

Part 3: Short Conversations

Directions:

In this part of the test, you will hear short conversations between two people. In a real test, each conversation will not be written in your test book. You will hear the conversation only once, so you must listen carefully to understand what the speakers say.

In the test book, you will read a question about each conversation. The question will be followed by four answer choices. You are to choose the best answer to each question.

1. What are they talking about?

- A. a problem with the telephone
- B. a problem with the fax machine
- C. a computer crash
- D. A problem with the Internet connection

2. Who most likely are the speakers?

- A. Employer and employee
- B. Banker and client
- C. Salesman and customer
- D. Husband and wife.

3. What problem does the man have?

- A. He dropped his phone
- B. He paid too much money
- C. His call got cut off
- D. His minutes were limited

4. How much does the woman pay every month?

- A. \$17
- B. \$70 +
- C. \$70
- D. It depends on plan

5. What problem does the woman have?

- A. Her cell phone isn't working.
- B. Her keyboard is stuck.
- C. Her camera is broken.
- D. Her receipt has been lost.

6. Where is this conversation taking place?

- A. In an office
- B. In a store
- C. At a party
- D. At a conference

7. What will the man probably do next?

- A. Return the woman's money
- B. Fix the woman's phone
- C. Help the woman choose a phone
- D. Help the woman find her receipt

8. What does the woman want to do?

- A. Sell her TV set
- B. Stop receiving cable television
- C. Cancel her latest cable bill
- D. Add more cable channels

9. What does the man suggest?

- A. Switching to a cheaper package
- B. Upgrading to premium cable
- C. Watching less television
- D. Looking for a job

10. Why does the woman say she can no longer afford cable?

- A. Her husband lost his job.
- B. There are too many channels.
- C. She is out of work.
- D. It is not a good value.

11. What are the speakers mainly discussing?

- A. The price of electronics
- B. Different TV brands
- C. Where to buy a television
- D. The cost of MP-4s

12. What does the woman want to do?

- A. Compare prices
- B. Pay \$399
- C. Buy gas
- D. Match the price

13. Where is this conversation probably taking place?

- A. In an office
- B. In a supermarket
- C. In an electronics store
- D. In a warehouse

14. What problem do the speakers have?

- A. Every outlet is in use.
- B. The network is down.
- C. A file has been deleted.
- D. An electrical outlet does not work.

15. What are the speakers mainly discussing?

- A. How much money to spend
- B. Where to buy a computer
- C. How much memory they need
- D. Which computer to purchase