

Ключи к заданиям**PART 1. LISTENING****Answer sheet 1. Put the numbers**

0.	520	a.	<i>the width of the Barrier (metres)</i>
1.	8	b.	the number of years that took to build the barrier
2.	1982	c.	when it was completed
3.	535	d.	how much it cost to build (millions)
4.	9	e.	the number of piers
5.	61	f.	the width of the largest gates (metres)
6.	1500	g.	the weight of the largest gates (tonnes)
7.	50	h.	the height of each pier (metres)
8.	5	i.	the number of storeys high each gate can be raised to
9.	70	j.	the number of times the gates have been raised so far
10.	75	k.	the amount the River Thames rises each 100 years (centimetres)
11.	750,000	l.	the number of Londoners in danger from flooding

Script 1

Guide: OK, quiet please! Can everyone hear me? Welcome to the Thames Barrier! As you can see the Barrier goes right across the River Thames. It is 520 metres wide and took eight years to build ... it was completed in 1982. Can you see those big things that look like hats? They're called piers. There are nine of them. Each pier is 50 metres high from top to bottom. Between them you can see the steel gates. There are ten gates in total. Six of these gates rise up out of the water in order to form a barrier. The four largest of these steel gates are 61 metres wide and weigh 1500 tonnes each. When they are not in use these gates lie flat in concrete sills on the river bed. Down there also are two service tunnels. When there is a danger of flooding, these six gates are raised to form a

barrier between the piers. When raised, each is as high as a five-storey building. The other four gates are smaller, and they are lowered into the water. On the front of each pier are some navigation lights. A red cross means the gate is closed, and a green arrow means it's open. The gates are powered by electricity. The power packs are immediately below the steel roofs ... inside the hats.

The Thames Barrier protects London from flooding. This is necessary because every 100 years the water in the river rises 75 centimetres ... This is due mostly to global warming but also in part because the south of England is sinking slowly. But the rising water level isn't the main threat. The main danger of flooding comes from sudden big waves that come in from far out to sea - these are called tidal surges. So far, the Barrier has protected London against flooding nearly 70 times. 750,000 people living in London are in danger from flooding, so it's very important to them! It wasn't cheap - it cost over £535 million to build. But this is a lot less than it would cost to repair any damage to London if the city was flooded. Now, are there any questions?

Answer sheet 2. Put T (True) or F (False)

12	13	14	15	16	17
T	F	F	F	T	T

Answer sheet 3. Put an expression

18	Apparently
19	Personally
20	After all
21	Hopefully
22	Obviously

23	Presumably
24	Still
25	In fact

Script 2

Neil: I want to do something different for our holidays this year. Ideally, something adventurous for a change.

Emma: Really? What sort of thing?

N: Dunno, actually. Maybe going to a lake and learning water sports. **Apparently**, windsurfing is exciting and we could also learn to sail.

E: It doesn't sound much fun to me. **Personally**, I prefer something a bit more relaxing. Basically, I think we work hard enough all year so that we deserve to do nothing somewhere nice for a couple of weeks.

N: But I'm fed up with lying on a beach and all that. We can do that any old time. It's high time we had some new experiences in life. **After all**, we don't get much holiday a year.

E: Well, obviously, I'm very impressed with your new lease of life. However, I'm still not sure what you have in mind or if I want to do it, too.

N: Let's have a look on the Internet, and see what sort of thing there is. **Hopefully**, we can find something that suits us both.

E: Oh, OK then. But I'm not promising anything.

E: Oh, look. Now that's what I call a holiday!

N: The Maldives? Small beach islands in the middle of the Indian Ocean? Not on your life! **Obviously**, you weren't paying attention to a thing I was saying! Anyway, they're far too expensive.

E: No, but look! Look what you can do! There are windsurfing and scuba-diving lessons. **Presumably**, there'll be sailing lessons, too. Yes, look. Sailing. Even something called paragliding. No idea what that is, though.

N: Hmm. Sounds interesting, actually. **Still**, you can bet your life that it'll cost a fortune.

E: **In fact**, it's not too bad if you go off-season. Look here at the prices. And off-season a lot of the activities are included in the price. Oh, please let's go. Personally, I've always wanted to go to a desert island. It looks idyllic. It'll be the holiday of a lifetime!

N: But you don't want an action holiday.

E: I don't have to have one. I can lie on the beach and watch you exhausting yourself. That's my idea of a good time!

N: Charming, I must say! Well, let's find out more about it. Get your coat. We're off to the travel agent's. Actually, we'd better go to the bank first. Come on. There's no time to lose.

E: Wow! OK, then. I'm coming.

N: And I bet I can get you onto a boat by the end of the holiday!

E: I told you. I'm not promising anything!

PART 2. READING

Answer sheet 4. Put the letters (a-f)

1	2	3	4	5	6
c	a	f	e	d	b

Answer sheet 5. Put a number (1-3)

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Answer sheet 6. Put the letters (A-D)

7	8	9	10	11
D	D	C	B	C

Answer sheet 7. Put one word

12	spectacular
13	flat
14	landscape
15	curious
16	peak
17	settlement
18	dangerous
19	lesser
20	feed

PART 3. USE OF ENGLISH

Answer sheet 8. Put the sentences. Every meaningful sentence written according to the example is correct.

0	<i>The hopeful bank manager walked quietly towards the kitchen.</i>
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Answer sheet 9. Put the letters (a-j)

7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
e	g	i	c	j	a	d	h	f	b

Answer sheet 10. Put the letters (A-H)

0	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
I	D	A	C	H	G	E	F	B

Answer sheet 11. Put the letters (a-u) and transcription

25	died	33	knew	41	that
26	made	34	than	42	which
27	has been	35	the volume	43	did
28	over	36	when	44	the same
29	like	37	into	45	had
30	whether	38	own	[,ɑ:kɪ/ə'mi:di:z]	
31	had to	39	before		
32	a mixture	40	the crown		