

On the Radio

You are going to listen to 10 news items or extracts from different radio programmes. After each item there are one or two questions for you to answer.

Listen and choose the correct alternative – A, B, C or D. Mark your answer by putting a cross in the correct box.

Listen carefully! You will only hear each item **once**.

1 What is the news item about?

- A A holiday in the Far East
- B A famous clinic
- C A Malaysian newspaper
- D A serious accident



2 What is said about the little dog?

She ...

- A had swallowed a lot of toffees
- B was operated on immediately
- C had to travel back home alone
- D rushed out from the vet's surgery



3 What is this all about?

- A Well-behaved children
- B Disappointed adults
- C Adults behaving badly
- D Bringing up children



4 What is it all about?

- A A hunt in Canada
- B A modern gun
- C An airline strike
- D A kind of bird



5 What is reported here?

- A Waiting room equipment may spread infections
- B Hard toys are especially dangerous for young children
- C Infected children prefer soft toys in waiting rooms
- D Children don't like being entertained in waiting rooms



6 What is special about the coin mentioned?

It ...

- A is made of gold and silver
- B has a unique pattern
- C was sold for less than was expected
- D was found in the centre of London



7 What is the item about?

- A Returning unusual animals to the wild
- B Russia's plans to protect animals in danger
- C Animals that may disappear
- D Animals living in a London zoo



8 What are we told here?

- A The Masai people do not eat meat from their own cattle
- B The cattle in Kenya are much healthier than other cattle
- C The Masai people try to cure their sick cattle themselves
- D The cattle in Kenya never get foot-and-mouth disease



9a What is said about the pool frogs?

They ...

- A make sounds that people cannot hear
- B sound the same all over Europe
- C make louder sounds than common frogs
- D sound different depending on where they live

9b What was found out by examining fossils of pool frogs?

- A Why they died out
- B How they jumped
- C Where they came from
- D What they ate



10a What is said about Mr Campbell?

He ...

- A collects money for people in need
- B is going to work with transportation
- C gives talks at formal dinners
- D will move to Scotland next year

10b His stories were always ...

- A five-minute stories
- B about world records
- C chosen for the audience
- D based on his own life

