

Part 4: Short Talks

Directions: In this part of test, you will hear several short talks. Each will be spoken just one time. They will not be printed in the real TOEIC test book, so you must listen carefully to understand and remember what is said.

In the TOEIC test book, you will read two or more questions about each short talk. The questions will be followed by four answers. You are to choose the best answer to each question

1. Where is this talk probably taking place?

- A. In a college classroom
- B. At a business meeting
- C. On a television talk show
- D. Inside a train station

2. What is the main purpose of the talk?

- A. To explain a decision
- B. To correct a mistake
- C. To persuade listeners
- D. To impart information

3. How does the speaker feel about the company's future?

- A. He thinks the company is in good shape.
- B. He thinks that earnings will continue to drop.
- C. He believes that the company will fail.
- D. He believes that profits will soar.

4. Who is most likely listening to the talk?

- A. Supermarket managers
- B. Credit Union CEOs
- C. Bank employees
- D. Relationship officers

5. What is the talk probably taking place?

- A. At a business meeting
- B. In a university classroom
- C. At a credit union
- D. In a restaurant

6. What is the main purpose of the talk?

- A. To raise deposit rates
- B. To attract new customers
- C. To get new deposits
- D. To announce future changes

7. Who is the intended audience?

- A. Business people
- B. High school students
- C. College seniors
- D. University professors

8. Where would this speech most likely be heard?

- A. At a commencement
- B. At a board meeting
- C. In a classroom
- D. At a convention

9. What does the speaker suggest listeners do?

- A. Get a job
- B. Persevere
- C. Make a difference
- D. Go to college

10. When is this talk probably taking place?

- A. During a meeting
- B. During an interview
- C. During a convention
- D. During a lecture

11. Who most likely is the speaker?

- A. A company president
- B. A radio reporter
- C. An industry analyst
- D. A store manager

12. What is suggested about the company?

- A. It is small.
- B. It provides a service.
- C. It is a manufacturer.
- D. It is having financial trouble.

HOMEWORK

Vocabulary- "J" Words

1. What is a short, long sleeved coat called?
2. A green stone found in China and Korea and is often carved is called _____.
3. Fruit boiled with sugar and spread on toast is called _____
4. A puzzle made up of different shaped pieces which are fitted together again is called a _____
5. Another word for work or employment is _____
6. A person who decides in a competition, contest, or in a law case is called a _____
7. A story which is funny is called a _____
8. The largest planet in the solar system is called _____
9. To travel to a distant place is to go on a _____
10. The sound made by keys, coins and especially small bells is called a _____

