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## Level 1

1		On a sunny day, the ..... is blue.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• grass</li> <li>• snow</li> <li>• <b>sky</b></li> <li>• meat</li> </ul>
2		In the picture, there are two ..... on the table.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>glasses</b></li> <li>• flowers</li> <li>• people</li> <li>• bread</li> </ul>
3		Mrs Harper wants to go to bed now because she's very ..... .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• tall</li> <li>• <b>tired</b></li> <li>• thirsty</li> <li>• small</li> </ul>
4		Find the list of words you can use to describe this picture.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• chair, toys, banana</li> <li>• window, field, orange</li> <li>• <b>sofa, bear, clock</b></li> <li>• plate, desk, car</li> </ul>
5		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ireland</li> <li>• <b>England</b></li> <li>• Wales</li> <li>• Scotland</li> </ul>
6		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Big Ben.</b></li> <li>• Buckingham Palace.</li> <li>• The Tower of London.</li> <li>• The London Eye.</li> </ul>
7	[AUDIO]	Listen. What can you say to Kevin?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "Is he very ill?"</li> <li>• "That's nice."</li> <li>• "I'm happy for you."</li> <li>• <b>"I'm sorry."</b></li> </ul>

8	[AUDIO]	Listen. What can William say to Fiona?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “See you tomorrow.”</li> <li>• <b>“Have a nice time.”</b></li> <li>• “You're welcome.”</li> <li>• “Good luck.”</li> </ul>
9		This is a picture of ..... .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>boys and girls at school</b></li> <li>• a busy street</li> <li>• a girl and her mother</li> <li>• an English house</li> </ul>
10		The girl on the left has got ..... .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• short brown hair</li> <li>• long blonde hair</li> <li>• <b>a white shirt</b></li> <li>• a book in her hand</li> </ul>
11		The boy next to the girl on the left is ..... .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• not wearing a tie</li> <li>• looking at his computer</li> <li>• <b>smiling at us</b></li> <li>• not very happy</li> </ul>
12		This is from a school website. Find the right title for the text.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A Holiday Job</b></li> <li>• A Weekend in the Country</li> <li>• Summer by the Sea</li> <li>• Strawberries Jam</li> </ul>
13		Tom helps on the farm because ..... .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• he loves strawberries</li> <li>• <b>it's fun and he can make some money</b></li> <li>• he doesn't like hard work</li> <li>• his aunt and uncle don't pay him</li> </ul>
14		Students who work on the farm in the summer ..... .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• must work 6 hours a day</li> <li>• must be under 14</li> <li>• <b>can work for just an hour a day</b></li> <li>• must work for a full day</li> </ul>

15		If you work a whole day on the farm, .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• they pay you for six hours' work</li> <li>• you can have lunch in a café</li> <li>• Tom's aunt and uncle give you lunch</li> <li>• <b>you can't start before 9am</b></li> </ul>
16	[AUDIO]	Listen. Where are they?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In the bathroom.</li> <li>• On a ship.</li> <li>• <b>In a park.</b></li> <li>• In the school cafeteria.</li> </ul>
17	[AUDIO]	Listen. What time is it?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• It's 8.50 in the evening.</li> <li>• It's bedtime.</li> <li>• <b>It's 8.15 in the morning.</b></li> <li>• It's 7.45 in the morning.</li> </ul>
18	[AUDIO]	Listen to the conversation at a restaurant. The man is asking Jennifer Hobson a question. What can she answer?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "Jennifer."</li> <li>• <b>"Hobson."</b></li> <li>• "Jenny."</li> <li>• "Jennifer Hobson."</li> </ul>
19	[AUDIO]	Listen. What can you say about the man and the woman?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>They're driving and they're lost.</b></li> <li>• They've got problems with a new TV.</li> <li>• They're playing a card game.</li> <li>• They're learning to dance.</li> </ul>
20		The dogs ..... in the garden.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• is</li> <li>• <b>are</b></li> <li>• have</li> <li>• am</li> </ul>

21		My maths teacher's .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• are in the playground</li> <li>• work very hard</li> <li>• <b>got a new car</b></li> <li>• not today</li> </ul>
22		Ugh! I ..... eat this cake. It's horrible!	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• don't like</li> <li>• <b>can't</b></li> <li>• hate</li> <li>• not want</li> </ul>
23		George ..... to bed late on Saturdays.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• is often</li> <li>• <b>sometimes goes</b></li> <li>• makes</li> <li>• never has</li> </ul>
24		Sarah usually ..... at 8 o'clock.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• is getting up</li> <li>• <b>has breakfast</b></li> <li>• has got dinner</li> <li>• having a cup of tea</li> </ul>
25		"What ..... they .....?" "A horror film."	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>are ..... watching</b></li> <li>• are ..... frightening</li> <li>• do ..... look at</li> <li>• can ..... have on</li> </ul>
26	[AUDIO]	Listen. This word rhymes with ".....".	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• there</li> <li>• <b>near</b></li> <li>• her</li> <li>• fire</li> </ul>
27	[AUDIO]	Listen. What word or words do you hear?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• what is</li> <li>• <b>watches</b></li> <li>• washes</li> <li>• want his</li> </ul>
28	[AUDIO]	Listen and complete the "family" of words.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• face</li> <li>• jumper</li> <li>• <b>river</b></li> <li>• find</li> </ul>

29		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Bacon and eggs.</b></li> <li>• Ham and cheese.</li> <li>• Fish and chips.</li> <li>• Roast beef.</li> </ul>
30		In Britain, the day before the 25th of December is called .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Christmas Night</li> <li>• Boxing Day</li> <li>• <b>Christmas Eve</b></li> <li>• Saint Nicholas</li> </ul>
31		Red + white = .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• grey</li> <li>• yellow</li> <li>• <b>pink</b></li> <li>• black</li> </ul>
32		When the traffic ..... are red, you must stop.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>lights</b></li> <li>• colours</li> <li>• stops</li> <li>• streets</li> </ul>
33		This ..... means you can't walk on the grass.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• show</li> <li>• letter</li> <li>• <b>sign</b></li> <li>• poster</li> </ul>
34		I don't understand all the controls on this machine. For example, the blue buttons. What .....	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• do they make</li> <li>• does happen</li> <li>• <b>are they for</b></li> <li>• can I do them</li> </ul>
35		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "This is the right way."</li> <li>• "Perhaps it's too dark."</li> <li>• <b>"Is this my size?"</b></li> <li>• "I really like it here."</li> </ul>
36	[AUDIO]	Listen. What can the teacher say to the children?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• "Don't stop!"</li> <li>• <b>"Be quiet!"</b></li> <li>• "Wake up!"</li> <li>• "Don't talk fast!"</li> </ul>

37		[AUDIO]	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Can I give you a lift, Jimmy?”</li> <li>• “Would you like to ride it, Jimmy?”</li> <li>• “Do you want to get on, Jimmy?”</li> <li>• “I can stay with you, Jimmy.”</li> </ul>
38		Find the right title for this picture.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Walk in the Forest</li> <li>• A Ride in the Park</li> <li>• A Difficult Match</li> <li>• <b>Winning the Race</b></li> </ul>
39	[AUDIO]	Listen. What is the woman talking about?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Her new computer.</li> <li>• <b>Her new car.</b></li> <li>• Her new bed.</li> <li>• Her new dress.</li> </ul>
40	[AUDIO]	Listen. What can the girl say to Tom now?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Let's go and have a look at the office.”</li> <li>• “You must read it. It's excellent.”</li> <li>• “There's pizza if you prefer.”</li> <li>• <b>“It's by a very famous painter.”</b></li> </ul>
41	[AUDIO]	Listen. These pairs of words sound similar, but not exactly the same. Find another pair of words that do NOT sound the same.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• for, four</li> <li>• <b>cold, called</b></li> <li>• there, their</li> <li>• meet, meat</li> </ul>
42		Find the word that is NOT associated with music.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• drum</li> <li>• <b>hill</b></li> <li>• keyboard</li> <li>• single</li> </ul>

43		Helen ..... her teeth ..... day.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>brushes ..... twice a</b></li> <li>• is brushing ..... once every</li> <li>• cleans ..... on every</li> <li>• must clean ..... three times at a</li> </ul>
44	[AUDIO]	Listen to Ryan and his geography teacher and find the true sentence.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ryan wants to go home because he's got a headache.</li> <li>• <b>Ryan isn't going to go home before the test.</b></li> <li>• Ryan's geography teacher is going to give him a test.</li> <li>• Ryan doesn't usually get headaches. This is the first time.</li> </ul>
45		It's in south-west England and it's very old. What is it?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Stonehenge.</b></li> <li>• Loch Ness.</li> <li>• Cambridge University.</li> <li>• Dover Castle.</li> </ul>