The Big Challenge 2025

Level 1

Answer key / Correction

1 **This is Lily. Listen to the question. What can she answer?**

♪ AUDIO

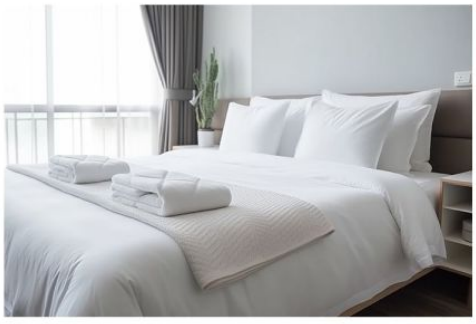
- **I'm Lily.** ✓
- It’s sunny today.
- It's Lily.
- Thanks.

2 **This is Jack. Listen to the question. What can he answer?**

♪ AUDIO

- I'm Jack.
- I’m at school.
- **I'm not very well.** ✓
- I'm English.

3 **Look, listen, and find the answer.**



♪ AUDIO

- In a bedroom.
- It’s white.
- **It's a bed.** ✓
- There are five.

4 **This is Maggie. Listen to the question. What can she answer?**

♪ AUDIO

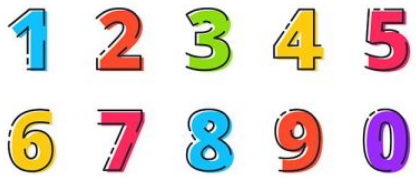
- I'm fine.
- I'm from London.
- **I'm fifteen.** ✓
- I’m cold.

5 **This is Ben. Listen to the question. What can he answer?**

♪ AUDIO

- Yes, I can.
- **Yes, I am.** ✓
- I'm Ben.
- Yes, very well.

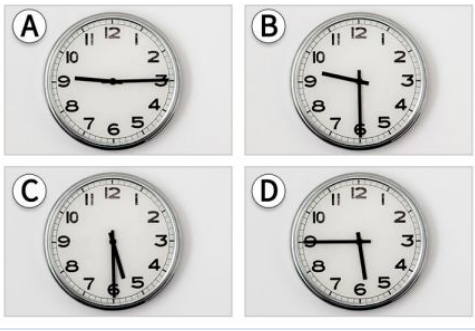
6 **Look, listen, and find the answer.**



♪ AUDIO

- Green.
- Blue.
- Red.
- **Yellow.** ✓

7 **Look and listen. What's the time? A, B, C or D?**



♪ AUDIO

- A
- **B** ✓
- C
- D

8 **Look, listen, and find the right picture.**

♪ AUDIO

- A
- B
- **C** ✓
- D

9 **Look, listen, and find the right picture.**

♪ AUDIO

- A
- B
- C
- **D** ✓

10 **Look, listen, and find the right picture.**

♪ AUDIO

- A
- B
- **C** ✓
- D

11 **Tom is phoning Anne. Look, listen to Tom's question, and find Anne's answer.**

♪ AUDIO

- In half an hour.
- At four o’clock.
- **I’m on the train.** ✓
- To London.

12 **Look, and listen to Naomi. Find the picture of her.**

♪ AUDIO

- **A** ✓
- B
- C
- D

13 **Look, listen, and find the right picture.**

♪ AUDIO

- A
- B
- **C** ✓
- D

14 **Look, listen, and find the answer.**

♪ AUDIO

- It's a table.
- It's a piece of toast.
- **It's a glass of orange juice.** ✓
- It's an egg.

15 **Look, listen, and find the answer to the question.**

♪ AUDIO

- He's got a blue coat.
- **The girl in the yellow coat.** ✓
- The girl is next to him.
- A pink coat.

16 **Look, and listen to the man. Find the picture of him and his family.**

♪ AUDIO

- A
- **B** ✓
- C
- D

17 **Look and listen. Which sentence describes the woman and the man? Choose A, B, C or D.**

♪ AUDIO

A ✓

B

C

D

18 **Look, listen, and find the right picture.**

♪ AUDIO

A

B

C ✓

D

19 **Look and listen. What is the woman is saying. Is it A, B, C or D?**

♪ AUDIO

A

B ✓

C

D

20 **Listen to the situation. What can you say to Ellie now?**

♪ AUDIO

You can have him.

There they are.

Here you are. ✓

I can find it.

21 **Kate is on the phone. Listen to her. What can you say about the situation?**

♪ AUDIO

Kate is with her brother. They aren't hungry. She's talking to her mother.

Kate's buying theatre tickets for a group of adults.

Kate is telling her friend that she doesn't need petrol for her motor bike.

Kate is working. She takes phone reservations for a restaurant. ✓

22 **Listen to the conversation. What can the woman say now?**

♪ AUDIO

I'm sorry! ✓

It's time.

No problem.

That's nice.

23 **Listen. What's the man's name?**

♪ AUDIO

Seagent

Sargent ✓

Sarjent

Sergint

24 **Listen to the conversation. What can you say about the man?**

♪ AUDIO

- **He's having lunch in a restaurant.** ✓
- He's buying something in a supermarket.
- He's at home with his wife.
- He's with his doctor.

25 **John's playing a video game. Listen. What can his mother say now?**

♪ AUDIO

- **Please don't make a noise.** ✓
- Can you play with me?
- You're very quiet.
- Do you want to play?

26 **Listen to Peter's mother. What's she going to say now?**

♪ AUDIO

- **Get up – now!** ✓
- Stand up immediately!
- Go to sleep.
- Move your feet!

27 **Listen to the conversation between Kelly and her father. What can he say now?**

♪ AUDIO

- What a pity!
- **I'm really pleased for you.** ✓
- That's so nice of you.
- Please don't worry.

28 **Listen. What are they talking about?**

♪ AUDIO

- Wine.
- Toothpaste.
- **Perfume.** ✓
- Tomato ketchup.

29 **Listen. What's the word?**

♪ AUDIO

- **short** ✓
- sort
- shoot
- shut

30 **Listen and find the word that rhymes with the word you hear.**

♪ AUDIO

- **eight** ✓
- white
- get
- eat

31 **Listen. What are the three words?**

♪ AUDIO

- watch, hold, man
- **wash, hold, men** ✓
- wash, old, men
- watch, old, man

32 **Listen, and find the answer to the question.**

♪ AUDIO

- George III.
- William II.
- **Charles III.** ✓
- Henry IX.

33 **Listen, and find the answer to the question.**

♪ AUDIO

- **The Tower of London.** ✓
- Big Ben.
- Buckingham Palace.
- Tower Bridge.

34 Mrs Patel ... at home.

- am
- are
- **is** ✓
- have

35 "... to bed, Sammy! It's late," says Sammy's mother.

- Listen
- Make
- Sit
- **Go** ✓

36 "… make brownies?" "Yes, I'm a very good cook."

- **Can you** ✓
- Am I
- What's
- You are

37 "… Mr and Mrs Fisher … a dog?" "Yes – he's called Bob."

- Are … have
- **Have … got** ✓
- Does … like
- Why … want

38 Jane prefers classical music, but she … to pop music too.

- **sometimes listens** ✓
- often hears
- doesn't like
- can never love

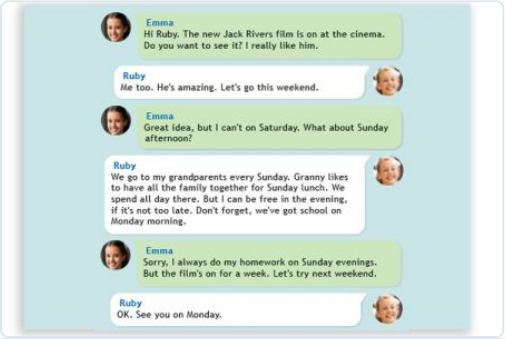
39 I … my shopping at the corner shop, but it's closed today so … to the supermarket.

- always have … I must go
- can't do … I can go
- **normally do … I'm going** ✓
- am doing … I'm going

40 Emma and Ruby ... .

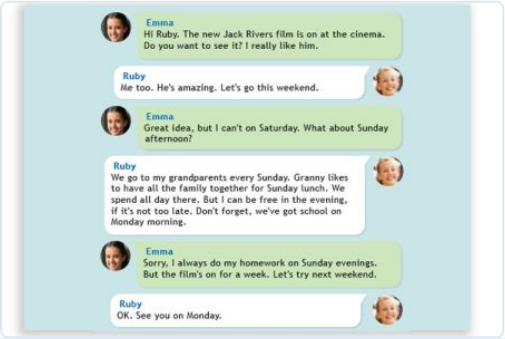
- **are schoolfriends** ✓
- are sisters
- live with their grandparents
- are at the cinema

41 Ruby always ... .



- goes to the cinema on Sunday afternoons
- spends Sunday evenings with her grandparents
- **has lunch with her family on Sundays** ✓
- goes to bed late on Sundays

42 The girls can't go to the cinema together on Sunday evening because ... .



- the film doesn't start until very late
- **Emma has something she must do, so she can't be free** ✓
- Ruby isn't free on Sunday evenings
- the cinema is closed on Sunday evenings

43 Find the sentence that ISN'T true.

- Ruby and Emma aren't going to see each other this weekend.
- **Ruby and Emma certainly aren't going to see the film together.** ✓
- The two girl are both fans of the same actor.
- Ruby's parents don't stay at home on Sundays.

44 Morris dancers dance to … music.

An article in a local newspaper

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Morris dancers

Funny hats!

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- **folk** ✓
- electronic
- classical
- rock

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- Children under the age of 12.
- People who don't like folk music.
- Only experienced dancers.
- **Teenagers and adults.** ✓

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- practise their dances every day
- **dance on the first day of May** ✓
- perform all over the world
- don't celebrate May Day

47 What can you say about the dancers?

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- Their hats and uniforms are red and yellow.
- They've got flowers on their knees.
- They hold bells in their hands.
- **They make a noise when they dance.** ✓

48 Find the sentence that is true.

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- Popular young people like traditional dances.
- This sort of dancing is about a hundred years old.
- **To join, you should send an email to Will Barker.** ✓
- Will Barker isn't the writer of the article.

49 Edinburgh and Dublin are ...

- **capital cities** ✓
- cities in Scotland
- in the United Kingdom
- British cities

50 In London, phone boxes, postboxes and buses are all ... .

- green
- **red** ✓
- yellow
- black

51 ... is a London railway station, and the battle that ended the Napoleonic Wars in 1815.

- **Waterloo** ✓
- Victoria
- Trafalgar
- Piccadilly

52 The … and in … sound the same.

- “ie” in “tries” … “believe”
- **“ou” in “south” … “mountain”** ✓
- “ea” in “early” … “bear”
- “oo” in “moon” … “book”

53 You usually find … in the bedroom.

- an oven
- a path
- **a sheet** ✓
- a tap

54 I'm amazed that your teeth are so white. You never go to the dentist's, …?

- **do you** ✓
- don't you
- are you
- isn't it

55 … there … in your classroom?

- **Are … many posters** ✓
- Is … a lot of windows
- How many are … desks
- Have you got … many desks