

Listening scripts

Review Test: Units 1–2

- Sally** Hi there. Are you new at this school?
Toby Yes, I am. It's my first day at the school. I'm Toby, by the way.
Sally I'm Sally. What grade are you in?
Toby 9th grade. And my sister Martha is in 11th grade. She's 16 years old.
Sally I'm in 9th grade too. And where are you from? You're not American.
Toby I'm from Oxford.
Sally Really? Where's that?
Toby It's a city in the United Kingdom.
Sally Wow! Lily Allen is from the United Kingdom. She's my favorite singer.
Toby Yeah, she's cool. I really like her, but my favorite singer is American.
Sally Who's your favourite singer?
Toby Taylor Swift.
Sally Taylor Swift? She's great!
[pause]
Toby Are you good at sport?
Sally Yes, I am. I'm in the school tennis team. What about you?
Toby I'm good at soccer, but I'm not on a team.
Sally Who's your favorite player?
Toby Lionel Messi.
Sally Messi, from Argentina? He's fantastic.
[pause]
Toby What's our first class today?
Sally Geography. It's with Mr. Dawkins. His lessons are really boring! But then we have art, with Mrs. Mackenzie. She's from Canada and she's really cool.
Toby Art's my favorite subject. I'm really good at it.
Sally Really? I'm terrible at art. My favorite class is music. I'm in a band.
Toby Wow! You're really cool!
Sally Thanks. Come on ... we're late for class.

Review Test: Units 3–4

- Paul** Hi, Carol. Where are you?
Carol Hello, Paul. I'm at my uncle's house in Florida. I'm here for the weekend.
Paul What's your uncle's house like?
Carol It's amazing. It's on an island. It's near the beach.
Paul Who's in the house?
Carol There are four people in the house right now. Me, my uncle, and my two cousins Mary and Beth. Mary and Beth are with me. My uncle's downstairs. He's in the kitchen.
Paul What's your room like?
Carol It's cool. There's a TV and a computer.
Paul Are there any CDs?
Carol No, there aren't. There isn't a CD player. But there are hundreds of DVDs.
Paul Where is your room?
Carol It's upstairs. Mary and Beth's room is upstairs, too. It's opposite my room.
Paul Is there a balcony?
Carol Yes, there is. And the beach is in front of my window! The view is awesome! There are some people on the beach right now. It's a beautiful day here in Florida!
Paul That's great. See you on Monday, Carol!
Carol Bye, Paul!

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Review Test: Units 5–6

Interviewer Hello and welcome to the show. Now, we all know how busy teenagers are these days – but what do they do? Today we're on the streets of San Francisco, and we're asking young people what they do every day. Hello – excuse me. What's your name?

Mark Mark.

Interviewer Hi, Mark. I want to ask you some questions for our radio show.

Mark OK.

Interviewer What time do you get up in the morning?

Mark About ten o'clock.

Interviewer Really? Do you get up at ten o'clock every day?

Mark No, only on weekends! On school days I get up at seven.

Interviewer OK. What time do your lessons start?

Mark At nine o'clock.

Interviewer And how do you get to school?

Mark I usually take the bus.

Interviewer And what do you do after school?

Mark I usually go home and do my homework, but on Fridays I stay at school and play baseball – I'm on the school team.

Interviewer And weekends?

Mark Well, on weekends I often visit my friends or go cycling in the park. Or my mom and dad sometimes take me and my sister to the beach.

Interviewer And what do you do in the evening?

Mark Well, we usually have dinner at seven o'clock. After that I usually listen to CDs or watch TV. I never play computer games.

Interviewer What shows do you like on TV?

Mark I like movies.

Interviewer Great. I like movies, too. Who's your favorite actor?

Mark Johnny Depp. I think he's fantastic!

Interviewer I love Johnny Depp too!

Review Test: Units 7–8

Richard Hi, Joe. How are you?

Joe I'm fine, Richard. It's Sunday today, so I'm relaxing.

Richard What are you doing? Are you playing computer games?

Joe No, I'm not. Right now I'm sitting in the yard. I'm wearing shorts and a T-shirt. I'm sunbathing and I'm eating ice cream. I love Sundays! What about you?

Richard Well, I usually visit my grandma on Sundays, but I'm in the gym today. I'm practicing basketball with some friends. We're starting a new basketball team. Our name is the New York Runners.

Joe The New York Runners? Great. Are you having fun?

Richard Yes, we are. Listen, Joe. Can you play basketball?

Joe Yes, I can. I can play basketball quite well. It's my favorite sport. I sometimes play basketball with my classmates, but they're not very good.

Richard Well, we need another player. Do you want to be on the New York Runners?

Joe Yes, I do! That's fantastic!

Richard Great. We practice once a week, on Sunday mornings.

Joe Sunday mornings?

Richard That's right. Come to the gym next Sunday at nine o'clock. Don't be late!

Joe Nine o'clock? But I usually get up at ten o'clock on Sundays.

Richard That's no problem. You can get up at eight. See you on Sunday! Bye!

Joe Oh, no! Richard! Listen...