

1.

M : Where is your brother John?

W : He's down there playing soccer on the playground.

M : Where?

W : Over there. He's running after the ball.

M : There are four boys running after the ball. Which one is John?

W : That one. He's running towards us now.

M : Towards us?

W : Yes.

M : Is he wearing a cap?

W : No, he's not.

M : Oh, I found him.

2.

W : Tony, have you thought about what your major will be in college?

M : Yes. I thought about business for a while. But I decided to do what I really like, music.

W : Really? What do your parents say?

M : They suggest medicine, but I hate biology.

W : You can't spend so much time doing things you hate. I suppose.

M : Right. I'm going to be a singer rather than a doctor.

3.

M : Hi, Judy. Are you okay?

W : Yeah, I guess so.

M : It's a miracle that your brother survived the car accident!

W : It is. But I'm not sure if he can make it.

M : Are the doctors still in there?

W : Yes, they've been operating on him for more than three hours now.

M : Don't worry. I'm sure he'll be fine.

W : Well, I can't stand the waiting.

4.

M : Linda! What are you doing this evening?

W : Maybe study a little and relax. Why?

M : What do you think about going out to celebrate?

W : What's the occasion?

M : Well, I got the first prize in the school essay contest.

W : You won the contest? Congratulations! You'll be a famous writer.

M : Thanks. Just forget about the homework and let's party.

5.

(Telephone Rings)

W : Hello?

M : Hello. May I talk to Ms. Mary Smith, please?

W : I'm sorry, but she's out to lunch.

M : I see. When do you expect her back?

W : Well, I'm not sure. May I take a message?

M : Yes. I got her application but her photo is missing.

W : Her photo is missing?

M : Yes. So, would you please ask her to send one to me by express mail?

W : Okay. I'll make sure she gets the message.

6.

W : Paul, let's go get some lunch.

M : Yeah. I'm so hungry my stomach hurts.

W : Your stomach hurts?

M : Yeah, it's been hurting for a month.

W : Really? Have you tried some medicine?

M : Yes, I have. But, it didn't work.

W : Have you been under a lot of pressure lately?

M : Well, a little bit.

W : Paul, you'd better go see a doctor.

M : Maybe I will. But I think it's nothing. you know, I feel better when I eat.

7.

W : When does the train leave for London, please?

M : The train for London? It leaves at 2:00 p.m.

W : At 2 o'clock?

M : That's right.

W : Do I have enough time to catch it?

M : Yes. You still have half an hour.

W : Okay. And how long does it take to get to London?

M : About three hours.

8.

People do not normally live in this area. There are only a few plants here. You can find few animals except for snakes and lizards. It is a large area of sand, and is usually very hot and

dry. When you travel through this area, you should always carry plenty of water. Otherwise you may die of thirst. You can find the largest one in north Africa.

9.

W : Mr. Bradford, I'd like you to answer two more questions for our audience. How many hours do you work out a day?

M : About ten hours. I'm training hard to set a new world record in the 100 meter race.

W : I'm sure you can. One last question. What do you do in your spare time?

M : Well, I'm busy replying to my fans.

W : They must be excited to receive your letter.

M : I hope so.

W : Maybe you'll receive lots of letters from our audience. Thank you for the interview, Mr. Bradford.

10.

W : I did all right, but today's history exam was not easy at all. I should have read the first chapter more carefully. After the exam, I went to the student union meeting, and discussed some issues for the student union election the day after tomorrow. The meeting went okay, except that Peter was not there. I hope he'll get well soon. Tomorrow, I'll go visit him at the hospital with Mike.

11.

① M : Can I check this out?

W : Sure. You have to return it tomorrow, though.

② M : What time does the movie start?

W : In about five minutes. Let's get some popcorn.

③ M : What's the score?

W : Three to one. We're winning.

④ M : Do you need a hand with that suitcase?

W: That's very kind of you, thanks.

⑤ M : Can I see your driver's license?

W : Yes, here it is.

12.

We interrupt this program for a special announcement. Due to serious smog caused by the recent forest fires, the Ministry of Education has announced that all schools will be closed until further notice. Doctors warn that exposure to the polluted air is very dangerous. Especially children and the elderly are strongly advised not to engage in outdoor activities. We repeat the announcement. Students are not to go to school until further notice.

13.

W : I guess we're finished.

M : Yes, finally. Why don't we go out to the movies?

W : Good idea! Any particular movie you want to see?

M : How about "Star Wars"?

W : Well, I'm not really into science fiction.

M : Then what about "Romeo and Juliet." a romance?

W : Great! Where is that movie playing?

14.

W : Mike, have you brought my book back?

M : Oh, boy!

W : Don't tell me you forgot again.

M : I'm sorry I completely forgot.

W : How could you? How many times do I have to tell you?

M : Please forgive me one more time.

W : I knew I should never have loaned it to you.

M : I promise to bring it back next time.

15.

W : Mr. Johnson?

M : Yes?

W : Excuse me, I hope I'm not interrupting anything.

M : No, no. It's quite all right. How can I help you?

W : Well, I wonder if I can join your conversation club. Would that be all right?

M : Of course. As a matter of fact, I'm glad you decided to join us.

W : Thank you for your permission.

M : I'm glad to have you in our club.

16.

M : Su-mi is lost in a foreign city while traveling. She is staying at a hotel near the Central Station. The Central Station is on subway line No. 7. Su-mi sees a police officer coming towards her. She wants to ask for his help to find the nearest subway station. What would she say to the policeman?

Su-mi : Excuse me. Where is the subway station?

17.

Today I'd like to talk about what you should do when driving. First, always observe the traffic signals. If you run a red light, you are running the risk of killing others as well as yourself. Second, do not speed. Driving too fast means putting other people in danger. It also causes noise pollution. Finally, yield to other drivers. Always be polite to other drivers, and you'll enjoy safer and more pleasant driving. In conclusion, you should think of others when driving.