












# The Big Challenge 2026







## 2° ESO





1		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No, I'm not.</li><li>• Yes, please.</li><li>• <b>Yes, it is.</b></li><li>• He's Peter.</li></ul>
2		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>I'm very well, thanks.</b></li><li>• It's Monday.</li><li>• I'm at home.</li><li>• Yes, I am.</li></ul>
3		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 113</li><li>• 830</li><li>• <b>813</b></li><li>• 533</li></ul>
4		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A</li><li>• B</li><li>• <b>C</b></li><li>• D</li></ul>
5		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A</li><li>• <b>B</b></li><li>• C</li><li>• D</li></ul>
6		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A</li><li>• B</li><li>• <b>C</b></li><li>• D</li></ul>
7		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Black</li><li>• Blue</li><li>• <b>White</b></li><li>• Red</li></ul>





8		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• B</li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
9		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Jerri</li> <li>• Gerri</li> <li>• Jerry</li> <li>• <b>Jeri</b></li> </ul>
10		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes, they are.</li> <li>• Yes, it's my mother.</li> <li>• No, she isn't here.</li> <li>• <b>No, it's mine.</b></li> </ul>
11		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• B</li> <li>• C</li> <li>• <b>D</b></li> </ul>
12		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• <b>B</b></li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
13		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Thursday</li> <li>• Monday</li> <li>• <b>Wednesday</b></li> <li>• Saturday</li> </ul>
14		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• B</li> <li>• C</li> <li>• <b>D</b></li> </ul>
15		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A</b></li> <li>• B</li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>






16		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• <b>B</b></li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
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18		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Get down!</li> <li>• Watch!</li> <li>• Keep up!</li> <li>• <b>Look out!</b></li> </ul>
19		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What a disaster!</li> <li>• You mustn't break it.</li> <li>• <b>It doesn't matter.</b></li> <li>• It's a pleasure.</li> </ul>
20		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A</li> <li>• <b>B</b></li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
21		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>They're playing cards. Jack never plays very well.</b></li> <li>• They're running because they're late for a concert. Jack can't run very fast.</li> <li>• They're at a service station. Jack is filling the tank with petrol.</li> <li>• They're having dinner. Jack's eating very slowly.</li> </ul>
22	[AUDIO]	<p>It's Saturday evening. Listen to the conversation. What's the girl's father going to say now?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Have fun!</b></li> <li>• Have a nice day!</li> <li>• Have a good trip!</li> <li>• Have a lot of time!</li> </ul>





23	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation. What can the boy say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• He doesn't like me.</li> <li>• She isn't a good teacher.</li> <li>• I really like her.</li> <li>• <b>She's not very nice.</b></li> </ul>
24	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation between Jane and Rob. Rob isn't interested in history, so what can he say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes, it's the best.</li> <li>• I don't.</li> <li>• Not me.</li> <li>• <b>I feel the same.</b></li> </ul>
25	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation. What can the woman say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• No, it's very near here.</li> <li>• Yes, there's a bus that goes there.</li> <li>• <b>Yes, but it's quite a long way.</b></li> <li>• Yes, I think it's open.</li> </ul>
26	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation. What can the man say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Yes, I hope so.</li> <li>• That's good.</li> <li>• Are you really?</li> <li>• <b>Oh, I hope not.</b></li> </ul>
27	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation. What's the woman talking about?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Visiting a volcano.</li> <li>• Flying to the moon.</li> <li>• <b>Riding a camel.</b></li> <li>• Driving a Ferrari.</li> </ul>
28	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation. What can Ryan's mother say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You must help yourself.</li> <li>• I'm joking.</li> <li>• <b>I mean it.</b></li> <li>• It's your go.</li> </ul>
29	[AUDIO]	Listen. What can you hear?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• They're hurt.</li> <li>• They hurt.</li> <li>• <b>They heard.</b></li> <li>• They're hard.</li> </ul>
30	[AUDIO]	Listen. What three words can you hear?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ice, mean, cat</li> <li>• us, men, cut</li> <li>• eyes, main, cut</li> <li>• <b>ice, main, cut</b></li> </ul>

31	[AUDIO]	Listen and find the word that has the same two vowel sounds as the word you hear.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• certain</li> <li>• visa</li> <li>• disturb</li> <li>• <b>crystal</b></li> </ul>
32		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A</b></li> <li>• B</li> <li>• C</li> <li>• D</li> </ul>
33	[AUDIO]	Listen, and find the answer to the question.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You eat it.</li> <li>• You drink it.</li> <li>• <b>You sing it.</b></li> <li>• You decorate it.</li> </ul>
34	I ... eat all this spaghetti. Do you want some?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>can't</b></li> <li>• don't like</li> <li>• am not going</li> <li>• am not</li> </ul>
35	Zoe's parents ... £10 pocket money every week.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• doesn't get</li> <li>• are giving her</li> <li>• <b>usually give her</b></li> <li>• hasn't got</li> </ul>
36	There ... people on the beach today. It's too cold.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• isn't any</li> <li>• <b>are no</b></li> <li>• are many</li> <li>• aren't some</li> </ul>
37	What ... when he got the message?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>did Peter do</b></li> <li>• did your brother</li> <li>• does he say</li> <li>• Roger did</li> </ul>
38	Jim can play the piano ... better ... I can.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a lot ... as</li> <li>• is ... that</li> <li>• <b>much ... than</b></li> <li>• more ... than</li> </ul>

39	If it ... soon, these plants ... die.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• won't rain ... are going to</li> <li>• rains ... always</li> <li>• <b>doesn't rain ... will</b></li> <li>• is raining ... won't</li> </ul>
40	Rosie is writing ... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• a postcard to a friend</li> <li>• to her parents in London</li> <li>• about her visit to Wales</li> <li>• <b>to her grandparents in Wales</b></li> </ul>
41	What was the problem with the first hotel?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It wasn't close to Big Ben.</li> <li>• <b>It wasn't clean and it was loud.</b></li> <li>• The breakfasts weren't very good.</li> <li>• It was clean but it was near a train station.</li> </ul>
42	What happened at Buckingham Palace?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Rosie's dad got in trouble when he got too close to the guards.</b></li> <li>• Rosie's mum didn't see the King because she stayed at home.</li> <li>• Rosie's dad took a selfie with the guards.</li> <li>• Rosie was upset when the guards shouted at her dad.</li> </ul>

<p>43</p>	<p>Find the sentence that ISN'T true.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If it doesn't rain, the family will see the penguins at the zoo.</li> <li>• Rosie would rather see penguins than visit the Tower of London.</li> <li>• If it rains, they won't see any penguins.</li> <li>• <b>Sunny weather will mean Rosie can see penguins at the Tower of London.</b></li> </ul>
<p>44</p>	<p>Gavin is writing about ...</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>a party at his house</b></li> <li>• a terrible experience</li> <li>• a party at a friend's house</li> <li>• a party at his school</li> </ul>
<p>45</p>	<p>What do we know about Gavin?</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• His sister works in an office.</li> <li>• <b>His parents have both got jobs.</b></li> <li>• He doesn't like Halloween parties.</li> <li>• He wanted to buy a costume for the party</li> </ul>
<p>46</p>	<p>Gavin didn't rent the Spider-Man outfit because ...</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• it was the only costume he didn't like</li> <li>• it looked disappointing</li> <li>• <b>it was the wrong size</b></li> <li>• he preferred the witch's costume</li> </ul>

47	What can you say about Gavin's costume?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>The paint on his clothes and his face looked just like blood.</b></li> <li>• He wore a zombie costume but no one was scared of him except the dog.</li> <li>• He spent a lot of money on his costume and it looked good.</li> <li>• He found an old shirt that had holes in it and wore it to the party.</li> </ul>
48	Find the sentence that is definitely NOT true.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gavin goes to the same school as his sister.</li> <li>• Emma's costume wasn't cheaper than Gavin's.</li> <li>• There were more adults than children at the party.</li> <li>• <b>The party was the day before Halloween.</b></li> </ul>
49	The leader of the British government is called the ... Minister.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• King's</li> <li>• First</li> <li>• <b>Prime</b></li> <li>• Head</li> </ul>
50	London is on the River ... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Avon</li> <li>• Trent</li> <li>• Severn</li> <li>• <b>Thames</b></li> </ul>
51	Find the list of things that are all part of a traditional English breakfast.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>beans, bacon, marmalade</b></li> <li>• toast, cereal, rice</li> <li>• sausages, eggs, peas</li> <li>• tea, mushrooms, cheese</li> </ul>

52	In that box of cupcakes, ... chocolate ... are there?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• it is ... that</li> <li>• a lot of ... ones</li> <li>• <b>how many ... ones</b></li> <li>• how often ... cakes</li> </ul>
53	Find the right title for this “family” of words: fur, bark, bone.		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Trees</li> <li>• <b>Dogs</b></li> <li>• The Human Body</li> <li>• Ships</li> </ul>
54	When you buy your ticket for the concert, ... a ticket as well, will you?		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>get me</b></li> <li>• buy for me</li> <li>• why not buying</li> <li>• you'll get</li> </ul>
55	The “i” in “island” sounds like ... .		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the “ai” in “chain”</li> <li>• the “ei” in “weight”</li> <li>• <b>the “y” in “shy”</b></li> <li>• the “ie” in “believe”</li> </ul>