

A Listening Comprehension

Part One

Listen to the news items and tick (✓) the right statements.
There is only one possible answer per statement.

4 pts.

News Item 1: 10,000 Year Clock

- a) The clock hand moves once every year.
 one hundred years.
 one thousand years.
- b) Work on the clock started in 1995.
 2000.
 2011.
- c) The clock gets its power from changes in temperature.
 giant gears and dials.
 solar energy.
- d) Jeff Bezos hopes the clock will connect with future generations of clocks.
 change how we think about time.
 never be repeated.

4 pts.

News Item 2: Pies on π -Day

- a) Pi Day celebrates the scientist Albert Einstein.
 delicious American pies.
 a famous number.
- b) In Los Angeles, the pie-eating competition begins in the afternoon.
 in the evening.
 at night.
- c) On Pi Day in Princeton, you can practice your math.
 dress up as Albert Einstein.
 make pies.
- d) Pi was first calculated accurately by the Greeks.
 Egyptians.
 Babylonians.

two

Summer holidays

Two people are talking about summer holidays. Write the correct letters in the chart. Write one statement more than you need.

7 pts.

A I want to do water sports and relax with friends.

B Going on a nature holiday with the family is wonderful.

C My parents always want to keep a close eye on me. That's annoying.

D I like learning a foreign language and meeting new people.

E It's important to make summer holidays a family decision.

F A holiday with friends on a party island is the best.

Rosie	David	Jessica	Dean	Kendra	Mark	Emily
D	B	H	A	E	C	G

Part Three

Interview: Katie McDonnell

*Listen to the interview and write down the information needed.
Fill in only one detail per box.*

10 pts.

where she found out about freerunning	at university
what sport she did before freerunning	cheerleading
types of work (2 details)	part in films
	perform live
most exciting thing about her job	travelling
training (2 details)	pull ups
	running
number of Internet followers	160.000 followers
how you can get involved in freerunning	online classes
what she loves about the sport	no limits