

## LISTENING - Part 1

You will hear three different extracts. For questions 1-6, choose the answer (A, B or C) which fits best according to what you hear. There are two questions for each extract.

### Extract One

You will hear two people talking about the wildlife in the area in which they live.

1 What is the man's reaction to the majority of visiting birdwatchers?

- A He thinks they drive too fast.
- B He believes they are ignorant of one of nature's delights.
- C He doesn't understand why so many of them come to the area he lives in.

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2 The speakers seem to

- A be knowledgeable about their local wildlife.
- B work for a local wildlife conservation group.
- C resent people admiring the local wildlife.

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### Extract Two

You will hear two people talking about a disturbance in the night.

3 The man and woman are

- A flatmates.
- B neighbours.
- C married.

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4 What probably caused the disturbance?

- A a cat
- B a criminal
- C a wild animal

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### Extract Three

You will hear two people discussing a site where domestic rubbish is officially dumped.

5 According to the woman

- A there are no obvious benefits to landfill sites.
- B landfill sites cause disease among local people.
- C landfill sites are the lesser of the two evils compared to incineration.

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6 Plans to build a new landfill site

- A have been temporarily stopped.
- B will probably never come to fruition.
- C have been stopped by protesters who are blocking research.

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## LISTENING - Part 2

You will hear a radio report about marine life in the UK. For questions 7-14, complete the sentences.

### British marine life in crisis

Pollution, coastal developments and **7**  are the conventional threats to marine life.

**8**  is most in danger along with turtles, sharks and salmon.

**9**  passed by the UK and EU protects some areas of UK waters.

**10**  per cent of UK waters are currently fully protected.

WWF-UK is calling for a **11**  of protected marine reserves to be established.

The way that marine life has been protected up until now is **12** .

If fisheries were **13**  into the planning process, it would be more successful.

A general **14**  is needed for better marine management.

## LISTENING - Part 3

You will hear part of a radio interview about fox hunting. For questions 15-20, choose the answer (A, B, C or D), which fits best according to what you hear.

- 15 What surprises the interviewer about the hunt?**
- A** The dogs are no longer allowed to run free.
  - B** Nothing seems to have changed after the new law on hunting.
  - C** The hunters seem to have adopted a strange system of hunting.
  - D** The dogs seemed to be losing their ability to find a fox.
- 16 According to Brian Hook,**
- A** he enjoys the thrill of the hunt as much as ever.
  - B** the hunters try to deceive the public.
  - C** it's difficult to keep up with a hunt to see what is really happening.
  - D** it is impossible for them to monitor all the hunts.
- 17 The new law**
- A** forbids dogs to chase foxes.
  - B** allows dogs to kill a fox as long as the kill is monitored.
  - C** has proved to be difficult to enforce.
  - D** forbids foxes to be shot.
- 18 What was done wrong in the case of Richard Black?**
- A** He should not have used dogs to flush the fox out of the hole.
  - B** He was slow to intervene when the fox was caught.
  - C** He realised too late that his dogs had caught a fox.
  - D** He shot the fox and then gave it to the dogs.
- 19 Hook believes that**
- A** the countryside will be overrun with foxes.
  - B** the law was intended to make the killing of foxes less cruel.
  - C** the fox could become an endangered species.
  - D** traditional hunting methods are the only way to control the fox population.
- 20 The interviewer seems to think that**
- A** the issue is too emotive to be settled easily.
  - B** the police aren't really interested in the hunting laws.
  - C** animal rights activists need to take a stronger stand.
  - D** hunters and animal rights activists need to debate the issue further.

## LISTENING - Part 4

You will hear five short extracts in which people are talking about animals. While you listen you must complete both tasks.

### TASK ONE

For questions 21-25, choose from the list A-H the person who is speaking.

<b>A</b>	a poacher	Speaker 1	21	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B</b>	a holiday guide	Speaker 2	22	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>C</b>	a vet	Speaker 3	23	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D</b>	a shopkeeper	Speaker 4	24	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E</b>	a farmer	Speaker 5	25	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>F</b>	an animal shelter worker			
<b>G</b>	an animal rights activist			
<b>H</b>	a photographer			

### TASK TWO

For questions 26-30, choose from the list A-H what each speaker is expressing [the statement which most accurately reflects what is said by the speaker].

<b>A</b>	It's not my responsibility to protect animals.	Speaker 1	26	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>B</b>	Some people have a selfish attitude towards animal preservation.	Speaker 2	27	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>C</b>	I've been injured by a wild animal many times.	Speaker 3	28	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>D</b>	People only listen to extreme behaviour.	Speaker 4	29	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>E</b>	I think people should refrain from violence whatever the situation.	Speaker 5	30	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>F</b>	I am as interested in the animal's character as its appearance.			
<b>G</b>	I'm thinking of selling my business.			
<b>H</b>	I feel like I'm being exploited.			