



ΕΞΕΤΑΣΕΙΣ ΑΓΓΛΙΚΗΣ – ΕΠΙΠΕΔΟ Γ1 - ΕΝΟΤΗΤΑ 3

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TAPESCRIPTS

ACTIVITY 1

Listen to three instances of talk. After each listening, choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for items 1-6.

A.

Read item 1. Listen and respond.

Ever notice, when you have a baby, everyone seems to give you advice? From your mother-in-law...to your own parents...to your friends ...? But when it comes to the important stuff, like immunizations and protecting my baby's health, I trust my baby's doctor. She really listens to my questions about shots, gives me great information, and she works with me to make sure my baby gets protected. And that's something even my mother-in-law can agree with. A message from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

Read item 2. Listen again and respond.

B.

Read item 3. Listen and respond.

Water conservation is especially on people's minds during dry periods, but it's important all the time. One place to save water is in the home landscape. Irrigate in the early morning hours and apply no more than three-quarters of an inch of water. Make sure your irrigation system is working properly and isn't leaking. Remove weeds when you see them, keep fertilizing to a minimum, and water grass only when it starts to wilt. This public service announcement is brought to you by Gardening in a Minute. For more information about water conservation, visit gardeninginaminute.com or contact your University of Florida/IFAS county Extension office.

Read item 4. Listen again and respond.

C.

Read item 5. Listen and respond.

Hello it's Natalie Jamieson here. Now if you like your rock music on this week's showbiz podcast, we have Nickelback, The Killers and some strong reactions to the new James Bond theme or if pop is more your thing and you lean towards the likes of high school musical and fame, then, trust me, you'd probably going to want Britannia High in your life. It's a new show coming to ITV complete with new songs from Take That's Gary Barlow, and there's talk of lingerie with Dita Von Teese and Katie Price. This is your top 10 showbiz run-down for the past week on Radio One, and we're starting with a tale as old as time of plastic surgery gone wrong.

Read item 6. Listen again and respond.

ACTIVITY 2

Read items 7-8. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

Welcome to Pulse of the Planet's Science Diaries, a glimpse of the world of science from the inside. Michael Hochella is a geochemist from Virginia Tech. He's been out west trying to find out why contamination from mines has been able to travel much further and faster down river than has been predicted.

Listen again and check your answers.

Read items 9-10. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

"I'm gazing down at the Clark Fork River as it winds its way through ponderosa pine forest in Western Montana. And later on this summer I'm going to be collecting water samples all the way to the headwaters, which is about a hundred and twenty miles from here.

Listen again and check your answers.

Read items 11-12. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

And about a century-and-a-half ago mining started in that area, mining first for silver and later for copper and zinc. And in the 1800s this became one of the largest mining areas in the world. And the problem with that was that it created a huge amount of metal contamination, which is toxic to life as you come down the river."

Listen again and check your answers.

ACTIVITY 3

Read items 13-15. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

Male Speaker 1: Hey Amanda how did it go last night with Thomas?

Female Speaker: Oh, well, nothing! He said that he didn't want to be in a relationship.

Male Speaker 1: Oh really?

Male Speaker 2: Oh what was his reason?

Female Speaker: I don't know he just said he's got too much work and he couldn't be a good boyfriend now and so he said let's just be friends. I'm just so tired of hearing that line.

Male Speaker 2: Oh the "friends" line.

Read items 16-20. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

Male 1: Yeah, well, but I feel that you think that there's going to be one soul mate for you, there's plenty of fish in the sea.

Female: No, I don't. I've given up believing in soul mates but I'm just so disillusioned by this whole dating scene.

Male 2: You don't believe in love at first sight?

Female: No! Do you?

Male 2: Oh, I do. I do.

Male 1: Yeah look at all the girls he's dated. I mean look at him.

Male 2: Hey, hey listen just leave my personal relationship quiet. But..but.. no, I believe in love at first sight.. I mean when two people connect and you see that girl... you see that guy...you know... you feel something inside you... something that you can not describe. I mean how can you explain that.. I mean that's something powerful and passionate.

Male 1: What else is important to you aside from the way she looks. Like what else do you...I mean... there's gotta be...something.

Male 2: *It's more than just the way she looks. It's more of her personality... and I do believe if the similar interests, then you will connect on a deeper level.*

Female: *Yeah but I had all that with Thomas and look where it brought me. You know.. we would go running together, we would go traveling together, we wanted to do the same sorts of things..*

Male 1: *I don't think he knew what he wanted though.*

Male 2: *I don't think so. Did he understand you?*

Male 1: *Yeah.*

Female: *I thought so! But, look, you know it's just.. so I'm just... I'm giving up. I'm not going out on any more dates.*

Both Males: *Oh come on!*

Male 2: *Hey I have friend I can hook you up with?*

Male 1: *Yeah there's plenty of fish in the sea.*

Female: *Ah... it's a little bit too early...*

Male 2: *Are you sure? Yeah yeah.. but don't give up.. don't give up. I do believe that there's someone out there for each and every one of us.*

Male 1: *Ah I think it takes time or I think it takes time to get to know somebody else too. You know. I think they need to know what they want and sometimes that just ...*

Male 2: *It just takes time exactly. But don't give up. I do think there's someone out there for you.*

Male 1: *Yeah I think he's right. I mean that connection. Maybe it's not love at first sight for everybody but you know the spark will come.*

Male 2: *The spark will come. I actually believe that.*

Female: *You think so. Thanks guys.*

Male 1: *No problem.*

Male 2: *You're welcome Amanda.*

Listen again to the whole conversation and check all your answers.

ACTIVITY 4

What is each programme about? Listen and for items 21-25 make a good guess about the topic of each programme.

21. HISTORY:

By 121 BC, the Romans controlled the land along the Mediterranean sea and in their own valley. In the 400 ADs, the Huns invaded from the East...

22. MUSIC:

Speaker 1:...Tell us about the brand new CD. This is amazing.

Speaker 2: The brand new CD... it's all in Spanish, you know and it was funny on the way over here we were talking about it and... uh... just so amazed because we've been here this week in New York doing a lot of promotion and stuff and just the reaction that it's a Spanish album.

Speaker 1: Yeah all in Spanish!

Speaker 2: Yeah I know! All in Spanish and it's an amazing thing. It's been a really... dream of mine for many many years to do an album totally in Spanish and I just couldn't have asked for anything more ...to work with the people I worked with and make this type of album and show a different side of myself...you know...one people weren't expecting. It's great! As an artist it's a great thing!

23. SPORTS:

So a thrilling finish with England keeping themselves clinging on by their fingernails into this World Cup tournament by beating West Indies by 18 runs in their last qualifying match. Had they lost today, they would have been out but this victory at least means that if results go their way, they will go into the quarter finals but again it was a game they seemed destined....

24. HEALTH:

Working nights in the E.R. something I consistently notice is that your chances of coming to the E.R. with an asthma attack climbed dramatically if you've never received asthma education. I'm doctor Jim Keeney with today's Health buzz. One in eleven pre-schoolers in the U.S. have been diagnosed with asthma. A recent study shows reduced E.R. visits by 1/3 and hospitalizations cut in half simply by providing asthma education for parents and preschool children.

25. ASTRONOMY/ SCIENCE:

Monday, July 16. At nightfall tonight, the waxing crescent moon can point you to two planets and a star. But the star may be too faint to see. You'll find these objects bunched low in your western sky shortly after sunset. And you can't mistake the planets Venus and Saturn. Venus is the most brilliant point of light in all the heavens. Saturn is the object right next to the moon in tonight's sky. The star is fainter and might be tougher to see in the twilight. It's Regulus, the heart of the lion in the constellation Leo. You might need binoculars to see it.