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Multilevel Reading Practice Book – Task 2

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Exercise 1

The people below all want to find a department store to visit in their city.

There are descriptions of eight department stores.

Decide which department store would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Jasmine would like to find a store where they can eat outside, and her dad wants somewhere known for its good-quality suits. They also want to buy a necklace for Jasmine's mum.
2. Peter wants to buy some special sweets for his grandma's birthday, and his older sister, Nell, wants to see the latest women's fashions. They also need to buy new tennis T-shirts, without spending a lot.
3. Maria wants a store selling clothes that use materials produced without damaging the environment. Her mum would like somewhere that has great customer service and is beautiful inside.
4. John enjoys cooking, and wants to buy some unusual ingredients. His parents like stores that have been in the same buildings since they were young, and that have great toys for John's young sister.
5. Samuel and Mark want to visit a store with a good selection of chess sets. They'd like to have some delicious ice creams and buy something made in the store to eat later.

DEPARTMENT STORES

A. Hallwick's

People often visit Hallwick's just for the displays of lights that make it so attractive to shop here. And it was the first to sell clothes made of pure, natural cotton, grown in conditions that avoid creating pollution. The assistants are polite and will help with any questions about goods.

B. Crozier's

This store is in a beautiful new building. One floor is full of toys and board games like chess, and downstairs there's a huge variety of cakes, sweets and also fresh food that's perfect for making a meal! The roof garden is popular here in summer, and the friendly staff serve delicious lunches.

C. Stafford's

This store is popular for its range of good-quality sportswear at very reasonable prices, which is hard to find elsewhere. And on the ground floor, you'll find displays of their famous

handmade candies – great for celebrations! And Stafford's is always the first to offer new designs in men's and women's clothing, too!

D. Barton's

Barton's has been here since it opened in 1930, and still has its huge glass door and beautiful windows. The first floor is fantastic for children, as it's packed with things to play with – at reasonable prices. And downstairs, you'll find a huge selection of amazing fresh food rarely found elsewhere.

E. Gardener and Bell's

This store has been here since 1950, and is the place for cool clothes and jewellery, as it updates its items every few weeks – and many are made from environmentally-friendly materials. The sportswear section has clothes and equipment for almost any sport, although prices can be high.

F. Davidson's

This traditional-looking store opened in 1860, and still offers high-class, fashionable goods at reasonable prices, with many made from natural materials. The men's clothes are particularly recommended, and there's also an area selling nothing but beautiful jewellery. And on fine days, try the rooftop restaurant – the food is fantastic.

G. Ford and Madecroft's

The café here serves fantastic meals, but also has amazing chocolates and frozen desserts of all kind, and the bakers produce fantastic biscuits and

cakes to take away. Upstairs, you'll find a display of toys and also a huge range of board games, together with instructions to help you play.

H. Oldridge's

The customer service here is the best anywhere in the city, and staff will help you find what you're looking for, from jewellery to children's toys. And the café here, probably one of the most attractive you'll ever visit, serves the biggest ice creams anywhere, too – and the best cakes!

Exercise 2

The people below are all looking for a job.

There are descriptions of eight jobs.

Decide which jobs would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Sandra is doing a four-year degree in hair and beauty and wants to work as a volunteer for her third-year work experience. She likes to be part of a team and would enjoy dealing with customers.
2. Manuela is from Spain and is looking for work to support herself financially while she studies English at a local college. She can only work on Saturdays and Sundays and some evenings.
3. Stella is looking for work during the holidays. She's studying business at college and would love somewhere she can gain experience in a business environment and put her IT skills into practice.
4. John is looking for a job where he can work with customers. He recently completed a course in this area of work and is keen to find a job that would offer support in developing skills in managing staff.
5. Simon has a job but wants to work with teenagers during the weekend. He is planning a career change and is happy to work without pay in order to gain experience.

JOBS AVAILABLE

A. ABC Computer Specialists

Do you have customer service skills? ABC Computer Specialists are looking for sales advisers to join our growing customer service team. This is a full-time post, 37 hours a week, with great opportunities for the right person.

B. Mansion House Hotel

An exciting opportunity for students wanting work experience in the Mansion House Hotel on a part-time basis. You will be dealing with international customers and a second language would be an advantage. Hours of work can be agreed to suit your needs though you would be required to work some weekends.

C. Susie's Hairdressing

We are a new hairdresser's and we want a young, hard-working volunteer to manage our reception desk. You will take calls, make bookings and help build a relationship with our customers. Suitable candidates will be offered a one-year contract.

D. The Daily News

Our business is growing and we need an assistant for our customer service team. The successful person will assist in managing our sales staff and be responsible for reporting on sales. The successful person will receive training.

E. Amega

Would you like to work in a modern office environment, building relationships with customers, and working with our excellent team? If you've recently completed your studies at university and are looking for a career in the beauty industry, then please get in contact.

F. Peterfield Forum

We are looking for keen volunteers to help run our summer school. You will have experience in working with young people and be prepared to accompany them on trips. The school is open from Monday to Friday and we need volunteers for at least two of these days.

G. Hall Green Community Centre

This is a great opportunity to gain experience in youth work. We are looking for a volunteer with work experience to support our young people as they begin to enter employment. You would be expected to work on Saturdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. with occasional Sunday sessions.

H. Lucas Media

Are you a student looking for work from Monday to Friday over the vacation period? We are offering a short-term contract to a keen young person to work with our sales team. You will get an idea of how a modern company operates, deal with customer enquiries and have the chance to help develop our website.

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Exercise 3

The people below all want to go shopping.

There are eight descriptions of shops.

Decide which shop would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Jim wants to buy some new shoes for work. He needs something reasonably cheap and, as he's working long hours, he needs a shop that is open late during the week.
2. Hamid wants a shop where he can get measured for a new suit. He is happy to spend quite a lot but wants a place that has been recommended by other customers.
3. Sheila wants to go shopping after she finishes work. She wants to buy an inexpensive dress or a skirt and would like to eat something made locally before her train leaves.
4. Natalie is looking for a gift for her daughter who has passed her exams. She'd like to buy her something for university and wants to avoid the busy shopping centre.
5. Manuela is on holiday in the UK and is looking for some chocolate for her friend. She would also like to buy something to read when she gets back to her hotel.

POPULAR LOCAL SHOPS

A. Wedges

Take a break while you're shopping and try our delicious home-cooked hot meals. Popular with students, everything is reasonably priced. While you're here have a look at some of the second-hand clothes we have available.

B. New Street Corner Shop

Get something to remind you of your visit here and look around at our wide range of souvenirs. We have lots of toys, sweets, locally made chocolates and attractive postcards and posters.

Looking for something to read?

Pick up a newspaper, a magazine or the latest novel for the journey home.

C. Stella's Boutique

Late-night shopping in Stella's boutique. Many of our clothes are on special offer, with some items two for the price of one. Visitors can also enjoy locally made cakes and snacks in our café. Just a short two-minute walk from the train station.

D. Masons

We're closing down next week and have a fantastic sale. Everything must go! We have the cheapest range of clothes in town and a great selection of men's wear, including suits, shirts and shoes. Open late this Saturday.

E. Henry's

Henry's is known for its high-quality clothing, as our users' comments prove, whether that's dresses, skirts or stylish suits. Our highly experienced staff will measure you and make sure you get the perfect fit. A little more expensive than the high street shops but worth every penny.

F. Design Corner

We're a new shop in the old part of town and away from the crowds. But there's nothing old about our goods. We sell dresses, skirts and blouses made by local designers, and beautiful posters, pens and pencils that will look great in the office or on a student's desk.

G. Walkers Department Store

Visit one of the city's most popular shopping destinations. We sell the latest luxury designer clothes and everything for the home, and we have a restaurant with an international menu. You should reserve a table if you wish to eat as we can get quite busy!

H. Bartons

If you're in town looking for a bargain don't forget to pay us a visit. Situated in the heart of the shopping mall, our popular sale has everything for the professional man, including suits, shirts and shoes. Don't forget our roof-top café! Late-night shopping Monday to Friday.

Exercise 4

The young people below all want to find an art course to attend.

There are descriptions of eight art courses.

Decide which art course would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Rafa wants to produce artwork to support his art college application. He's written stories, which he'd like to publish, and wants to learn how to include drawings in them, without using a computer.
2. Simona enjoys creating art on her computer, and wants to find ways to improve the posters she makes on it. She also wants to share what she's done with other students on the course.

3. Andrei wants to try different painting techniques, and have trips to see the work of famous painters, to get ideas for his own pictures. He'd also like to try painting outdoors.
4. Nicola enjoys printing by hand. She wants to print the patterns she's created onto different materials, for her mother to make into clothes, and also learn basic printing techniques to use at home.
5. Karl enjoys taking photos of his family, and wants to use them as a basis for the art he produces. He's like to go somewhere that also offers private lessons.

ART COURSES

A. Get Artistic

Teachers here always have ideas to get you drawing, painting and printing – but you can use your own material, too. The studio-based course focuses on portraits – you'll learn how to develop whatever you've brought, or use famous portraits, to create pictures of people. One-to-one sessions also available.

B. Art Attack!

Learn how to create pictures, perhaps based on your own writing, to put into a short book or poster, using simple techniques that don't require technology. Discover, too, how to put a book together, with a professional-looking over designed and hand-printed by you. Perfect for anyone considering further studies in art.

C. Art and imagination

If you like designing clothes, you'll enjoy learning to use special computer software here to create and print out designs for tops, shoes and hats that people would love to wear! You'll go home with a folder of work, perfect to present when applying for a higher-level art course. Individual classes also available.

D. Create!

Draw and paint in different situations – in the studio or even in the park! Gallery visits are also included, and you're taught how to base your work on studies of landscapes and portraits by well-known artists. Teachers also encourage you to experiment with various styles and methods.

E. More Art Now!

Improve how you paint people and places on this studio-based course. The teachers bring in work, ranging from photos to posters, to give you ideas. And use the studio website to show your work and exchange ideas with other students – useful for anyone wishing to study art at a higher level.

F. Art Workshop

Do some drawings, in the studio or outside, or bring along your own. The teachers will then help you to turn them into wonderful printed designs, using simple methods you can try yourself after the course. You'll then transfer your designs onto cotton and silk, using special paints – perfect to use in sewing projects afterwards.

G. Do it yourself

Try making art to go with your stories here – working inside or outside! You'll get ideas from books showing famous paintings and cartoons, and then create and print pictures of people to accompany your stories, using digital design techniques. There's even one-to-one teaching if you'd prefer.

H. The Studio

Come and experiment with digital design. You'll get great ideas through research, then using special software, create your pictures and add details on screen, whether it's clothes, people, books or something to put on the wall. Upload your work on the studio website and get opinions from your classmates there – and comment on theirs!

Exercise 5

The people below all want to do a local activity.

There are eight activities in the local area.

Decide which activity would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Susie has a teenage son who is very keen to get into acting and learning how best to perform on stage. Because of other activities he cannot do Saturdays or Sundays.
2. Gareth is 21 and on summer vacation before going back to university. He is looking for voluntary work that will help him gain experience in working with customers.
3. Marcia would like to take her children to the park one day next week. She would like to show them the importance of doing something for local people.
4. Ella is a new mum with a three-month-old baby and is looking for exercise to help her relax. She is free on Monday and Tuesday and loves getting a bargain!
5. Jacob is looking for somewhere to take his son for something to eat at lunchtime any day this week. He would like to go somewhere that is outside to get some fresh air.

LOCAL ACTIVITIES

A. Friends of Hamley Park

Come along to 'Friends of Hamley Park' for our monthly litter pick. Join our friendly team of adults and children every Sunday to help us keep our lovely local park tidy and something to be proud of. We provide all the tools and equipment you'll need. Just come along on the day and we'll find something for you to do.

B. Yoga sessions

Yoga sessions with Petra aimed at your level. I know how important it can be for you mums to get out of the house and do some exercise. My fun weekly 'Mum and Child' yoga classes start on Monday 18 June. Buy five sessions and get one free.

C. Broadchester Park

You are invited to come along for our weekly picnic in Broadchester Park. Open to all, young and old, it's held every Tuesday throughout the summer at 12.00. Please note there will be a charge for food which will be supplied by the café.

D. Poetry competition

Come and see the winners of this poetry competition. The theme was the natural world and the poets will be performing their work in the beautiful surroundings of Kimberley Park. Entry costs £2. Children under 11 are free.

E. Storytelling

Storytelling has become popular lately, especially for those who want to tell their story on stage in front of a live audience. Join our one-day event on Wednesday – we'll be looking at how to feel confident and keep your audience interested.

F. Time to relax

A new six-week yoga course for beginners. Help yourself become more focused, reduce your stress levels, sleep better and improve your mental health. I will be running these courses in the local community centre on Wednesday and Thursday mornings from 11.00 till 12.00. Childcare is available for babies and young children.

G. The community café

Our community café is looking for young volunteer waiters and waitresses to help us throughout the summer period. You'll learn skills that will be useful when you

start your job search. We're looking for anyone who is at least 18 and would like you to be available for at least two days per week.

H. Creswell Youth Centre

Are you interested in developing your acting skills? Creswell Youth Centre is offering young people aged from 7 to 19 the chance to join us for our next show. No experience is required as we can offer a role to all abilities. You will need to be available at weekends throughout the summer.

Exercise 6

The people below are all looking for something to do this weekend.

There are descriptions of eight events.

Decide which event would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Ben has a teenage son who is taking exams at the end of the year. He would like an activity that his son can attend on Saturday to work on his art project.
2. Tina wants to get her children outside this weekend to enjoy the sunshine. She'd like to find something that will keep them active so they use up some energy.
3. Philip is looking after his ten-year-old nephew. He is looking for an activity on Sunday morning. He'd like something where he can sit down as he has a bad back.
4. Tania is looking for something to do on either Saturday or Sunday evening. She and her friend Susan are taking their children and would like somewhere they can listen to music and get something to eat.
5. Anna and her husband Tom are visiting the area this weekend and would like to take their 12-year-old son somewhere on Saturday evening. They would prefer something that's not too expensive.

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEKEND?

A. Open Air Entertainment

From old black-and-white classics to the latest award-winning films. We open for the summer season this Saturday. Come along and enjoy your favourite film in the evening, outside under the stars – the weather looks good this weekend! Children under 13 enter for free.

B. Find Robert the Rabbit

Bring the children along to our annual 'Find Robert' event at Kings Shelley Park this Saturday morning. Each year Robert finds a different place to hide away, and this year we think the kids will find it hard to locate him. Lots of running around and fun for children of all ages!

C. Open Gardens

We're pleased to announce this popular summer event will be taking place this weekend. For anyone interested in gardens and gardening, now's your chance to have a look at some of the best in town as people open up their gardens to visitors any time between 9.00 and 5.00. Children are welcome.

D. Tom and Larry's Carden Party

This Sunday Tom and Larry will be performing your favourite tunes and a few new ones you may not have heard of. Entrance fee for the evening entertainment includes an evening of music, a buffet with a wide range of food and hot and cold drinks along with ice-cream for the kids.

E. Mansfield Arts Market

Come along this Sunday to check out some of the fantastic artistic talent the region has to offer. Have a look at some of the works and support our local artists by buying one to take home. We also have face-painting for the younger children and an art workshop for children who want to have a go themselves.

F. Art Attack

Come along to our art club for children this weekend. We offer a safe place where children from 6-16 can have time working alone or with others on a piece of art. And if your child needs help with their schoolwork there'll be someone available to offer help and advice.

G. Wanted: Young Musicians

For ages 14 and over, Middlechurch Musicians are holding a series of activities over the weekend for young people of any ability to learn or practise an instrument of their choice. Bring your child and their favourite instrument along, or if they haven't got to this stage let them try one of our own.

H. Hassocks Green Festival

In addition to our regular favourites, organisers this year have introduced a children's theme. Take a chair, then relax and enjoy action films and some of the funniest cartoons that will keep your kids entertained. The festival opens on Sunday at 10.00 and is free.

Exercise 7

The people below all want to visit a studio where films are made.

There are descriptions of eight film studios that people can visit.

Decide which film studios would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Tom wants to look around the studio at his own speed, and visit the actual sets where films were made. His mum wants to see online what the studio is like before she buys tickets.
2. Ingrid is interested in seeing costumes that famous actors have worn, and she'd also like to ride on a vehicle that originally appeared in a film. Ingrid's mum wants a souvenir to remember their trip.
3. Roberto wants to visit a studio where famous films were made many years ago, and buy something that appeared in one of the films. His dad wants to book online before they go.
4. Simone likes science fiction films, and prefers looking at digital displays about how special effects are achieved to reading information. Simone's dad wants to get a digital guide.
5. Ben is interested in how scenes from famous cities are created in studios. He'd also like to visit film locations outside the studios, accompanied by a guide who can answer his questions.

FILM STUDIOS

A. Grand Studios

These studios have been the home of special effects for years! There's plenty to look at and read, so allow lots of time for your visit. And our friendly guides

around the studios are ready to help direct you to the most interesting sights. It's best to book online in advance.

B. Movieworld

You'll find the best movies ever here, set far into the future! Use the interactive videos on our computers, to see how actors are turned into on-screen monsters, using amazing make-up, costumes and filming techniques, and models of dinosaurs are created to look as though they're alive! There are video activities, and 'tours' of the studio to download.

C. Waverley Studios

These studios are huge, with plenty of space for displaying the scenery and stages where big stars acted in scenes from famous films. Check the website to see exactly what the studio offers inside. And because you're not shown around in groups, you can spend as much time there as you want!

D. Screen World

Many famous movies from the last century were made in these studios, and you can still see the costumes worn in them, and the original sets used in the films. There's a useful digital guide you can buy here, so you'll find your way through these studios really quickly!

E. WestWays

To visit this studio, get tickets in advance through the website, to avoid long queues – it's very popular with people who love top movies from the

40s, many of which were filmed here. The studio also has a great selection of items from various movies, now on sale as souvenirs!

F. FilmFun

Come and visit amazingly realistic sets, from the streets of New York to the historical sites of Rome – and walk around them! The tour also includes a bus ride to places in the surrounding area which have appeared in films, with a staff member to tell you whatever you'd like to know.

G. Star Studios

See a 360° online tour of these studios before you come – they're huge! And during your visit, ride through what look like London and Paris streets, on original buses used in old films, and even try on costumes from films made here. Digital displays will give you plenty of information!

H. FilmPark

FilmPark has an amazing collection of old cars once used in films – and they still work! So, have a trip in one and see the studios as you're driven around its huge city street scenes. There's also a collection of original clothes that stars were dressed in for their movies. Visitors get free photos of themselves as they leave.

Exercise 8

The people below all want to do something to keep fit.

There are eight descriptions of fitness activities.

Decide which activity would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Theo is new to the area and wants to get fit for the first time in his life. He is more interested in team sports and would like to make friends as well.
2. Barbara loves running and would like to join a running club. She can't afford a membership fee to begin with but if she likes it, she'd be keen to sign up and volunteer as well.
3. Tracy has decided to join a gym. She wants to have someone who can help and encourage her to work hard. She'd also like to go swimming at the weekend.
4. Steve is looking for a personal trainer and is returning to exercise after hurting his ankle. He is busy at work and needs someone who is available any day.

5. Debbie is a keen athlete and wants to find somewhere she can train on a race-track and compete against other athletes. She likes to train early in the morning.

FITNESS ACTIVITIES

A. Stevie's Gym

Stevie's Gym is well known in the area for offering the best in everything to do with health and fitness. Relax in our luxury swimming pool or use the latest equipment in the gym. It's easy to lose interest if you don't have the right support, and our skilled team of trainers will get you started and help you stay focused.

B. Blackwell Gym

The very best in personal service. Our members get a free health check when they join. We will then discuss your aims and design a personal programme to help you achieve your goals. Open six days a week, closed on Sundays.

C. The Arcadian Harriers

We meet in the Arcadian Leisure Centre twice a week and set off on planned routes around the area. Join us on Tuesday for the 6k run and Thursday for the 10k. You don't have to become a member to run with us, but we'd love it if you did. We are also looking for people to help out with events.

D. JDC Gym

We offer personal, one-to-one training programmes for beginner and more advanced workouts. Our trainers are available seven days a week and can meet you at the gym or at a place that's more convenient to you. Build your strength and fitness and get help with any injuries you may have.

E. Temple Health and Fitness

Whether you want to improve your fitness or lose weight, you can be sure to find the support you need to achieve your goals with our team of personal trainers. Visit our website to view their personal profiles and areas of expertise. Currently we are offering sessions at weekends only.

F. Arena Leisure Centre

We know that some days are perfect for achieving goals in the gym, while others are best spent relaxing in the sauna. Whatever your needs, we can promise you a personal service. Please note the swimming pool is being used for competitions every Saturday and Sunday and is not open to the public on these days.

G. Central Fitness and Leisure

We are one of the larger leisure centres in the area and can offer a huge range of activities at our 24-hour gym and 400-metre running track that is free to use for members. Sign up to our monthly league table and see how your times compare to other members.

H. Sport Special

For those who want to focus on their own personal fitness, Sport Special provides members with a modern gym with the latest equipment. The leisure centre also organises group events such as five-a-side football or hockey. After the match, get to know your team mates in the café for tea, coffee and snacks.

Exercise 9

The people below all want to watch an animated film.

There are descriptions of eight animated films.

Decide which film would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Kerim wants a film that uses traditional animation methods, such as simple drawings rather than computers to create pictures. He particularly enjoys films about animals, and with great songs sung by well-known singers.
2. Alice, her mum and small sister want a film they can all enjoy. Alice loves films where she feels the main characters are like her, and that have soundtracks involving only instruments, with no singing.
3. Lukas enjoys films that make him laugh, but that he can learn something from at the same time. He's a keen reader, and he'd like a film of something he's probably already read.
4. Minnie wants to see a happy film that isn't just about heroes against bad people. She'd like a film that's full of surprises, that she'll want to watch over and over again.
5. Susana wants to see a film about characters that show courage in different situations, and that have the voices of famous actors. She'd like the film to have really beautiful animation.

REVIEWS OF ANIMATED FILMS

A. Aero

You'll want to see this film again and again, with a wonderful cast of animals, and folk music soundtrack sung by studio performers. And you'll learn something new about the characters each time you watch. Based on the book by a well-known author, it's a favourite for all the family.

B. Magic Makers

This is a gentle film about a village of animals who all help each other through life – but things don't always go at all as they expected. In fact, they're usually far better! A beautiful, funny film with great songs you won't forget. You'll never get tired of watching it!

C. Imagining

While you're watching this beautiful film, you'll also be entertained by the wonderful piano and violin music that accompanies it. It's a film for the whole family, including young children, to sit down and see together. And everyone will find that they have something in common with the people in the film.

D. The Dance

Although they haven't been together for long, a group of brave dancers decide to put on a performance, and their

experiences are both funny and sad. The film's message is particularly suitable for teenagers, and the animation, in the form of old-fashioned cartoons rather than created by computers, is spectacular.

E. Roundabout

The pictures are so fantastic, they almost need nothing more than the piano music that accompanies them. The film focuses on some brave friends who come together to support each other in various ways, and the well-known performers saying their words bring something really special to it. The film has lots to teach teenagers.

F. Terry

The pop music in this film is great, as it features the voices of top performers. The film follows a friendly tiger in the jungle, who becomes a hero to his friends. This film first came out in the 70s, and the graphics in this beautiful film have changed very little.

G. Rainbow

The whole family will sing along to the songs by well-known performers in this film. Choose which of the characters is most like you – and who's your hero! From the book by teenagers' author

Dylan Peters, it's been a favourite with audiences since it came out years ago.

H. Constanz

This beautiful film, with simple graphics, is based on the well-known novel, which

has become very popular in school classrooms. Although it's full of comedy situations and surprises from beginning to end, the film also has a serious message, and will leave you with something to think about after you've watched it.

Exercise 10

The people below want to buy a new mobile phone.

There are descriptions of eight different phones.

Decide which phone would be the most suitable for the people below.

1. Sasha is a businesswoman. She uses her phone a lot and really needs a model that she can rely on. Her budget is around £500 and the new phone must have a good reputation and an excellent battery life.
2. Carlos is a university student. He can't afford more than £300 for his new smartphone, but he wants one that looks good. He mainly uses his phone to watch films, so the screen size has to be decent.
3. Clara is a grandmother who wants a basic phone that is easy to manage. She needs good storage for all the photos she receives of her grandchildren! Clara has £150 for her new phone.
4. Sam is 14. He can spend between £300 and £400 on a new mobile for his birthday. Sam likes to browse the Internet and check social media on his phone. He's also crazy about gaming.
5. Ayesha and Jane are 17 and they each need a smartphone that costs less than £200. They prefer small phones that are easy to carry. They use their phones to listen to music, so good sound is essential.

MOBILE CENTRAL

A. Sunshine 123

One of our most inexpensive phones, the Sunshine 123 offers enormous memory and will only cost you £149.99. The battery doesn't last as long as other models, but this smartphone offers other advantages. It's very simple to set up and use, which many of our customers appreciate.

B. Champion D

People who are serious about their phones choose the Champion D because it has the best hardware available for the incredible price of £650. Install as many apps as you want because this model has exceptional capacity. It's the experts' favourite phone.

C. Blueberry X2

This is not a complicated phone. Anyone can use it with ease, and the best part is that it is known to be extremely reliable. The sound is poor and it's not ideal for saving a lot of files, but at only £120, it's not a bad device at all.

D. Sky QF

The Sky QF is our most lightweight smartphone. It's a neat and tidy device with the astonishing price tag of just £180. Amazing! For its size, you'll be surprised by how powerful the internal speakers are. It comes in three cute colours and everyone loves it.

E. Diamond A7

Among all of our models, this is the most popular smartphone we sell. People love the Diamond A7 because they can completely depend on it; complaints are very rare! One of its best features is that it doesn't need to be charged very often. At £510, it's a bargain.

F. Storm V

The Storm V is currently on sale for £385. That is an extraordinary price when you consider the chip inside this phone, which allows it to operate at very high speeds. It even has a special fan so it doesn't get too hot. Storm V's display is bright, making it ideal for video games.

G. Gold 100

If you want to enjoy movies on the coolest phone available, get yourself a Gold 100 for £495. This is the smartphone that everyone wants to be seen with. Whether you want to shop online or listen to podcasts, this phone will never disappoint you. Its camera is one of the best ever developed.

H. Tiger 21

Normally £350, Tiger 21 is on special offer this week only for £280, so hurry and get yours! This is one of the most stylish smartphones on the market. It has a huge display and a convenient port for headphones. The Tiger 21 looks fantastic.

Answer keys.

Exercise 1

1 F. 2 C. 3 A. 4 D. 5 G

Exercise 2

1 C. 2 B. 3 H. 4 D. 5 G

Exercise 3

1 H. 2 E. 3 C. 4 F. 5 B

Exercise 4

1 B. 2 H. 3 D. 4 F. 5 A

Exercise 5

1 E. 2 G. 3 A. 4 B. 5 C

Exercise 6

1 F. 2 B. 3 H. 4 D. 5 A

Exercise 7

1 C. 2 H. 3 E. 4 B. 5 F

Exercise 8

1 H. 2 C. 3 A. 4 D. 5 G

Exercise 9

1 F. 2 C. 3 H. 4 B. 5 E

Exercise 10

1 E. 2 H. 3 A. 4 F. 5 D