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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.

Hello Diana Nielson speaking. Hello? .. yes.. Margaret? Margaret who? Oh my God Margaret! you're back? How long have you been here? Oh great! Well, will we see you? Oh Aberdeen! Why are you going to Aberdeen? Lucy? Lucy's getting married? How old is she? Oh my god! That's great! Well yes yes! Of course! Yes, I'd love to come. Ok. All right then. Talk to you soon. Bye!

Read item 2. Listen again and respond.

B.

Read item 3. Listen and respond.

Nicholas. Nicholas Jameson speaking. Yes? An opinion poll? No no no... I'm not interested in politics. I'm sorry. I'm too busy to talk on the phone. I'm sorry. But what.. the children's library? The authorities are trying to shut down the library? Not enough children in the area. And what.. they want to turn it into some sort of internet café. Oh yes yes.. carry on then.. my name is Nicholas Jameson... J-A-M-E-S-O-N...oh yes I'm a strong supporter of the library. Yes indeed! Ok... bye!

Read item 4. Listen again and respond.

C.

Read item 5. Listen and respond.

Hello! Hey Jane what's up? Yeah..oh... oh ok... oh you have a meeting today? Oh ok good luck with that. Oh..well I would like to look after your daughter... you know something Jane... to be honest with you.. I was really planning on working on some proposals and I'm really going to be very swamped. Yeah I know I mean but... wait a second.. how about ... yeah ok... you said that you have to meet some people from... you have out of town clients.. all right.. but how about your boss? I mean... ohhhh.. his wife came back from the hospital.. oh..ok.. eye surgery... I know I get it... ok yeah...All right well.. I'll come by and pick her up.. fine, you know something I'll just make some sandwiches. she's going to stay the night right? Your daughter I mean ? Ok She can stay over and sleep over... all right...yeah..well ok..then I'll put them to bed early and maybe I'll stay up all night and work on these proposals then... Ok what time do you want me to? .. Ok alright. I'll be there at 5... Ok take it easy... Yeah bye.

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.

Woman: So I met this guy in a bar.

Man: You did....

Woman: Yes,... I gave him my number and we ended up talking and it turns out he's a vegetarian
 Man: I am as well. D' you know that?
 Woman: Oh I didn't know that...
 Man: So what happened with your guy?
 Woman: Well it turns out that his reasoning is that he doesn't agree with the treatment of the animals, which I agree.., but I like meat too much so I eat it anyway.. (fade out)

Read items 9-11. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

Woman: (fade in) but I like meat too much so I eat it anyway.. but he, if you were on a date with him and you order something that has meat or fish, he won't pay for you.
 Man: Ah.. that's cool, that's a great idea!
 Woman: I don't think so.... Then you're forcing your views on somebody else.
 Man: No... You're just not paying for it. You're not paying for animals to be killed.
 Woman: Yes, but if you're on a date you pay for the woman.
 Man: I do personally, but then the woman I date doesn't eat meat... so..
 Woman: Well why are you a vegetarian?
 Man: Same thing with what you said... I don't agree with the way animals are treated, factory farming generally, being raised to be killed and it's very inhumane.

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

ACTIVITY 3

Read items 12-15. Listen and choose the best answer (A, B, or C) for each item.

Song....

Human beings are programmed to be good at war. You and I and anyone else who might be listening to this are here because we are good at war or rather our ancestors were good at war. But I'm optimistic... I think generally human beings are very very resourceful and generally people want to survive..and despite this that gene we have for war we also have a very strong instinct for survival.(song in background) Hello and welcome to the 2010 series of future tense, I'm Anthony Fenell.

Now when author and peace activist Andrew Grake first wrote to me suggesting the Future of Peace as the theme for a programme I have to confess I was a little uncertain as to how it would fly. Yes, a peaceful future is a wonderful idea but, how realistic is it? Then,. as I began to explore the area my perspective changed...so peace it is, hence the music. Today we'll hear from people who believe that it's not only possible to build a more peaceful future but that construction is already under way. Right then, let's start with what we mean by peace today and how that's changed over recent decades.

Listen again and check your answers.

ACTIVITY 4

What are they looking at? Listen and complete items 16-20 with one word, as in the example.

- Ex. Mmm..I can't decide what to have. Everything looks delicious. I think I'll go with the seafood pasta. Oh wait. Maybe I should get the spinach and ricato lasagna. That sounds good too. Oh I don't know. There's too much to choose from.
16. Oh this is amazing! It's so life-like. Oh just look at the blue and the sky and the sea. It's breathtaking really. Definitely a work of a genius. I'm so glad we came to this gallery after all.

17. *Well I like it. The colour, the style, the design even though it's slightly out of my budget. Ok let's recap then. All right you said that the sun roof is included. The leather seats are extra. The steering wheel is adjustable. The DVD player is included and there are no other hidden costs.*
18. *mmm... don't you think this is too big for our living room? I mean I like the color and everything, but I'd prefer something smaller... maybe one for two people instead... with large cushions...you know... but not in leather... I can't stand leather... it makes you feel so uncomfortable every time you sit on it... oh... wouldn't it be better if got one that could be turned into a bed... you know... one for that unexpected guest...*
19. *- Hang on... where are we? This doesn't look very familiar- I think we're lost.
- Ok. Wait a minute... let's not panic. Alright, according to this, we...if we walk down this street right here and make a left, mean, we should be able to find, you know, the cathedral right there, it's right there,in our reach...
- Ok... right...
- It shows here that... it's in the area....
- Right... ok then...
- Ok?...Let's take the street...
- Ok, good, you're in charge...*
20. *Oh here is what I'm going to get Mark. Since he is into science fiction, he'll definitely love this. It just came out and it's getting great reviews from what I hear. Fast-paced plot with many fascinating characters –all packed in 300 pages! A real page-turner!*

Listen again and check your answers.