

## Preparatory Lesson One

### Section One:

#### Tapescript.

A. Listen to the recording and write down what you have heard on the tape.

a. Numbers:

- |   |                             |
|---|-----------------------------|
| 1. forty                                  | 2. fifteen                  |
| 3. a hundred and fifteen                  | 4. three hundred and eighty |
| 5. three thousand four hundred and eighty | 6. twenty a                 |
| 7. thirty b                               | 8. fourteen d               |

b. Telephone numbers:

- |                                   |                                |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. four eight two six three four  | 2. seven two one five o six    |
| 3. six nine seven double two four | 4. five six four three eight o |

c. Years:

- |                         |                          |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. nineteen eighty-two  | 2. nineteen eighty-seven |
| 3. nineteen seventy-one | 4. fourteen ninety-two   |
| 5. ten sixty-six        | 6. eighteen thirty-two   |

d. Days:

- |                                |                          |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. the fourteenth of July      | 2. the second of October |
| 3. the twenty-third of March   | 4. April the tenth       |
| 5. the thirty-first of January |                          |

e. Addresses:

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|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. thirty-two High Street | 2. a hundred and fifty-two |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|

Piccadilly

3. forty-eight Sutton Road

4. eighteen Bristol Square

f. Times:

1. nine thirty

2. ten forty-five

3. eleven ten

4. three fifteen

5. six forty-five

g. Abbreviations:

1. Doctor Smith

2. Saint Thomas

3. Bond Street

4. Mrs. Archer

5. Eton Avenue

6. Eden Square

h. Spelling:

1. C-H-E-S-T

2. D-I-Z-Z-Y

3. F-L-O-W-E-R

4. J-O-K-I-N-G

5. L-E-M-O-N

6. Q-U-I-E-T

7. W-A-V-E

8. G-R-E-A-T

i. Contractions:

1. Don't go.

2. I can't see.

3. It isn't true.

4. I'll tell you.

B. Listen to the tape and complete the following statements.

a. Dr. Blake wasn't born until 1934.

b. I'll see you at nine forty-five.

c. She doesn't live in Oxford Street.

d. You weren't with us on the twenty-first of May.

e. I'd like to phone Eastleigh, that's E-A-S-T-L-E-I-G-H. Six eight two double four eight.

f. Mrs. Jones has an appointment at eight a. m.

g. A northeast wind will bring rain to the London area tomorrow.

C. Look at the boxes. Listen to the numbers. Put the numbers you hear in the boxes. Then add the numbers. Look at Example 1. Put number 1 in box A. Put number 2 in box B. Now put number 3 in box C. Now add the numbers. 1 plus 2 plus 3 make 6.

Now listen carefully.

Look at Practice 1. Put number 3 in box A. Put number 6 in box B. Put number 7 in box C. Now add the numbers.

Look at Practice 2. Put number 8 in box A. Put number 2 in box C. Put number 1 in box B. Add the numbers.

Look at Practice 3. Put number 7 in box B. Put number 2 in box c. Put number 4 in box A. Add the numbers.

D. Listen to the statements and fill in the blanks.

1. Does she work in a supermarket?
2. Does she work in a bank?
3. Does he work in a chemist?
4. Does he work in a big shop?
5. Does she work in a hotel?
6. Does she work in a shoe shop?
7. Does he work in a shoe shop?

### Key to Exercises.

A. Listen to the recording and write down what you have heard on the tape.

a. Numbers:

- |           |          |
|-----------|----------|
| 1. (40)   | 2. (15)  |
| 3. (115)  | 4. (380) |
| 5. (3480) | 6. (20a) |
| 7. (30b)  | 8. (14d) |

b. Telephone Numbers:

- |             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| 1. (482634) | 2. (721506) |
| 3. (697224) | 4. (564380) |

c. Years:

- |           |           |
|-----------|-----------|
| 1. (1982) | 2. (1987) |
| 3. (1971) | 4. (1492) |
| 5. (1066) | 6. (1832) |

d. Days:

- |                    |                  |
|--------------------|------------------|
| 1. (14th July)     | 2. (2nd October) |
| 3. (23rd March)    | 4. (April 10)    |
| 5. (31st January.) |                  |

e. Addresses:

- |                     |                        |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| 1. (32 High Street) | 2. (152 Piccadilly)    |
| 3. (48 Sutton Road) | 4. (18 Bristol Square) |

f. Times:

- |            |            |
|------------|------------|
| 1. (9.30)  | 2. (10.45) |
| 3. (11.10) | 4. (3.15)  |
| 5. (6.45)  |            |

g. Abbreviations:

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|----------------|------------------|
| 1. (Dr. Smith) | 2. (St. Thomas)  |
| 3. (Bond St.)  | 4. (Mrs. Archer) |
| 5. (Eton Ave.) | 6. (Eden Sq.)    |

h. Spelling:

- |             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| 1. (CHEST)  | 2. (DIZZY)  |
| 3. (FLOWER) | 4. (JOKING) |
| 5. (LEMON)  | 6. (QUIET)  |
| 7. (WAVE)   | 8. (GREAT)  |

i. Contractions:

- |                     |                     |
|---------------------|---------------------|
| 1. (Don't go.)      | 2. (I can't see.)   |
| 3. (It isn't true.) | 4. (I'll tell you.) |

B. Listen to the tape and complete the following statements.

- a. Dr. Blake wasn't born until (1934).
- b. I'll see you at (9.45).
- c. She doesn't live in (Oxford) Street.
- d. You weren't with us on (21st May).
- e. I'd like to phone (Eastleigh), that's (E-A-S-T-L-E-I-G-H).  
(682448).
- f. Mrs. Jones has an appointment at (8 a.m.).
- g. A NE wind will bring rain to the (London) area (tomorrow).

C. Look at the boxes. Listen to the numbers. Put the numbers you hear in the boxes. Then add the numbers. Look at example 1. Put number 1 in box A. Put number 2 in box B. Put number 3 in box C. Now add the numbers. 1 plus 2 plus 3 make 6.

Example 1: A      B      C      Total

$$[ 1 ] + [ 2 ] + [ 3 ] = [ 6 ]$$

A      B      C      Total

Practice 1: [ 3 ] + [ 6 ] + [ 7 ] = [ 16 ]

Practice 2: [ 8 ] + [ 1 ] + [ 2 ] = [ 11 ]

Practice 3: [ 4 ] + [ 7 ] + [ 2 ] = [ 13 ]

D. Listen to the statements and fill in the blanks. The aim is to test and reinforce your ability to distinguish between the sounds of 'he' and 'she' and to get yourself familiar with some of the names of the jobs.

1. Does (she) work in a (supermarket)?
2. Does (she) work in a (bank)?
3. Does (he) work in a (chemist)?
4. Does (he) work in a (big shop)?
5. Does (she) work in a (hotel)?
6. Does (she) work in a (shoe shop)?

7. Does (he) work in a (shoe shop)?

## Section Two:

### Tapescript.

#### Dialogue 1:

- My name's King.
- How do you spell that?
- K-I-N-G. I live in Hampstead.
- How's that spelt?
- H-A-M-P-S-T-E-A-D.

#### Dialogue 2:

- What do you do for a living?
- I'm a journalist.
- Really? Do you like it?
- Yes, I do. It's very interesting.

#### Dialogue 3:

- Woman: This is John, Mother.
- Mother: How do you do?
- John: How do you do?
- Woman: John's a journalist.
- Mother: Are you? Do you like it?
- John: Well, it's alright.

#### Dialogue 4:

- Hello, where are you from?
- Oh, I'm English.
- Really? Which part do you come from?
- Well, I live in London, but I was born in Manchester.

—Oh!

Dialogue 5:

—Can you speak French?

—A little.

—Where did you learn it?

—At school.

—Can you speak any other languages?

—I'm afraid not.

### Key to Exercises.

A. Listen to the following dialogues carefully and answer the questions concerning each dialogue.

Dialogue 1:

1. What's her name?

Answer: King.

2. Where does she live?

Answer: In Hampstead.

Dialogue 2:

1. What does she like?

Answer: Her work.

2. What does she do for a living?

Answer: She's a journalist.

Dialogue 3:

1. What is John?

Answer: A journalist.

2. What does the mother ask John?

Answer: She asks him if he likes his work.

Dialogue 4:

1. What nationality is she?

Answer: She's English.

2. Where does she live?

Answer: London.

3. Where was she born?

Answer: Manchester.

Dialogue 5:

1. What language can he speak a little?

Answer: French.

2. Where did he learn it?

Answer: At school.

3. Can he speak Chinese?

Answer: No.

### Section Three:

Dictation: Dictate five groups of words. Pay close attention to the singular and plural forms of nouns.

Tapescript.

Group 1:

1. shirt

2. skirt

3. socks

4. shirt & tie

5. blouse & skirt

6. pants & shirt

7. shoes & socks

8. shoes, socks & pants

9. pants, shirt & socks

10. skirt, blouse & sweater

Group 2:

1. key

2. toothbrush

3. comb

4. key & door



5. table & chair
7. bicycle & tire
9. bed, table & chair

6. toothbrush & comb
8. comb, toothbrush & key

Group 3:

- |               |                 |
|---------------|-----------------|
| 1. letter     | 2. show         |
| 3. something  | 4. read         |
| 5. cigarettes | 6. taxi         |
| 7. bookcase   | 8. none         |
| 9. magazine   | 10. any         |
| 11. policeman | 12. policewoman |

Group 4:

- |              |                 |
|--------------|-----------------|
| 1. shoes     | 2. shut         |
| 3. window    | 4. lamp         |
| 5. bottle    | 6. refrigerator |
| 7. newspaper | 8. purse        |
| 9. clothes   | 10. bed         |
| 11. plate    | 12. stove       |
| 13. radio    | 14. first       |
| 15. second   | 16. third       |
| 17. fourth   | 18. fifth       |

Group 5:

- |               |                |
|---------------|----------------|
| 1. talking    | 2. another     |
| 3. listening  | 4. worrying    |
| 5. glasses    | 6. holding     |
| 7. walking    | 8. pointing to |
| 9. looking at |                |

## Preparatory Lesson Two

### Section One:

#### Tapescript.

##### A. Numbers:

- |                          |                            |
|--------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. eighteen              | 2. ninety                  |
| 3. seventeen             | 4. seven hundred and eight |
| 5. seventy-eight         | 6. a hundred and eighty    |
| 7. fourteen              | 8. seventy-six             |
| 9. fifty                 | 10. sixty-five             |
| 11. a hundred and twelve | 12. twenty-three           |
| 13. two and a half       | 14. three and a quarter    |
| 15. forty-five percent   |                            |

##### B. Numbers:

- |                          |                                    |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. twenty-five           | 2. thirteen                        |
| 3. fifteen               | 4. sixteen                         |
| 5. six hundred and fifty | 6. a hundred and eighteen          |
| 7. five and a half       | 8. four five three double one nine |

##### C. Letters:

J-K-X-E-Y-A-I-G-H-V-W-R

##### D. Letters:

- |              |          |
|--------------|----------|
| 1. S-A-D     | 2. J-A-M |
| 3. F-R-Y     | 4. R-E-D |
| 5. B-R-E-N-T |          |

##### E. Times:

1. twelve fifteen
2. twenty—five past two
3. a quarter to five
4. half past ten
5. a quarter to nine
6. It's about twenty past one.
7. It's almost a quarter to two.
8. It's almost eleven.
9. It's exactly four.
10. It's nine thirty.

### Key to Exercises.

A. Numbers. Write the numbers you hear on the tape. The first one has been done for you.

18	90	17	708	78	180	14	76	50
65	112	23	$2\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{1}{4}$	45%			

B. Numbers. Are these numbers the same or different from those on the tape? Mark the correct ones. The first has been done for you.

25	30	15	60	650	180	$5\frac{1}{2}$	452119
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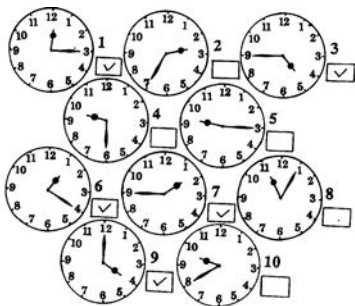
C. Letters. Write down the letters you hear on the tape. The first has been done for you.

J	K	.X	E	Y	A	I	G	H	V	W	R
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D. Letters. Are these words the same as those spelled on the tape? Mark the correct ones. The first has been done for you.

Sad	Gem	Fry	Aid	Paint
*		*		

E. Times. Are the times on the tape the same as those on the clocks? Mark the correct ones. The first has been done for you.



## Section Two:

### Tapescript.

#### Dialogue 1:

Robert: Hello, I'm Robert. What's your name?

Sylvia: My name's Sylvia.

Robert: Are you French?

Sylvia: No, I'm not. I'm Swiss.

#### Dialogue 2:

Ronnie: Where do you come from?

Susie: From Switzerland.

Ronnie: What do you do?

Susie: I work in a travel agency.

Ronnie: Do you? I work in a bank.

#### Dialogue 3:

Tony: Who's that girl over there?

George: Which one?

Tony: The tall one with fair hair.

George: That's Lisa.

Tony: She's nice, isn't she?

Dialogue 4:

Frank wants a new jacket. He and Sally see some in a shop window.

Frank: I like that brown one.

Sally: They're cheaper in the other shop.

Frank: Yes, these are more expensive, but they're better quality.

Sally: Let's go in and look at some.

Dialogue 5:

Kurt: Georgina ...

Georgina: Yes?

Kurt: Would you like to come to the cinema this evening?

Georgina: Oh, that would be lovely.

Kurt: Fine... I'll call for you at about six o'clock.

Dialogue 6:

Peter and Anne are at a party.

Anne: Who's that man over there?

Peter: That's Tim Johnson.

Anne: What does he do?

Peter: He's an airline pilot.

Anne: That's an interesting job.

Peter: Yes, but airline pilots spend a lot of time away from home.

Anne: They see a lot of interesting places.

Peter: Yes, but they have a lot of responsibility.

Anne: Well, they earn a good salary, don't they?

Peter: That's true. But they have to retire when they are quite young.

### Key to Exercises.

#### Dialogue 1:

A. Fill in the blanks to complete the following statements.

1. The woman's name is (Sylvia).
2. She's (Swiss).

B. True or False Questions. Write a T in front of a statement if it is true according to the recording and write an F if it is false.

1. (F) The man's name is Roberts.
2. (F) He is French.

#### Dialogue 2:

A. Answer the following questions briefly.

1. Where does she come from?

Answer: From Switzerland.

2. What does she do?

Answer: She works in a travel agency.

3. Where does the man work?

Answer: In a bank.

#### Dialogue 3:

A. Answer the following questions briefly.

1. What does the girl look like?

Answer: She is tall with fair hair.

2. What's her name?

Answer: Lisa.

#### Dialogue 4:

A. True or False Questions. Write a T in front of a statement if it is true according to the recording and write an F if it is false.

1. (F) Frank wants some jackets.
2. (F) He wants the brown one because it's cheaper.

B. Answer the following questions briefly.

1. Why are the jackets in this shop more expensive?

Answer: Because they're better quality.

2. Do they still want to go in and have a look?

Answer: Yes.

Dialogue 5:

A. Answer the following questions briefly.

1. Where are they going this evening?

Answer: To a cinema.

2. What time will the man call for her?

Answer: Six o'clock.

Dialogue 6:

A. Answer the following questions briefly.

1. What's the name of the man they are talking about?

Answer: Tim Johnson.

2. What does the man do for a living?

Answer: He is an airline pilot.

B. List the advantages and disadvantages of being an airline pilot.

Advantages:

1. That's (an interesting) job.

2. They see (a lot of interesting places).

3. They (earn a good salary).

Disadvantages:

1. They spend (a lot of time away from home).

2. They have (a lot of responsibility).

3. They have to (retire) when they (are quite young).

### Section Three:

Dictation. Dictate the following seven groups of words and phrases.

Tapescript.

Group 1:

- |            |               |
|------------|---------------|
| 1. kitchen | 2. sink       |
| 3. under   | 4. over       |
| 5. beside  | 6. tea kettle |
| 7. chair   | 8. curtain    |
| 9. plant   | 10. above     |
| 11. left   | 12. right     |

Group 2:

- |                  |                |
|------------------|----------------|
| 1. lying down    | 2. reading     |
| 3. drinking      | 4. milk        |
| 5. typing letter | 6. turning on  |
| 7. water         | 8. turning off |
| 9. light         | 10. making     |
| 11. eating       | 12. bone       |
| 13. cooking      | 14. someone    |
| 15. finished     |                |

Group 3:

- |            |         |
|------------|---------|
| 1. holding | 2. son  |
| 3. friend  | 4. wife |
| 5. husband |         |

Group 4:

- |          |            |
|----------|------------|
| 1. want  | 2. hungry  |
| 3. tired | 4. bedroom |



5. thirsty

6. dinner

Group 5:

1. living room

2. wall

3. above

4. behind

5. TV

6. radio

7. rug

8. floor

9. under

10. door

11. corner

12. left

13. right

14. between

Group 6:

1. wait for

2. bus

3. sleep

4. hot

5. cold

6. dirty

7. look

8. happy

Group 7:

1. to be about

2. weather

3. housewife

4. garden

5. automobile

6. mechanic

7. show

8. outdoors

9. winter

10. summer

11. indoors

12. spring

13. flowers