

Test 6 Listening • Part 1

06 Questions 1 – 8

You will hear people talking in eight different situations. For questions 1 – 8, choose the best answer (A, B or C).

- You overhear two friends talking about a computer game. What do they agree about?
A The graphics are unusually good.
B It is more exciting than the earlier version of the game.
C The game is better than the film it is based on.
- You hear a radio reporter talking on a nature programme. Why is he excited about what he saw?
A It is unusual to see close-up film of this type of fish.
B The fish was demonstrating unexpected skills.
C The film gave new information about what fish eat.
- You overhear a teacher talking to a student. What is she talking about?
A something the student forgot to do
B something the student must bring to school
C something the student did that pleased the teacher
- You overhear two friends talking about a survey. What is the boy most surprised about?
A other students' lack of knowledge about trees
B other students' inability to play a game
C other students' lack of enthusiasm for nature
- You hear a boy leaving a voicemail message. Who is he talking to?
A a teacher
B a store manager
C a school friend
- You hear two friends talking about a holiday. Why did the girl spend her holiday in the way she did?
A She wanted to try something different.
B She was keen to earn some money.
C She was persuaded to by her brother.
- You hear a local radio story about a school project. What was the main aim of the project?
A to give the children experience in teamwork
B to teach the children about healthy living
C to develop the children's creative skills
- You hear a boy telling his mother about a football match. How does the boy feel about his friend Ben's performance?
A glad that he kept on playing despite a problem
B surprised that he did not score a goal
C pleased that he did better than others expected

Test 6 Listening • Part 2

07 Questions 9 – 18

You will hear a girl called Sophie giving a presentation to her class about sharks. For questions 9 – 18, complete the sentences.

Sophie's shark project

Sophie chose the project because her 9 suggested it.

Sophie found most of her information on the website 10 .com.

Sophie says that sharks have been around for 11 years.

Sophie was surprised to learn that sharks occasionally eat 12

The least dangerous sharks are the 13 ones.

Sophie says her favourite shark is the 14 shark.

Sophie says sharks only attack about 15 times a year.

Sophie also read an article about sharks in a magazine called 16

The article said that it is now illegal to kill sharks in a large region in the 17

Sharks are in particular danger because they become 18 quite slowly.



08 Questions 19 – 23

You will hear five students talking about a music album. For questions 19 – 23, choose from the list (A – F) which of the opinions each speaker expresses. Use each letter only once. There is one extra letter which you do not need to use.

A I enjoy the songs on this album because the singers' voices are so unusual.

Speaker 1 19

B The words of the songs on this album mean more to me than the tunes.

Speaker 2 20

C I prefer the songs on the album which the band itself wrote.

Speaker 3 21

D I love this album because the songs are perfect to dance to.

Speaker 4 22

E The songs on this album come from a show I really enjoyed.

Speaker 5 23

F This album is better than the last one released by these singers.



09 Questions 24 – 30

You will hear an interview with an actor called Martin Raleigh, who plays the character of Tigerman in a new superhero film. For questions 24 – 30, choose the best answer (A, B or C).

24 What does Martin say about his interest in superhero films as a child?

- A He was more fascinated by them than others in his family.
- B He wanted to find out how the effects were created.
- C He found them less interesting than sport.

25 Martin says that the Tigerman character he plays

- A has different qualities in the book than the movie.
- B enjoys popularity with audiences of all ages.
- C is unusually complicated for a movie superhero.

26 How does Martin say he helped develop the original script?

- A He introduced more humour into it.
- B He heightened the tension in some of the scenes.
- C He suggested a new character for one scene.

27 What does Martin say is the hardest part of playing his superhero character?

- A adapting to the role as he is not a naturally brave person
- B learning how to do complex gymnastic tricks
- C becoming fit enough to play the role

28 Martin says that he most enjoyed growing up in Canada because

- A he had a lot of cousins of a similar age there.
- B he had contact with children from many other countries.
- C he had the opportunity to do outdoor pursuits.

29 How did Martin say he got into acting?

- A He was inspired by a couple of films he saw.
- B He got involved through a job in a theatre company.
- C He enjoyed acting in plays as a student.

30 Martin says that, if he had not become an actor, he

- A could have worked for his brother's business.
- B would probably have become a teacher.
- C might well have gone into the police.