

## MATURITA

## PŘEPISY NAHRÁVEK

## Listening, Part 1

## Questions 1–4

You will hear people talking in four different situations. For questions 1–4, choose the correct picture: A, B, C or D.

## One

What will the son have to buy for his new flat?

**Mother:** The flat's nice, isn't it?

**Son:** Yeah, but the kitchen's awful. Everything needs to be replaced.

**Mother:** Well, that shouldn't be too big a problem.

**Son:** I guess not. I could take grandma's fridge for free, couldn't I? And I've already got a new cooker. Yesterday, I even tried to cook my first dinner.

**Mother:** Aha, so that's why there are heaps of dirty dishes...

**Son:** Um, that's because the dishwasher just makes funny noises. It's no use at all.

**Mother:** OK, so you'll need a new one of those then. Tell you what, I'll clean the kitchen now, and you can go down and bring the microwave up from my car. I won it in a tombola last year.

**Son:** Mum, you're fabulous. I'll order a new dishwasher on the internet right away, so this'll be the last time you have to get your hands wet and dirty. Now I'll bring up the microwave and make us some popcorn.

## Two

What was the first thing Freddie did in the morning?

It was such a lovely morning that I decided not to walk my dog Freddie first thing as usual. I decided to have breakfast in the garden instead. I gave Freddie a bowl of his favourite meat, too, but he didn't even touch it. He was more interested in running after the neighbour's cat. They were running about among the trees when suddenly the cat jumped over a beehive in the garden. The dog tried to follow, but he knocked the hive over. All the bees were out in a moment, and he got stung quite badly. When I saw him, I was ready to take him to the vet immediately. But you know what? Freddie just came back to me and started eating his food as if nothing had happened.

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1B, 2A

## Listening, Part 2

You are going to hear two friends talking about studying abroad. Decide whether the statements 1–8 are true (T) or false (F).

**Luisa:** Tom, when did you get home? I was expecting you last Saturday.

**Tom:** Yeah, I know. My flight back from Scotland was planned for Saturday, but two days before the departure the airline called me to reschedule my flight. It was their fault because they overbooked the plane, but I couldn't do anything about it. To be honest, I loved staying in Scotland for a few more days. I flew home on Wednesday. I'm sorry I missed your birthday party on Sunday, though.

**Luisa:** Never mind. But tell me, what was it like doing a full semester in Scotland? And why was it Scotland in the first place?

**Tom:** I wanted to discover the country my father's family came from. I wanted to sort of explore my identity.

**Luisa:** I thought you were Portuguese on your father's side and Welsh on your mother's side.

**Tom:** Maybe that's because my dad teaches Portuguese. Yeah, I'm Welsh on my mother's side. I had a plenty of time to explore Wales as well. At first I thought about renting a car for the trips to Wales, but the train service there is perfect and fast. And of course I was worried about driving on the left.

**Luisa:** That would be OK for me, but I'd be afraid to drive a car with a manual transmission. Here in the US, I've only ever driven automatic. Anyway, how was it in school? Did you get all the credits you needed?

**Tom:** Well, I didn't have enough time to finish all the writing I was required to hand in during the course. But I managed to do all the experiments. You know, it was a marine biology course. The university is right on the North Sea coast, so it was pretty easy.

**Luisa:** Lucky you. I'd love to be able to go sunbathing on the beach as a part of my study programme.

**Tom:** Haha. The weather was so changeable that I didn't sunbathe a single day. Anyway, I promised the Scottish professors to mail them my thesis, as the results of my experiments will be a part of it. I hope my American professors will like them as well.

**Luisa:** What did you do?

**Tom:** I was doing a chemical analysis of the Scottish beach sands. Maybe you could help me – it goes with your area of study. Ecology, isn't it?

**Luisa:** Not any more. I've switched to social sciences, and that won't be any help to you.

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1F, 2F, 3T, 4F, 5F, 6T, 7T, 8F