























The Big Challenge 2022


Level 3








1		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I'm nearly fifteen. • No, I'm not. • I'm not very well. • I'm Maria.
2		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Doctor Simpson, please. • Yes, that's right. • Jane Hamilton. • No, thank you.
3		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
4		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
5		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
6		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Some notebooks and a pair of glasses. • A cup of tea. • Some coloured pencils. • A table.
7		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D






8		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
9		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Alex is Nathalie's niece. • Alex is Bob and Debbie's daughter. • Alex is Patrick's brother. • Alex is Nathalie's aunt.
10		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A. £12.70 • C. £11.70 • B. £12.17 • D. £22.17
11		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
12		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English • Geography • History • Maths
13		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
14		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
15		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tie • book • grass • smile







16		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Adding a bookmark. • Writing a footnote. • Marking the keyboard. • Changing a preference.
17		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
18		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • He thinks he's going to lose his job. • His girlfriend is seriously ill in hospital. • He's afraid his girlfriend doesn't want to see him any more. • When he phones his girlfriend's office, she's never there.
19		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
20		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
21		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Their house is full of antique vases. • They're very fond of old things. • They sometimes buy old Chinese vases. • They don't really like antiques.




22	[AUDIO]	Listen. Robbie is phoning his girlfriend. What can she say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very fast! • By bus. • Great! • All the time.
23		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A • C • B • D
24	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation. What can the man say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • I don't mind. • Don't upset me. • You're welcome. • It's very tidy.
25		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It's not up to you. • It doesn't match. • It doesn't belong to you. • It doesn't suit you.
26	[AUDIO]	Listen. Mr Palmer is calling Mel. What can Mel say now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take care of Ben for me. • I'll put Ben away. • I'll look after Ben. • Ben will be careful with me.
27	[AUDIO]	Listen to Mr Brown. He's on the phone. What's he talking about?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • His children. • A new pair of glasses. • His car. • Some plants he has ordered.

28	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation between Sam and Karen. What can you say about the situation?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They're playing a guessing game. Karen can't find the right answer. • Karen promises Sam that she will stop eating meat. • Karen has to admit to Sam that she gives money to a bully at school. • Karen finally agrees to lend Sam some money.
29	[AUDIO]	Listen. What's the word?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • leaf • leave • live • lift
30	[AUDIO]	Listen and find the word that doesn't rhyme.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • stuff • rough • tough • cough
31	[AUDIO]	Listen. What three words can you hear?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • such, party, list • search, hardly, least • search, partly, least • such, partly, list
32		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • California • Pennsylvania • Alaska • Texas
33		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The United States of America • Canada • The United Kingdom • Australia
34		"Let's look at the menu. Hmm. Steak for me, I think. What?"	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • do you have • are you having • you want • have you got

35		David often to the gym after work because he's too tired.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • does ... like going • goes ... every day • isn't ... going • doesn't ... go
36		After lunch, the old lady put the television on and it until 5 o'clock.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • looks at • watches • is watching • watched
37		“You've got ten minutes to finish the exam. You must all stop writing when the bell”	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is ringing • will ring • rings • is going to ring
38		I can't remember the words of that song because I sung it years.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • haven't ... for • didn't have ... in • didn't ... for many • didn't want to ... since
39		He the world. He's already had three accidents this year!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • drives the worst of • is the most dangerous driving in • is the worst driver in • drives most dangerously of
40		Robert Delamere	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is going to build a swimming pool • left £2,000 to his old school • went to the same school as Harriet • died a long time ago
41		We know from the article that	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the school's swimming pool is rather old • the school doesn't need any money • the school hasn't got a swimming pool • Harriet thinks swimming pools are too expensive

42		<p>Harriet hopes that students and parents can help, because they can</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • give her the things she needs to buy for the pool • sell things that she doesn't want any more • find all sorts of things that nobody wants • give things they don't need but which others will like
43		<p>According to information in the article, we know that</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Harriet doesn't want people to give her things that are too big • Harriet can accept any gifts at all, including money • the objects that the school will sell at the Summer Fair will be quite small • Harriet is not only asking for clothes, books and ornaments
44		<p>The subject of this article is</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • a competition • how to make cheese • a very old village • how to win a lot of money
45		<p>According to the text, the competition at Cooper's Hill</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • began when the Romans lived in Britain • is the strangest tradition in Britain • takes place every spring • is probably the oldest tradition in Britain
46		<p>The cheese</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • is big, but it can reach a high speed • rolls slowly down the hill • follows the competitors when they run down the hill • is pushed down the hill by the competitors

47		<p>If you want to win the competition, you have to the bottom of the hill.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • catch the cheese before it reaches • be in front of the other competitors when you get to • run past the cheese before it gets to • make sure you don't fall before you reach
48		<p>One competitor thinks that</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • keeping a tradition is more important than having fun • it's a tradition for people to hurt themselves in the competition • the important thing is to win; it doesn't matter if you hurt yourself • the risk of hurting yourself is part of the fun of the competition
49		<p>The traditional American Thanksgiving dinner usually includes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • barbecue sauce • brown bread • roast turkey • pancakes
50		<p>Which of these is not in New York?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Statue of Liberty • The White House • The Empire State Building • Manhattan
51		<p>The Duke of , who defeated Napoleon at Waterloo in 1815, gave his name to a capital city.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Edinburgh • Washington • Wellington • Cardiff
52		<p>“Mashed” and “jacket” can both be used as adjectives with the same noun. Which noun?</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • fire • pocket • ceremony • potato

53		<p>There's a terrible smell in the street because the bins for a week now. The dustmen are on strike.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • are staying there • were last emptied • haven't been emptied • stayed outside
54		<p>Find the pair of words that rhymes.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • size, nice • voice, toys • choose, lose • keys, peace
55		<p>She's exhausted because she always wants to do everything by herself. She never help her.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • needs her friends • wants anyone to • asks that people • likes if we