?
- B Yes. There are about four kilometers of snow over the mountains.
- G That's interesting.
- B Do you know what else is interesting? The mountains in Antarctica are really, really tall.
- G Your project sounds cool.
- B Ha ha. Very funny.

LISTENING TASKS B

- Track 46 00:52
- B Hi, Megan. I missed class. Can I borrow your science notes?
- G Sure, here you go.
- B Thanks. What did I miss?
- G We learned that earthquakes can cause big waves.

- B Wow. That sounds really interesting.
- G Nature is very powerful.
- B Yeah, it really is. Things like earthquakes, volcanoes, and hurricanes are really cool.
- G They sure are! Don't miss class again!

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

🎧 Track 47 ⌚ 00:54

- G Hey, Ben. What is your essay about?
- B I'm not sure yet. The topic is nature, right?
- G Right, but that's hard. There are many things in nature.
- B Well, weather is part of nature. I can write my essay on extreme weather.
- G Do you mean storms and heat waves?
- B Yeah, things like that. You can write your paper on global warming.
- G I think many students will write about that topic. Maybe I can write about the melting glaciers instead.
- B Great idea!

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

🎧 Track 48 ⌚ 00:43

- W There are fewer than 1,000 mountain gorillas left. About half live in Africa. They live in forests and mountains. Mountain gorillas live together in groups. Each group has a leader. The leader is called a silverback. Mountain gorillas eat plants, fruit, and roots. They are very big gorillas.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

🎧 Track 49 ⌚ 00:54

- B Mom, can I go camping this weekend?
- W Camping in the woods isn't very safe.
- B It'll be OK. We are going with Brian's dad. He's going to take us fishing, too.
- W Hmm. Let me think about it. The woods are dangerous at night.
- B We'll be careful. I promise. And it's only for one night.

- W Well, OK. I'll call Brian's dad for details.
- B Thanks, Mom. You're the best!
- W Oh, one more thing. Pack your insect spray!

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 50 ⌚ 00:39

- G Look at this cool insect. What is it?
- B It looks like a beetle.
- G Wow! It's very big. Can I touch it?
- B Maybe you shouldn't. It might bite.
- G Hey, look! It has wings, too. It's a flying beetle.
- B Beetles are interesting. Some can fly, and some can even swim!
- G Well, let's leave it in the garden.
- B Let's finish watering the flowers and plants.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 51 ⌚ 00:47

- W Mount Everest is the highest mountain in the world. It is over 8,800 meters high! It is between Nepal and China. Sir Edmund Hillary and his guide were the first people to climb to the top of the mountain. Climbing Mount Everest is very dangerous. Many climbers take guides with them for safety. Climbers need to be prepared and experienced. That is especially true for climbing Mount Everest!

UNIT 05 Fashion

WARM-UP C

- 1 🎧 Track 52 ⌚ 00:28
 - G What do you wear to school?
 - B I wear a uniform.
- 2 🎧 Track 53 ⌚ 00:14
 - M What is an item of clothing that a man wears around his neck?

W A necktie.

3 Track 54 00:15

M Don't you think those pants are a little too big?

W Yes, they're practically falling off me!

BUILD-UP A

Track 55 02:48

W So? What do you think?

M I think your new haircut looks nice.

W I do not have a new haircut! I have a new dress.

M Oh, I see. It's a nice dress.

W That's all you have to say? My dress is just nice? It's terrific!

M I think the color is pretty. Blue is my favorite color.

W The dress isn't blue! It's purple. I think you need glasses!

BUILD-UP B

1 What is the woman wearing?

- (A) A hat
- (B) A dress
- (C) Shoes
- (D) Her haircut

2 How does the woman describe her new dress?

- (A) Terrific
- (B) Nice
- (C) Ugly
- (D) Pretty

3 What color does the man think the dress is?

- (A) Blue
- (B) Red
- (C) Purple
- (D) Green

LISTENING TASKS A

Track 56 01:06

W What is wrong with your pants?

B Nothing. Why? Are they ugly?

W No, they're not ugly. Your pants are hanging too low. They are practically falling off.

B They are not falling off! This is the style. They just look like they are falling off.

W You are not in style. You are undressed. Pull your pants up!

LISTENING TASKS B

Track 57 01:07

G1 Cathy, let's go shopping tomorrow. I need new school clothes!

G2 I don't need any school clothes. I wear a uniform at my school.

G1 Oh, that is boring! I hate uniforms!

G2 Well, we can also wear jewelry, scarves, and hats. Some of the girls make their uniforms look very fashionable.

G1 Come shopping with me. We will get you some great accessories for your uniform!

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

Track 58 00:51

M1 I can't believe we have to wear neckties to work. I hate ties.

M2 Me, too. They are pointless. They just hang around our necks.

M1 We don't work at a bank. Why do we need ties to sell cars?

M2 Maybe if we look nice, people will buy more cars from us.

M1 I hope so. I need the money to pay for my new ties!

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

Track 59 00:44

W Do you see that girl?

M The one by the birthday cake? Yes, I see her. Why?

- W She is wearing the same dress I am wearing!
 M Is that a problem?
 W It's horrible! What should I do? I want to leave the party!
 M It is too late to leave the party. Judy is going to open her gifts. You look better than that other girl in the dress anyway!

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

🎧 Track 60 ⌚ 00:44

- B Mom, I need some new shoes.
 W What is wrong with the shoes you have?
 B These are jogging shoes. I need running shoes.
 W Why can't you run in jogging shoes? Jogging is slow running.
 B No. I can't run in these shoes. That's horrible! I need the same running shoes my friends have.
 W Fine. I will drive you to the shoe store, but you are paying for the shoes!

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 61 ⌚ 00:48

- W Everyone needs clothes, but some clothing is more fun than functional. Maybe you are in style wearing gloves without fingers, but they don't protect your fingers on a cold day. A thin scarf is pretty with a dress, but it doesn't keep your shoulders warm. A short skirt is cute, but it is hard to sit in. Sometimes, you have to choose clothing based on more than looks.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 62 ⌚ 00:55

- M In America, uniforms are more popular in schools these days. In 2000, 12 percent of schools had uniforms. In 2003, it was almost 14 percent. In 2008, about 18 percent of schools in America had student uniforms. Still, almost 80 percent of schools do not have uniforms. Of course, these schools

have rules about clothes students can wear. This is a "dress code."

UNIT 06 Holidays

WARM-UP C

- 1 🎧 Track 63 ⌚ 00:28
 M What did you do on Christmas Day?
 W We exchanged gifts.
 2 🎧 Track 64 ⌚ 00:15
 M What do American people do on the 4th of July?
 W They celebrate Independence Day.
 3 🎧 Track 65 ⌚ 00:12
 M Why is he dressed like a pirate?
 W It's his Halloween costume.

BUILD-UP A

🎧 Track 66 ⌚ 03:39

- W Let's go shopping. I need to buy Christmas gifts for my parents.
 M What will you buy?
 W I'm not sure yet. My dad likes outdoor things. My mom likes indoor things.
 M Does your family always give each other gifts?
 W Sure. We go to my parents' house. We eat a big meal and sit in front of the fire. Then we exchange gifts. It's great.
 M Spending time together is the best part of Christmas.
 W I agree, but my parents still like presents.
 M Well, then we need to go shopping.

BUILD-UP B

- 1 What does the woman need to do?
 (A) Buy a birthday present for her mom
 (B) Buy a Christmas present for her brother
 (C) Buy Christmas presents for her parents
 (D) Buy outdoor supplies for her vacation

- 2 What does the woman do on Christmas Day?
- (A) She goes to her grandparents' house.
 (B) She goes to her sister's house.
 (C) She stays home by herself.
 (D) She goes to her parents' house.
- 3 What does the man think?
- (A) Food is the best part of Christmas.
 (B) Traveling is the best part of Christmas.
 (C) Spending time together is the best part of Christmas.
 (D) Being alone is the best part of Christmas.

LISTENING TASKS A

Track 67 01:07

- G How was school today?
- B Great. Today was Cinco de Mayo, so we played a game in Spanish class.
- G That sounds interesting. What did you play?
- B We had a piñata. It was a horse made out of paper. The teacher hung the paper horse from the ceiling. Then we put on blindfolds and tried to hit the piñata with a stick.
- G What was inside the paper horse?
- B Lots of candy.
- G So, what is Cinco de Mayo about?
- B May 5th is the day Mexico won an important battle against the French army.

LISTENING TASKS B

Track 68 01:12

- G Every fall, Korea has a harvest festival. It is called Chuseok. It is a very important holiday. On this day, everyone goes to their hometowns. They spend time with their families. They wear traditional clothing. They usually eat a special kind of rice cake, too. I like this day because I get to see all of my family, and we don't go to school. This holiday is interesting because it uses a

calendar based on the moon, so the day is always different.

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

Track 69 00:48

- M What are you doing?
- W I'm getting ready for the New Year's Eve party.
- M What do people do on New Year's Eve?
- W We wait until midnight.
- M Is that it?
- W We count from ten to one. Then, we cheer. Some people even kiss each other.
- M What do you do after midnight?
- W People go to bed after midnight. Or they discuss their plans for the next year.
- M What a nice holiday.

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

Track 70 00:42

- W Are you ready for the Halloween Party?
- M Yes! My costume is ready. I'm a pirate. What is your costume?
- W I don't dress up for Halloween.
- M Why not?
- W In New Zealand, most people don't care about Halloween. It isn't popular.
- M I didn't know that. I always dress up. I love it.
- W Canadians seem to love Halloween.
- M Yes, we do. Everyone is going to the party. You can come without a costume.
- W I think I will.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

Track 71 01:01

- B My favorite holiday is Valentine's Day. On this day, men give chocolate and flowers to women. This is a special day for many people. They might even go out for a nice dinner. Children give each other Valentine's Day cards. Sometimes, they give each other

chocolate. You can see hearts everywhere, and the colors are pink and red. I like all of the candy on this day, but I don't like going to school. No one gets this holiday off.

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

 Track 72  00:52

- W I watched a TV show about Carnival. It's a holiday in Brazil. The costumes and dancing were wonderful.
- M Yes, it's a big festival every year. Do you want to go?
- W I don't know. I don't like big crowds.
- M Most people go the first week. Carnival is forty days long, you know.
- W That's right.
- M Then, go during the last week. You'll have a good time.
- W I think you're right.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

 Track 73  00:42

- B What do you do on Thanksgiving?
- G My family stays home and eats turkey and stuffing.
- B Does anyone visit?
- G Yes. My relatives come to my house for Thanksgiving dinner.
- B My family goes to my grandfather's house.
- G My aunt helps my mom cook. My uncles watch sports on TV.
- B What do you do?
- G I play video games with my cousins and eat good food.
- B Sounds like a great Thanksgiving.

Review 2

Dialogs B

1  Track 74  00:56

- M Hey, Meg. I don't know what to wear to my cousin's wedding. Can you help me?

W Sure, Dan. I think you'd look terrific in a dark blue suit with smart shoes.

M Does that mean I have to wear a necktie?

W Yes! Weddings have a dress code, you know. I'll pick out a nice necktie for you. You'll also need a haircut and perhaps some accessories.

M Hmm! Getting ready for a wedding sounds like hard work!

2  Track 75  00:41

W Hey, Chris, what are you doing for the holiday?

M I'm going camping with some friends. I hope the weather will be nice.

W Yes, I saw the weather forecast. It will be very hot. Make sure you put on a lot of sunscreen.

M Don't worry, I will! I also need to bring my bug spray. I don't want to get bitten!

W Well, have fun. Unfortunately, I don't get the day off.

3  Track 76  00:32

M New Year's Eve is boring. What are you doing this year?

W I'm celebrating it at a new restaurant. Do you want to come to the party?

M It sounds like it'll be a fun night. I'd love to join you, but maybe I should spend time with my family at home.

W Why don't you ask them to come to the party, too?

M Good idea!

4  Track 77  00:33

W Do you want to go hiking this weekend?

M Sure! Where should we go?

W How about Dragon Mountain?

M Do you mean the one with the big glacier? I'm not sure about that. I think our parents would be worried about our safety.

W You're right. Maybe that's too dangerous. Let's just go hiking on the trails along the river instead.

5 🎧 Track 78 ⌚ 00:38

- M I want to be Batman for Halloween! What costume are you wearing?
- W I don't celebrate Halloween. I think it's boring to dress up.
- M No, it's not! It's fun if you dress up and hang out with your friends.
- W But I look horrible in costumes. I feel silly when I put one on.
- M We'll find you a great costume this year. It'll be the best Halloween yet!

Descriptive English C

🎧 Track 79 ⌚ 00:52

- M I want to celebrate Valentine's Day with you.
- W Hmm, so are we going to exchange chocolates again?
- M No, I already got you something more terrific. Take off your blindfold.
- W (*gasp*) Wow! What a surprise! It's that necklace we saw in the shop!
- M Yes. I knew you liked that diamond one.
- W And that jewel in the center is so beautiful!
- M I thought it matches your green eyes.
- W It's terrific! This is the best present ever!

Statistical Information D

🎧 Track 80 ⌚ 00:51

- W Hi, Ben. I love your new clothing store. The fashion is great!
- M Thanks, Jess! I'm really excited about having my own store.
- W A lot of stores closed last month in September, but yours is doing really well.
- M Yes! Sales went up 20 percent this month. Last month they were up 10 percent.
- W And I'm sure sales will keep going up because of the holiday season.
- M I'm hoping they go up 35 percent in November and 50 percent in December.
- W That's great!

UNIT 07 Work

WARM-UP C

1 🎧 Track 81 ⌚ 00:27

- M What is the problem?
- W I don't like my current job.

2 🎧 Track 82 ⌚ 00:11

- M What does he do?
- W He is an architect.

3 🎧 Track 83 ⌚ 00:11

- M What are you doing?
- W I'm thinking about dinner.

BUILD-UP A

🎧 Track 84 ⌚ 03:13

- W How's your new house?
- M It's great. The builders did a great job on it.
- W You're an architect, right? Did you design the house?
- M I did. I made all the drawings.
- W Did you build it?
- M No, architects don't put buildings together. They make the drawings for the construction workers.
- W It must be nice to live in your dream house.
- M It's perfect. Everything is where I want it to be.
- W Did you help with the building at all?
- M No, but I did decorate the house.

BUILD-UP B

- 1 What are the man and the woman discussing?
(A) The man's new house
(B) The woman's new house
(C) The man's new job
(D) The woman's decorations
- 2 What is the man's job?
(A) He is a builder.

- (B) He is an architect.
- (C) He is a construction worker.
- (D) He is a decorator.

- 3 What did the man make?
- (A) The construction materials
 - (B) The decorations for the house
 - (C) The drawings for the house
 - (D) The woman's house

LISTENING TASKS A

 Track 85  01:04

- M Have you met our new neighbor?
- W Yes, I talked to him last night.
- M What does he do?
- W I don't know. I think he works in an office.
- M Why do you think that?
- W I saw him leave his house this morning. He was wearing a suit and necktie.
- M A suit doesn't mean he works in an office. He could be a teacher.
- W Maybe. Next time I see him, I'll ask what he does.

LISTENING TASKS B

 Track 86  00:59

- W What are you doing in the cabinet?
- M I'm fixing the sink. It needs a new pipe.
- W I see. Do you know what to do?
- M I'm not sure. This is more difficult than it looks.
- W Why don't you call a plumber? Fixing pipes is their job.
- M I want to save some money.
- W You might hurt yourself. You should call a plumber.
- M That's a good idea.
- W I'll find the phone number.

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

 Track 87  00:43

- M Hi, Kate. What's wrong with the TV?
- W It doesn't work. I'm waiting on the repairman. He can fix it.
- M You can't fix it yourself?
- W I tried. It's too hard for me.
- M Did you plug it in?
- W Yes, I did. I tried everything.
- M Well, let me wait with you.

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

 Track 88  00:49

- M Jobs can be boring, exciting, or scary. One job is called a "skywalker." It is a scary job. Skywalkers help build tall buildings. They work very high above the ground. They walk on narrow pieces of steel called beams. A skywalker always looks straight ahead and never down. Accidents are common. Many skywalkers die every year. That is why skywalkers are paid a lot of money.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

 Track 89  00:47

- W If you like dogs, you can be a dog walker. Yes, it is a real job. Dog walkers walk 15 to 20 dogs every day. They are paid about \$25.00 per hour. But dog walkers love dogs and don't care about the money. They also love walking, running, and being outside. Dog walkers have to be responsible. Dog walkers need to keep the dogs safe and take them home.

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

 Track 90  00:47

- M Hi, Mary. What are you doing?
- W I'm trying to choose an interesting job.
- M That can be difficult.
- W Tell me about it. I've been thinking about it for weeks.

- M It took me months to decide to become a lawyer.
- W Really? I don't know what I want to be.
- M Which jobs sound interesting to you?
- W I want to be a singer or an actress.
- M Really? I didn't know you liked to be on stage.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

Track 91 00:53

- M I think teachers have the perfect job.
- W I don't know. They have to grade tests and papers every day.
- M Yes, but they also get long vacations.
- W True, but what about all of that work? It can be tiring.
- M Yes, but students are fun, and teachers can rest during the summer vacations.
- W I wish every job had long vacations.
- M True! Don't you have vacation next week?
- W Yes, but it's only for a week.
- M Well, enjoy your time off.

UNIT 08 Sports

WARM-UP C

- 1 Track 92 00:29
- M What is a popular sport in America?
- W Baseball is popular.
- 2 Track 93 00:11
- M What did you think of last night's game?
- W It was awesome.
- 3 Track 94 00:12
- M Why don't you want to play anymore?
- W I stink at this sport.

BUILD-UP A

Track 95 02:53

- G What sport are you watching?

- B It's football. Well, it's American football.
- G Why is it called American football?
- B Soccer is called football in most of the world, except America.
- G This doesn't look anything like soccer. They're not kicking the ball.
- B That's true. They wear helmets and pads. They also throw the ball and catch it. They only kick the ball sometimes.
- G Football's a silly name for this sport.

BUILD-UP B

- 1 What is the boy watching?
- (A) Fishing
- (B) Soccer
- (C) American football
- (D) Kickball
- 2 What is the other name for soccer?
- (A) American soccer
- (B) Football
- (C) American football
- (D) European soccer
- 3 What do American football players wear?
- (A) Hats and gloves
- (B) Hats and pads
- (C) Helmets and pads
- (D) Helmets and gloves

LISTENING TASKS A

Track 96 01:05

- B1 Do you want to play baseball after school?
- B2 No, thanks. It takes too long to play, and I don't have enough time today. I have to be home by four.
- B1 Well, what can we do until four?
- B2 I have an idea. We can play some basketball. We can play one-on-one. We can play a couple of quick games.
- B1 All right! I'll see you after school for some basketball!

LISTENING TASKS B

🎧 Track 97 ⌚ 00:59

- M Do you want to go swimming tomorrow?
W I can't. I have tennis lessons. I need to practice my swing. It stinks.
M You don't even like tennis! Why are you taking lessons?
W Well, I like the cute clothes! Plus I need to exercise. Besides, maybe I will like it once I know how to play better.
M Well, practice makes perfect.

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

🎧 Track 98 ⌚ 00:45

- M I'm going to watch the World Cup tournament! Do you want to come?
W I love soccer! I can't believe you have tickets!
M Well, I don't actually have tickets. I am going to watch the World Cup on TV. Do you still want to come to my place?
W Oh. I guess I'll come. Although watching in person is more fun.

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

🎧 Track 99 ⌚ 00:50

- B Swim team tryouts are today! I am so nervous. I really want to make the team!
G I think you will. You are a really good swimmer. You have awesome skills and practice every day.
B I work hard, but I am not very fast.
G Maybe. But I think the coach will notice your hard work. He will give you a chance. I think you are talented.
B Thank you. Wish me luck!
G Good luck. Let me know if you make it!

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

🎧 Track 100 ⌚ 00:41

- B1 What a terrible game! We stunk almost as bad as the locker room smells.
B2 Yeah, when was this place cleaned?

- B1 Who cares about cleaning? We need to play better! We don't want to be in last place!
B2 That's right. We need to clean up our act. We were bad out there on the field today! Coach is not happy.
B1 No, he is not. Let's play better next week!

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 101 ⌚ 00:47

- M It takes hard work and practice to be on a team. First, there are tryouts. There isn't room for everyone. You show the coach how well you play. If you are good enough, you will make the team. At many schools, there are two teams. The top team is the Varsity team. The lower team is the Junior Varsity team. It is for younger players. They can improve and move up to the Varsity team.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 102 ⌚ 00:49

- W The World Cup is a soccer tournament. It happens once every four years. The first World Cup was in 1930. Since then, it has been in Asia once and Africa once. It was also in North America three times. It was in Mexico twice and the US once. The World Cup tournament has been hosted in South America six times altogether. Europe has had the World Cup the most. The tournament has been there ten times.

UNIT 09 Communication

WARM-UP C

1 🎧 Track 103 ⌚ 00:27

- M Can I help you?
W I need to leave a message.

2 🎧 Track 104 ⌚ 00:13

- M What are you going to do with this old jacket?

W I'm going to get rid of it.

3 Track 105 00:12

M Why don't you buy cheap tools?

W Because they fall apart easily.

BUILD-UP A

Track 106 03:06

M Did you talk to Carla yet? You need to tell her about the picnic.

W I emailed her last night, but she hasn't responded.

M Some people don't check their email that often. You should call her.

W I called this morning. I left her a message. I hope she calls me back.

M Maybe you should try her cell phone. She always carries that.

W Do you have her cell phone number? I can text her about the picnic time.

M Sure. Here you go.

BUILD-UP B

1 Why does the woman need to talk to Carla?

- (A) She has to tell her about the dinner.
- (B) She has to tell her about the picnic.
- (C) She has to tell her about an appointment.
- (D) She has to tell her about the message.

2 When did the woman email Carla?

- (A) Last night
- (B) Last week
- (C) This morning
- (D) Today

3 What does the woman ask the man for?

- (A) Carla's home number
- (B) Carla's address
- (C) Carla's birthday
- (D) Carla's cell phone number

LISTENING TASKS A

Track 107 00:58

M Hey! Is that the new mePhone?

W Yes, it is. I just got it today. Want to see it?

M Sure. Wow! It's beautiful. Where do you put the memory card?

W Right here on the side. You have to be careful not to scratch the side when you put it in.

M Is the battery life good? I heard the battery life was horrible.

W It's not bad. It's about as good as any other cell phone.

LISTENING TASKS B

Track 108 01:10

G I'm sad that I can't see Grandma every week. Calling her isn't good enough. I want to tell her about the book she gave me.

M Well, you can still see her whenever you want.

G How can I see her if she's far away?

M You can use my webcam. You can talk and see her at the same time.

G That sounds great. But isn't it expensive?

M Not at all. Using the computer is cheap, so you can talk as long as you like. Come on. I'll show you how it works.

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

Track 109 01:02

B Mom, did you have a phone when you were little?

W We had a phone, but we didn't have cell phones.

B That's horrible!

W But your Uncle Bobby and I made our own phones.

B How did you do that?

W Our phone didn't have any wires or batteries. We tied a string between two tin cans.

B How did it work?

W We got far apart and pulled the string tight. Then Uncle Bobby talked into one tin can, and I listened through the other.

B Wow! That sounds cool!

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

🎧 Track 110 ⌚ 00:48

M How important are cell phones to teenagers? Based on a survey, they are very important. Many teenagers think their lives would be horrible without a phone. The survey says that 52 percent of teens use phones for entertainment. One-third of teenagers play games. The biggest surprise was how important teens think cell phones are. 57 percent think a cell phone is the key to a good social life.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

🎧 Track 111 ⌚ 00:54

M Aw! I can't fix this computer. I can't get it to connect to the Internet.

W What's wrong with the computer?

M Oh, it's just old and falling apart. We have to get rid of it.

W Have you checked the connections? Are the wires inserted correctly?

M Just a minute. Let me see. Hey, you're right. I had one wire inserted in the wrong port.

W Do we still need a new computer?

M Sure, why not? There's a scratch right here on the side.

W You're nuts!

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 112 ⌚ 00:43

W We don't know when humans began to write. We can only guess about when written records started. One day man needed to write something down. He made some scratches on a piece of wood or bone. Then he decided he could write down other things this way. We think that the first written records were made around 3,000 BCE. This was in Mesopotamia more than 5,000 years ago.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 113 ⌚ 00:47

M What are you writing?

W It's an email to my mother.

M That's an email? It's so long! Emails should be short and to the point.

W But I have a lot to tell my mother. I never see her.

M That's a lot of stuff. Do you really need to tell her about the weather?

W My mother likes to hear about the weather here.

M Maybe you should just call her. Then, you can talk about the weather as much as you want.

Review 3

Dialogs B

1 🎧 Track 114 ⌚ 00:45

W What is all that horrible noise?

M Our neighbors are decorating their house.

W Hmm, I should get some construction workers to fix my house, too. It is falling apart.

M I think my home is perfect.

W But maybe you should get a plumber to fix your pipes. Look—there's water all over your floor!

2 🎧 Track 115 ⌚ 00:27

M I have some good news, Beth!

W What is it, Joe?

M I made the varsity basketball team!

W That's awesome! I'm so happy you passed the tryouts.

M I'll get you front row seats to our first tournament!

W I can't wait to see you go one-on-one with the other players.

3 🎧 Track 116 ⌚ 00:22

- W Hey, Dave. Can you help me with something?
M Sure, Lori. What do you need?
W Can you help me move this bookshelf? It's really heavy.
M No problem.
W Just be careful. I don't want to get any scratches on it.

4 🎧 Track 117 ⌚ 00:29

- W Hi, Derek. Do you want to go to the movies on Saturday?
M I can't. I have a soccer tournament this weekend.
W Oh, right. I forgot you play on the varsity team.
M Do you want to watch one of my games?
W Sure, that would be great!
M Cool. See you on Saturday!

5 🎧 Track 118 ⌚ 00:26

- M Hey, Sue. You didn't respond to my message.
W Sorry I didn't email you back. I've been really busy lately.
M What have you been doing?
W I am studying to be an architect. It's a lot of work!
M That will be an awesome job! Good luck with your studies!

Descriptive English C

🎧 Track 119 ⌚ 00:56

- W Is this really the first time you've watched a match?
M Yes, I just moved here from Switzerland. I've never watched this sport before. Football is more popular in my country. So, what exactly are the rules of this game?
W Well, you need to throw the ball.
M It's a pretty small ball, right?
W Of course. Can you imagine trying to hit a basketball, for example?

- M Hmm, it might be difficult to hit a big ball with a thin bat.
W Yeah, so the person who throws the ball is called the pitcher. He wears a big glove.

Statistical Information D

🎧 Track 120 ⌚ 00:45

- M Can you plug in the fan, please? It's so hot in here!
W This was not a good week to decide to decorate the house.
M I know. Yesterday it was too hot! I couldn't go outdoors.
W It feels like it's around 30 degrees.
M I think it's more like 35 degrees. Let me check the thermometer.
W What does it say?
M Wow, it's actually 39 degrees. That's hotter than I expected.

UNIT

10

Technology

WARM-UP C

1 🎧 Track 121 ⌚ 00:29

- M What does "biometrics" mean?
W It means using your body's information.

2 🎧 Track 122 ⌚ 00:12

- M What does this machine do?
W It detects when people lie.

3 🎧 Track 123 ⌚ 00:12

- M What do you think of this story?
W I think it's realistic.

BUILD-UP A

🎧 Track 124 ⌚ 03:00

- M Hello, Michelle. What are you doing?
W I'm just taking a walk. I want to get in shape.
M What's that on your belt?

- W It's a pedometer. It's a machine to count the number of steps I take.
- M Really? How does it work?
- W It detects motion. It measures the length of my walk and counts my steps. This helps me know how far I walk.
- M What a neat innovation! How many steps have you taken today?
- W Let's see. Almost five thousand. I'm one thousand short of my goal.

BUILD-UP B

- 1 Why is the woman walking?
 (A) To get a pedometer
 (B) To earn money
 (C) To improve her health
 (D) To count her steps
- 2 What does the pedometer detect?
 (A) Motion
 (B) Length
 (C) Calories
 (D) Goals
- 3 What is the woman's goal?
 (A) 2,000 steps
 (B) 3,000 steps
 (C) 4,000 steps
 (D) 6,000 steps

LISTENING TASKS A

 Track 125  01:11

- W Wow, that's a nice phone.
- M You like it? I just got it.
- W Yeah. What does it do? Does it have many special features?
- M It has a ton. You can surf the net, send text messages, and even scan barcodes.
- W What does that mean? How do you scan barcodes?
- M The camera can take a picture of a barcode, and you can check prices.

- W That is useful in a grocery store.
- M Sure, but you can scan any barcode to find out lots of information.

LISTENING TASKS B

 Track 126  01:01

- M Who's playing? Is that Argentina and England?
- W Yes, but it's a video game.
- M Are you serious? Wow! It looks so realistic!
- W I know. The graphics get more lifelike every year.
- M Pretty soon, we won't be able to tell the difference.
- W Watch this. Messi to Tevez . . . goal, Argentina!
- M This game has instant replay? Are you kidding me?
- W We can even watch it in slow motion from different camera angles. It's better than TV!

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

 Track 127  00:44

- W Where is your apartment key?
- M I don't have one anymore.
- W What do you mean? How can you not have one?
- M I have a new door that uses biometrics. I don't need a key for it.
- W What's biometrics?
- M It means using information about a person, like DNA and fingerprints. I use a fingerprint to open my door.
- W Wow! That's really cool.

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

 Track 128  00:38

- W Almost every product has a barcode on it. Barcodes are like product fingerprints. They are bars that machines scan for information. This information may include price, quantity, and quality. Barcodes help stores with their inventory. In stores, clerks use the barcode to know how much money you owe.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

🎧 Track 129 ⌚ 00:51

- W Why is there a tag on this box?
M That is an electronic tag. It stores information. Stores put tags on products these days.
W How do the tags work?
M There's a computer chip inside.
W What are they used for?
M Mostly for tracking things—especially store products.
W Are they like barcodes?
M Yes, except they're better. Soon we won't have to go through checkout lines. These tags will help us pay as we shop.

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 130 ⌚ 00:50

- M Airport safety is really important. Some airports use special systems to check people as they come into the airport. There are two systems used in airports. One machine checks physical details, like fingerprints, eyes, or voice. The other, newer machine checks behaviors. The machine looks at how a person moves or acts. Not many airports use this system yet. More airports check physical details.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 131 ⌚ 00:43

- W I heard that the new monster movie is in 3-D.
M It seems like every movie is in 3-D.
W Do you like 3-D movies?
M They do look unbelievable, but the price . . .
W I know. They're so much more expensive.
M Good movies don't depend on special effects.
W Nope. The story and characters are more important.
M Yeah, movies rely too much on technology.

UNIT

11

School

WARM-UP C

1 🎧 Track 132 ⌚ 00:28

- M Do you want to meet for lunch on Wednesday?

W Let me check my schedule.

2 🎧 Track 133 ⌚ 00:13

- M What time is choir practice today?

W It's at 3:30 p.m.

3 🎧 Track 134 ⌚ 00:13

- M Are you nervous to play in the big game tonight?

W Yes, I'm a bag of nerves!

BUILD-UP A

🎧 Track 135 ⌚ 02:23

- B Hey, Marie! Do you want to study for the geography exam with me?

G Sure! I am feeling really nervous about this exam.

B Me, too. It is without a doubt going to be really hard.

G Where do you want to study?

B How about the art room? It's easy to concentrate there.

G But won't there be classes going on there?

B Not if we go there during free period.

G Ah, sure, it's pretty quiet during that time.

BUILD-UP B

1 What exam do they have to study for?

(A) A classics exam

(B) A geography exam

(C) An art exam

(D) An ancient history exam

2 Who is really nervous?

(A) The boy

- (B) The girl
- (C) The boy and the girl
- (D) None of the above

- 3 When will they meet?
- (A) Before school
 - (B) During their math class
 - (C) After the test
 - (D) At break time

LISTENING TASKS A

 Track 136  01:04

- B Hey, Allison, how are you? I haven't seen you in a long time.
- G I know. I've been really busy lately. My schedule is really overloaded!
- B Why are you so busy?
- G Well, I have all my classes to go to, volleyball practice after school, and assignments to do at night.
- B Sounds like you don't have any time to spare.
- G Yeah, and I also have two exams next week to prepare for.
- B I do, too. Why don't we study together?
- G Really? That would be a great plan!

LISTENING TASKS B

 Track 137  00:49

- G Did you meet the new student in our history class?
- B No, I didn't. What is she like?
- G She is without a doubt the nicest girl I have ever met!
- B Wow! She seems great! Where is she from?
- G Her family just relocated here from the Philippines.
- B Cool. Maybe she can join our history study group.
- G Good idea! I'll ask her to join it.

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

 Track 138  00:51

- M A student is someone who learns. Most students go to school to learn, while others learn at home. In some places, such as North America, students must go to school for 12 years. These years are divided into grades, from 1st grade to 8th grade. This is when students are in elementary school. Then students go to high school, which are grades 9 through 12. After that, students usually go to college or university.

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

 Track 139  00:40

- G Hey, Simon, do you want to meet for lunch today?
- B Oh, I can't. I have to meet my study group in the library at noon.
- G Why do you need a study group?
- B We help each other study for exams. I have a big math exam next week that I need to study for.
- G That's a great idea! I should join a science study group.
- B They are really helpful.
- G Let's meet for lunch another day.
- B See you soon!

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

 Track 140  00:49

- W Most students do not like written tests, which are also called exams. Exams can be spoken, written, or even taken on the computer. Students often get nervous before taking an exam, because an exam shows the teacher how well they are doing in the class. If students pass an exam, it usually means that they are learning the subject. If students fail the exam, it usually means that they didn't study, or they are not doing well in the class.

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

🎧 Track 141 ⌚ 00:35

- G Can you please turn your music down?
B What's wrong? I thought you liked this music.
G I do, but I'm trying to concentrate on my homework.
B Sorry, I'll turn it down. Do you need any help?
G No, I'm OK. I just have a lot to learn for my history class.
B Don't worry. You usually do great in all of your classes.
G Well, I always try my best!

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

🎧 Track 142 ⌚ 00:42

- M That was without a doubt our best game ever!
W You were awesome! I can't believe you scored two goals!
M Yeah, it was amazing that we won with five goals.
W You were a bag of nerves before the game, but you were fine once the game started.
M Yeah, once I got on the field, I just played the best I could.
W It was an exciting soccer game. The other team scored nothing. I can't wait for the next one.
M Me, too! Thanks for coming to it!

UNIT 12 Entertainment

WARM-UP C

1 🎧 Track 143 ⌚ 00:29

- M Do you want to watch a comedy or a horror movie?
W How about something funny?

2 🎧 Track 144 ⌚ 00:14

- M Why did Martin miss basketball practice today?
W He went to an audition for a new movie.

3 🎧 Track 145 ⌚ 00:14

- B What do you want to be when you grow up?
G I want to be a famous movie actor.

BUILD-UP A

🎧 Track 146 ⌚ 02:28

- W Did you like the movie? I thought it was so funny!
M It was OK. I didn't think the actors were very good, though.
W Really? Well, a lot of them are famous. I usually see them in glossy magazines.
M I still don't think it was a very good movie. Let's see something scary next time!
W Like a horror movie?
M Yes. It'll be fun! I'll buy your ticket if you accompany me.
W OK, I'll think about it.
M Does that mean yes?

BUILD-UP B

- 1 What kind of movie did they see?
(A) A comedy
(B) A horror movie
(C) A musical
(D) A drama
- 2 Who does the woman usually see in glossy magazines?
(A) Famous singers
(B) Famous dancers
(C) Famous actors
(D) None of the above
- 3 How can the woman get a free ticket next time?
(A) She must be fun.

- (B) She must buy the snacks.
- (C) She must look scary.
- (D) She must go with the man.

LISTENING TASKS A

 Track 147  00:58

- W Wow! You were awesome in that play, Ben. You should be a professional actor.
- M Thanks, Kelly. I love acting. I want to be in an action movie one day!
- W Are they your favorite kind of movies?
- M Well, I prefer comedies, actually.
- W Me, too! Who's your favorite actor?
- M I really like Tom Cruise.
- W His movies are terrific! Maybe you'll be the next Tom Cruise!
- M Ha, ha! That would be great!

LISTENING TASKS B

 Track 148  01:01

(ring ring)

- M Hey, Jenn! What time do you want to meet tonight?
- W I'm sorry, Max. I can't go to the movies tonight.
- M Why? Are you OK? You sound croaky.
- W I'm feeling sick.
- M Oh, no. Maybe you have the flu. A lot of people are coming down with something these days.
- W Let's go to the movies next week. I think the movie will still be playing in the theater.
- M Sure, that would be great! I hope you feel better soon.
- W Thanks!

ACTUAL LISTENING 1

 Track 149  00:45

- M Hey, Kate! I saw your brother on TV the other day.
- W Yeah, he wants to be a movie star one day.
- M What kind of movies does he want to be in?

- W I think mostly comedies. He's really good at making people laugh.
- M He was great in that new TV show. He really cracks me up!
- W I'm looking forward to seeing him in a movie one day.
- M Me, too. He's going to be a big celebrity before you know it!

ACTUAL LISTENING 2

 Track 150  00:44

- W Not all movies are watched indoors. Some places in the world have drive-in movie theatres. This kind of theater is special because it is outside. The screen that the movie is played on is very large. People watch the movie from inside their cars. The first drive-in theater opened in 1933 in New Jersey. Since then, people have enjoyed watching movies outside when the weather is warm.

ACTUAL LISTENING 3

 Track 151  00:45

- W Wow! That movie was so cool!
- M Yes, the monsters were awesome!
- W Yeah, how can they seem so life-like?
- M Well, a lot of movies are now made with really advanced technology.
- W Is that how the monsters were made?
- M Yes. It's really different than in the past, when they put actors in monster costumes.
- W Right. Think of how different the new King Kong movie is from the old one!
- M Yeah, but the actors in both movies were so good that I still cried in both.

ACTUAL LISTENING 4

 Track 152  00:42

- M Steven Spielberg is a famous American director. One of his most popular movies is *E.T.* It is about a friendly alien who meets a boy. Another movie that most people know

is *Jurassic Park*. It is about some very scary dinosaurs that run free in a theme park. Steven Spielberg has helped to make many movies that people of all ages look forward to watching again and again.

ACTUAL LISTENING 5

 Track 153  00:46

- M So who's coming to the movies with us tonight?
- W There's a big group that wants to go.
- M What kind of movie does everyone want to watch?
- W Well, about 40 percent of the group wants to watch an action movie. 30 percent wants to see a horror movie, 20 percent wants to watch a drama, and only 10 percent wants to watch a musical.
- M Hmm. Maybe we should all split up into smaller groups.
- W Good idea! That way we can see what we want.
- M Exactly!

Review 4

Dialogs B

1  Track 154  00:49

- M It seems like everyone is trying to get into shape.
- W That's because it's almost summer! A lot of people gain weight in the winter and try to lose it before the summer starts.
- M I'm just always so busy studying for exams. I don't have time to exercise.
- W I always have a ton of stuff to do, too. You just need to make time to do it.
- M You're right!

2  Track 155  00:35

- G Hey, Mike, do you want to study with me after school? We have a big math exam next week.

- B Oh, I can't. I have basketball practice after school, and then I have to meet my study group.
- G It seems like you have a really busy schedule.
- B I do, but maybe we can meet tomorrow to study.
- G Sounds great! See you tomorrow.

3  Track 156  00:35

- M That was without a doubt a really funny movie!
- W It was awesome! Jim Carrey always cracks me up!
- M He is a great actor. It looks like he has a ton of fun making movies, too.
- W His comedies are the best! They are never boring.
- M Let's go to the movies again next week. I want to see that new horror movie.
- W I can't wait!

4  Track 157  00:36

- G There is so much information to learn for our history exam. I don't know where to start!
- B Try to concentrate on learning one topic at a time. That really helps.
- G It seems like you're not nervous at all.
- B I'm always a bag of nerves before a big exam. But I usually study with other people. It helps a lot to have a study group.
- G Can I join your study group?
- B Sure!

5  Track 158  00:36

- M Are you OK, Joan? You look like you're feeling under the weather.
- W I'm feeling a bit dizzy. I think I exercised too much today.
- M I know you want to get in shape, but you need to be careful. Too much exercise is not good.
- W You're right. I want to lose weight, but I

shouldn't do too much. I'll take a few days off to rest.

M Good idea! I hope you feel better soon.

Descriptive English C

 Track 159  01:02

W That movie really was too scary! It made the hairs on the back of my neck stand up.

M Me, too. What scared you the most?

W I think it was the woman with the red hair.

M You mean the magician's assistant?

W Not her. I mean the woman who was actually a skeleton. She wasn't a real person.

M But she looked very real because of the special effects, right?

W Yeah, and there was the second skeleton. She also had flowers in her hair, too.

M I think they used to be the man's girlfriends, but he killed them. How terrible! I wish we'd watched a comedy instead.

Statistical Information D

 Track 160  01:15

G Hey, Matt! Do you want to fill out this survey?

B What is the survey about?

G It is to see what kinds of clubs students want to join.

B So what can you tell from the survey?

G Well, it looks like about 50 percent want to join a running club, 25 percent want to join a movie club, 15 percent want to join a book club, and 10 percent want to join a study club.

B Wow! It seems like a lot of students want to get in shape!

G Yeah. Our health is without a doubt very important.

B I think I want to join a running group, too!