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# 「1級リスニングテスト」原稿

ただいまから、1級リスニングテストを行います。これからお話しすることについて質問は受けませんので、よく注意して聞いてください。なお、リスニングテスト放送中に音飛びや騒音があった場合は、発生した問題のトラックのはじめに戻し、やり直します。しかしながら、万が一、教室監督者が気づかない場合は速やかに手を挙げてお知らせ願います。このテストでは、テストの方法と注意事項がすべて英語で放送されます。

The listening test for the Grade 1 examination is about to begin. Listen carefully to the directions. You will not be permitted to ask questions during the test.

This test has four parts. All of the questions in these four parts are multiple-choice questions. For each question, choose the best answer from among the four choices written in your test booklet. On your answer sheet, find the number of the question and mark your answer. You are permitted to take notes for every part of this listening test.

Now, here are the directions for **Part 1**. In this part, you will hear 10 dialogues, **No. 1** through **No. 10**. Each dialogue will be followed by one question. For each question, you will have 10 seconds to choose the best answer and mark your answer on your answer sheet. The dialogue and the question will be given only once. Now, we will begin the Grade 1 listening test.

(★=男性 A ★=男性 B ☆=女性 A ☆☆=女性 B)

## $\stackrel{\wedge}{\approx}$ No. 1

★: So, Mrs. Rowlands, has the medicine I prescribed for your back pain last month made a difference?

☆☆: Honestly, Doctor, I've been reluctant to even try it.

**★**: Why?

 $\cancel{x}$ : I read online that it can cause sleeplessness and irritability. I have so much trouble with insomnia that I'd rather put up with back pain than risk aggravating the problem.

★: Well, I've prescribed that medication to many patients, and none of them has ever experienced problems.

 $2 \div 2$ : I'd still feel better if you could give me something else.

☆ Question: Why did Mrs. Rowlands not take the medicine?

## ★No. 2

☆: Hi, Al. I haven't seen you for . . . well, since you left the company. Have you found another job yet?

★★: Yes, I work for Plexar now. I miss you guys, but I'm much happier there.

☆: Good for you. What makes Plexar so much better, besides the products?

★★: That's just it. All my clients know we sell high-quality products, so they trust me. I get far fewer complaints than I did with MediaSavvy, and my sales volume's through the roof.

☆: I'll bet. Let me know if they have any openings in marketing, would you?

★★: Sure, Linda. I will.

★Question: What can be inferred about the man's previous job?

#### ☆☆No. 3

☆: Mike, have you read this newsletter from Kate's school?

 $\star\star$ : Not yet. Is there anything interesting?

☆: Well, it appears there's a proposal to open a snack shop on the school grounds. I don't like the sound of that.

★★: Sounds convenient. But I know what you're getting at. It's related to the meeting last semester about healthier school meals, right?

☆: Exactly. What's the point of encouraging healthy eating habits if there's a shop selling junk food at school?

 $\star\star$ : Well, we don't know yet what control the school will have over it.

☆: True, but I'm not convinced it'll be much.

☆☆**Ouestion:** What is the woman concerned about?

## ★No. 4

☆: I'm surprised to see you eating lunch in the cafeteria, Tatsuo.

★★: Yeah, I usually prefer to get away from the office, but I'm preparing for the company's stock exchange listing.

☆: Oh right, that's pretty exciting. It's going to mean big things for the company. It's scheduled for next year, right?

 $\star\star$ : That was the plan, but listing requirements have become stricter of late. With the global slowdown, it's more difficult to list. I've gotten even busier.

☆: Well, I hope it doesn't take too much out of you.

**★Question:** What does the man say?

#### $\Rightarrow$ No. 5

★: I see the "For Sale" sign on the Wilsons' house is still there.

☆☆: That's strange. I thought that place would sell in a flash. It's in a lovely spot.

★: Well, it's a buyer's market at the moment.

 $\stackrel{\star}{\sim}$ : Now you mention it, they said something about that on the news last night.

★: If the Wilsons are in a hurry, they'll have to rethink their asking price.

☆☆: That's a shame, though. It looks like pretty good value to me.

☆ Question: Why does the man think the house is still for sale?

## ☆No. 6

★: Lesley, how nice to see you. I didn't know you shopped here.

 $^{\ }$  $^{\ }$ : I just started recently. I'm trying to be more careful about what I eat. The prices are a little steep, though.

★: True, but you have to be prepared to fork out a bit extra for organic food.

☆☆: I guess so.

★: And you get the satisfaction of knowing you're making a contribution to the environment.

 $^{\star}$ : It's a tough choice, though. If I don't notice any improvements in my health, I may switch back to my regular place.

☆ Question: What do we learn about the woman?