

# PART 4-B Short Talks

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English Teachers On Call

## **TOEIC WORKBOOK PART 4-B INSTRUCTION:**

**In Part 4 of TOIEC you will listen to a short talk. It might be an announcement, a radio advertisement, or a telephone recording. You will listen to the talk and read a few questions about it.**

# Short talks from 326 refer page 220

A careless man started a 520 acre forest fire not far from the town of White River, New York. The fire was 75 percent under control on Wednesday, according to the fire-fighters. It has cost close to one million dollars so far to fight the fire. A spokesperson for the fire department said the cause was a smoker who threw his cigarette out his car window. The fire started in the state park and destroyed campgrounds and recreational areas there. Park visitors, including a group of boy scouts, took shelter in town. The fire also threatened houses just outside of White River. Five hundred people had to flee their homes at the height of the fire Monday night. Fortunately, fire fighters were able to save that area. Authorities said the fire should be completely put out by today.

## Question

1. Who was responsible for the problem?

- a.) A park ranger
- b.) A boy scout
- c.) A spokesperson
- d.) A smoker

2. What was destroyed?

- a.) Campgrounds
- b.) Houses
- c.) A car
- d.) A town

3. When do authorities expect the fire to be put out?

- a.) On Monday
- b.) On Wednesday
- c.) By today
- d.) In two days

We're changing our name... but we're keeping our promises! For decades, City Hospital has been providing low-income and indigent people with the highest quality medical care. It's time to create a separate identity, so people will recognize what we do. That's why we're changing the name of our facility to the Albert Shaw Hospital. Inspired by the work of the great Dr. Shaw, we have renewed our commitment to excellence and quality, offering more services and setting new standards for medical treatment. The Albert Shaw Hospital... another name for positive result.

## Question

1. What type of place is the announcement about?

- a.) A school
- b.) A church
- c.) A village
- d.) A hospital

2. Who receives services at this place?

- a.) Poor people
- b.) Middle-income people
- c.) Rich people
- d.) Retired people

3. Why are they changing the name of the place?

- a.) The old name was too long.
- b.) Dr. Shaw was a popular physician.
- c.) They would like separate identity
- d.) City Hospital has moved to another city.

Fuji House is a Japanese restaurant full of wonderful aromas and tastes. The restaurant specializes in seafood, and its sushi is the best you can find anywhere. It also offers delicious tempura, several tasty chicken dishes, and a wonderful sweet and sour pork. The restaurant serves a variety of vegetarian dishes, too, and all the dishes are moderately priced. Fuji House is open for lunch and dinner seven days a week. It opens early for breakfast on Saturdays and Sundays only. A delicious and reasonably priced business lunch special is available Monday through Friday. If you like traditional Japanese cooking with a modern flair, visit Fuji House.

## Question

1. What is the specialty of Fuji House?

- a.) **Sushi**
- b.) Chicken.
- c.) Tempura.
- d.) Pork.

2. What describes the food at Fuji House?

- a.) It's very expensive
- b.) It's vegetarian only.
- c.) **It smells and tastes delicious.**
- d.) It comes from all over the world.

3. When is Fuji House open?

- a.) **Everyday**
- b.) Monday and Friday only
- c.) Saturday and Sunday only
- d.) Monday to Friday only



I'd like to thank all of you for coming to this meeting. Once again it's time for us to elect the Employee of the Year. My assistant are now passing out ballot slips. Please use one to write down the name of your choice for Employee of the Year. Please consider someone who you feel has given 110 % of him or herself during this past year. Your choice should be someone who is not only a very hard worker, but also someone who is kind , friendly, and helpful. In case you've forgotten, let me remind you that the winner will receive a \$1,000 cash prize and a one-week vacation for two in Bahamas. Okay, I'm now ready to take nominations from the floor.

## Question

1. Why are these people meeting?

- a.) To discuss employee concerns
- b.) To elect the Manager of the Year.
- c.) To choose the Employee of the Year.
- d.) To vote for a new contract.

2. How will the employee vote?

- a.) By using a ballot.
- b.) By raising their hands.
- c.) By calling out people's names.
- d.) By registering a name electronically

3. How many prizes will the winner get?

- a.) One
- b.) Two
- c.) Three
- d.) Four

Good morning. My name is Cory and I'll be your guide this morning as we tour the ruins of Machu Picchu,. I hope all of you are wearing comfortable shoes because we'll be climbing up and down a great deal and covering a lot of ground during this tour. We'll start our walk at the main gate of the city, where you'll see The Temple of the Sun, and finish at the main plaza, which you can see in the distance behind me. I ask that you all stay close together as we proceed, and please don't worry; I'll give you plenty of time to ask questions and take pictures of our different stops. If there are no questions right now, let's begin. Please follow me.

## Question

1. When does this tour take place?

a.) **In the morning.**

b.) In the afternoon

c.) In the evening

d.) At night.

2. Where will the tour end?

a.) At the main gate.

b.) **At the main plaza**

c.) At Machu Picchu.

d.) At the temple of the Sun.

3. What does the tour guide request of the tourist?

a.) To use the litres cans.

b.) **Not to wander away.**

c.) Not to touch the monuments.

d.) Not to ask questions until he has finished.