

Support materials

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While you listen

While you listen, read and answer the questions below. Remember that there may be more than one correct answer. See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

Section 1

1. Listen to Tess and Ravi. Tick all the phrases you think are true. There may be more than one right answer.

- a) It's raining today.
- b) Ravi travels to the studio by bicycle.
- c) Tess travels to the studio by car.
- d) The weather is going to get better soon.

Section 2

2. Listen to Rita talking about Bath. Tick all the phrases you think are true.

- a) Rita has always lived in Bath.
- b) About nine thousand people live in Bath.
- c) You can swim in the Roman baths.
- d) It's difficult to find a place to park in Bath.

Section 3

3. Listen to the quiz. How many correct answers does Darryl get?

- a) 5
- b) 6
- c) 7
- d) 8

Section 4

4. Listen to Your Turn. How many people mention environmental issues and climate change?

- a) 2
- b) 3
- c) 4
- d) 5

Section 5

5. Listen to Carolina and her friends going on a trip in Henry's car. Who is reading the map?

- a) Carolina
- b) Jamie
- c) Layla
- d) Ivan

6. What was Henry's mistake?

- a) He put their sandwiches in the rubbish bin.
- b) He had the map upside down.
- c) He forgot to buy petrol.
- d) He didn't know the way.

Section 6

7. Listen to the joke. Tick all the phrases you think are true.

- a) A baby polar bear is sitting on an iceberg.
- a) The polar bear is with his mum.
- b) The baby polar bear asks lots of questions.
- c) The baby polar bear is very hot.

Section 1 "I've had a really awful day" – getting it off your chest

Exercise 1

Sometimes we have a bad day – and we often want to tell our friends or family all about it! It makes us feel better to complain to someone. In English we call this 'getting it off your chest'.

Ravi isn't having a very good day – and he tells Tess all about it. Put the lines of the dialogue in the right order. The first and the last have been done for you. See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

a	Ravi: I don't complain that much. ... Well, I do a bit, but, honestly, my trousers are wet and I've got to wear them all day and my feet are wet, so now they're freezing cold. I only bought these shoes last week and now look at them - ruined. I look ridiculous.
b	Ravi: I wouldn't. And I'm cold now! I'd rather be cold and dry than cold and wet.
c	Ravi: Really? Nightmare. You know, I don't mind rain when I'm at home. I quite like seeing it out of the window. But when I have to go to work ... no. Anyway, that journey was really stressful – but I feel better now. Seeing you always cheers me up Tess.
d	Ravi: Well, I know, but really Tess I've had an awful journey here. It's OK for you because you come in the car but I come on the underground and it is just <i>awful</i> when it's raining. I got wet walking to the station and then everybody was on the train with their wet coats and wet umbrellas...I hate it.
e	Tess: Oh come on, you can't complain about a little bit of rain. Honestly, you complain when it's too hot, you complain when it's too cold...
f	Tess: Well it's bad news for you then. The weather forecast says it's going to be like this for the next week.
g	Tess: You're such a fashion victim, Ravi. It's a podcast. No-one can see your shoes. Anyway, at least it isn't cold. I'd rather have rain than be freezing cold.

	Tess: Ravi has been complaining since he arrived at the studio.
1	
2	
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5	
6	
7	
	Tess: Awww.

Section 1 "I've had a really awful day" – getting it off your chest

Exercise 2

Here are three conversations that follow the same structure as Tess and Ravi's conversation in Exercise 1. The first column – Conversation A – shows Tess and Ravi's conversation. The other two columns show Conversation B and Conversation C, but the columns have been mixed up. Each conversation has the same structure as Tess and Ravi's, and the same number of "turns": 11. Can you separate Conversations B and C?

With highlighter pens, colour the turns in two different colours. The first 2 turns, and the last turn have been done for you. See *Answers* at the end of this pack.

Alternatively, you can cut the turns out with a pair of scissors and arrange them on a table.

Conversation A	Conversation B	Conversation C
A ¹ Ravi: Well, I know, but really Tess I've had an awful journey here.	B ¹ Sorry I'm late, but I've just had to wait hours trying to get off the motorway	C ¹ Arrgghh. That Supermarket on a Saturday! Never again!
A ² Tess: Awww	B ² But at least you missed the meeting this morning...	C ² It's not so bad. I quite like it.
A ³ Ravi: It's OK for you because you come in the car but I come on the underground and it is just <i>awful</i> when it's raining.	³ Yes, yes. It's not so bad for you, but then *you* only ever go there during the week. But on Saturdays it's a Hell On Earth	³ I know that you come in by train so the accident didn't affect you, but I had to just sit there for *two hours*

^{A4} Ravi: I got wet walking to the station and then everybody was on the train with their wet coats and wet umbrellas...I hate it.

⁴ First there was the accident, then the police closed all the roads, and then when they opened them we had to go at 5 m.p.h. for ten miles...

⁴ For one thing, there's never anywhere to park the car. Next, when you eventually find somewhere to park, it's miles away from the supermarket, and then, once you get there, there are thousands of people shouting and waving - it's like that Gladiator film

^{A5} Tess: Oh come on, you can't complain about a little bit of rain. Honestly, you complain when it's too hot, you complain when it's too cold...

⁵ Huh. The traffic was moving too slowly? Yesterday you were calling them all speed freaks

⁵ Come off it. It's not that bad. And if it's so awful, why don't you go to the local shop. Oh, wait. I remember, "there's nothing I want to buy in that shop"

^{A6} Ravi: I don't complain that much. ... Well, I do a bit, but, honestly, my trousers are wet and I've got to wear them all day and my feet are wet, so now they're freezing cold.

⁶ Well, yes, it's a good supermarket. It's the people that are the problem. Because I had to get back here by eleven, I couldn't get the cheese because of the queues at the counter, so now we've got no cheese for tonight's dinner, so I suppose I'll have to go and buy some fruit or ice cream or something.

⁶ Look, I understand that there's an accident. But they made us wait for ages before we could leave, so now I've missed my breakfast, I've got an extra hour's worth of mail in my Inbox, and it's already eleven o'clock!

^{A7} Ravi: I only bought these shoes last week and now look at them - ruined. I look ridiculous.

⁷ And you know how Teddy and Alex love their exotic foreign cheeses

⁷ And I've got a boring old budget meeting at one

^{A8} Tess: You're such a fashion victim, Ravi. It's a podcast. No-one can see your shoes. Anyway, at least it isn't cold. I'd rather have rain than be freezing cold.

⁸ Never mind. At least you weren't part of the accident. Better safe than sorry.

⁸ Well, at least you got them their exotic foreign smoked sausages! Well done

^{A9} Ravi: I wouldn't. And I'm cold now! I'd rather be cold and dry than cold and wet.

⁹ Yes. Actually, I was lucky there: only three people in the queue before me. And no kids!

⁹ True, I suppose. I'm alive and well!

^{A10} Tess: Well it's bad news for you then. The weather forecast says it's going to be like this for the next week.

¹⁰ Well, there you are. Did you remember the olive oil...?

¹⁰ They mentioned the accident on the radio, actually...

Conversation A	Conversation B	Conversation C
A11 Ravi: Really? Nightmare. You know, I don't mind ...	B11 Did they? What did they say? ...	C11 Here you are. ...

Section 1 "I've had a really awful day" – getting it off your chest

Exercise 3

When we tell people about a bad day (or a good day), we often give a list of the things that have gone wrong. And we often use lists of three things together. Look at part of one of the conversations from Exercise 2. Look for the list of three.

'Look, I understand that there's an accident. But they made us wait for ages before we could leave, so now I've missed my breakfast, I've got an extra hour's worth of mail in my Inbox, and it's already eleven o'clock'

Look, I understand that there's an accident. But they made us wait for ages before we could leave,

- 1....so now I've missed my breakfast,
2. ...I've got an extra hour's worth of mail in my Inbox,
3. ...and it's already eleven o'clock!

Look at the people complaining 1 – 6. You only have the beginnings. Put these phrases in the best place. See *Answers* at the end of this pack.

and now they've decided to sack the manager.
at lunch I put too much salt in my soup and now
bought these shoes last week and now look at them - ruined.
I got a text during the meeting and couldn't answer it. And now,
in January the goalie broke his leg,
just when I'm about to call them back the battery's dead!
look at what I've done to this poor omelette.
my feet are wet, so now they're freezing cold. I only
then they tell you to go to a different office.
they tell you you're in the wrong queue and
today he asked me if I had cleaned my shoes.
yesterday he told me off again for going to lunch at five to one and

1.	My trousers are wet and I've got to wear them all day and
2.	That new boss! He told me off on Monday when I arrived ten seconds late and
3.	I don't understand this new queuing system. First they tell you to take a ticket, then
4.	I've not had a Lucky Meal Day. At breakfast I knocked my coffee across the table,
5.	These mobile phones! First it went off when I was driving so I couldn't answer it, then
6.	United? Not such a good season for them this year. First they had to sell their best player,

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Section 2 – Would like to talk about

In this section, you heard Rita talking about Bath, her home town. What's your home town like? What is its history? What do you like about your town or city and what do you not like so much?

Write a paragraph about your home town or city. If you want, you can add your paragraph to the "Your turn" comments on the website, or send your paragraph to learnenglishpodcast@britishcouncil.org.

Here are some phrases that might help you:

It's in the north/south/east/west of [your country]

About [how many?] people live there. / The population is about [how many?]

It's a very old / new city.

The oldest parts of town are about a thousand years old.

It's a(n) fantastic / interesting / boring / terrible place to live because ...

It's got great restaurants / bars / shops

Section 3 – Quiz – Exercise 1

The quiz today was about computers and computing. Add the vowels to complete these computer words. See *Answers* at the end of this pack.

1. m _ _ s _	6. s _ f t w _ r _
2. k _ y b _ _ r d	7. h _ r d w _ r _
3. m _ n _ t _ r	8. c _ r s _ r
4. p r _ n t _ r	9. c l _ c k
5. v _ r _ s	10. s h _ t d _ w n

Section 3 – Quiz – Exercise 2

Now use the words from Exercise 1 to complete the sentences. See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

1. The programmes you use on your computer are all _____.
2. You use the mouse to move the _____ round the screen.
3. You type on the _____ to make letters appear on the screen.
4. When you _____ the computer you turn it off.
5. If you want to read your documents on paper you send them to the _____.
6. You use the _____ to move around the screen.
7. You _____ on something you want to use. You can double _____ or right _____ as well.
8. The _____ is the part of the computer that has the screen on it.
9. You don't want to get a _____ on your computer so you use anti- _____ protection.
10. The monitor, printer and the computer itself are all _____.

Section 4 – Your turn

In 'Your Turn' this time the question was "What's the biggest problem facing humanity today - and why?"

What about you? What do you think is the biggest problem for the world today? Is it climate change and environmental problems or is it something else? Do you agree with what any of the people said in the podcast?

We'd like you to tell us your opinion. Add your paragraph to the "Your turn" comments on the website, or send your paragraph to learnenglishpodcast@britishcouncil.org.

Here is some vocabulary that might help you to express your ideas:

The environment:	People's attitudes:	Other problems:
global warming	selfishness	war
the greenhouse effect	greed	natural resources
greenhouse gases	the divide between rich and poor	famine
climate change	human nature	the global economy

Section 5 – Carolina – Exercise 1

Look at some parts of Carolina and her friends' conversations on the way to the nature reserve. Put the expressions in the right places. . See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

Can you tell us the way to	Go back the way you came
Is this the right way?	turn right
go straight on	You can't miss it
Pull over	I'm not quite sure
Don't we need to	Here we go

1	<i>Henry:</i> Right. _____. Put some music on, Ivan.
2	<i>Henry:</i> _____ turn left before Brampton? <i>Ivan:</i> Um, yeah.
3	<i>Ivan:</i> Just a minute. Um, _____ where we are. Have we passed Denton yet? <i>Layla:</i> Ages ago.
4	<i>Carolina:</i> Why don't we stop and ask someone? <i>Jamie:</i> Look, there's a petrol station. _____

5	<i>Carolina:</i> Oh. Um, excuse me. _____ Hallbankgate? <i>Man:</i> Hallbankgate? You're miles away.
6	<i>Ivan:</i> So which road should we take? <i>Man:</i> _____, about five miles, then take a right.
7	<i>Henry:</i> We're trying to get to Hallbankgate. _____ <i>Woman:</i> Hallbankgate? No dear, this is the road to Farlam.
8	<i>Woman:</i> Go back the way you came for about two miles, then _____ - there's a pub on the corner called the Old Duke. Then _____ till you come to the main road, then turn right again. You'll see the sign to Hallbankgate - _____. <i>Henry:</i> Thank you very much.

Section 5 – Carolina – Exercise 2

Look again at parts of the conversations. Choose all the phrases that people can say – there is always more than one correct answer. See Answers at the end of this support pack.

1. Henry: Right. _____. Put some music on, Ivan.

- a) Off we go
- b) Let's go
- c) Here we go
- d) No go

2. Henry: _____ turn left before Brampton?

Ivan: Um, yeah.

- a) Don't we need to
- b) Can we
- c) Can't we
- d) Don't we have to

3. Ivan: Just a minute. Um, _____ where we are. Have we passed Denton yet?

Layla: Ages ago.

- a) I'm not certain
- b) I don't think
- c) I don't really know
- d) I'm not quite sure

4. Carolina: Why don't we stop and ask someone?

Jamie: Look, there's a petrol station. _____

- a) Stop the car
- b) Pull over
- c) Pull in
- d) Pull out

5. Carolina: Oh. Um, excuse me. _____ Hallbankgate?

Man: Hallbankgate? You're miles away.

- a) Can you tell us how to get to
- b) Can you tell us the way to
- c) Can you take us to
- d) Can you give us directions to

6. Ivan: So which road should we take?

Man: _____, about five miles, then take a right.

- a) Reverse
- b) Go backwards
- c) Turn around and go back
- d) Go back the way you came

7. Henry: We're trying to get to Hallbankgate. _____

Woman: Hallbankgate? No dear, this is the road to Farlam.

- a) Is this the right way?
- b) Are we on the right road?
- c) Are we going the right way?
- d) Are we in the way?

8. Woman: Go back the way you came for about two miles, then _____

_____.

- a) you're right
- b) take a right
- c) turn right
- d) that's right

9. Woman: There's a pub on the corner called the Old Duke. Then _____
_____ till you come to the main road, then turn right again.

- a) go straight away
- b) go straight on
- c) go straight back
- d) go straight ahead

10. Woman: You'll see the sign to Hallbankgate - _____.

Henry: Thank you very much.

- a) You can't miss it
- b) You're sure to see it
- c) You'll miss me
- d) You can't miss

Section 5 – Carolina – Exercise 3

Now complete these two short conversations.

1. You're lost. You want to go to the railway station but you're not sure where you are. You ask someone for directions.

You: _____

Woman: The railway station? No, this road goes to the football stadium.

You: _____

Woman: OK. You go back the way you came then turn left. Go down that street for half a mile and you'll see it on your right.

You: _____

2. Someone stops you in the street and asks you for directions.

Man: Excuse me. Is this the road to the university?

You: _____

Man: Oh dear. Can you tell me how to get to the university, please?

You: _____

Man: Is it far?

You: _____

Man: OK. Thank you for your help/

You: _____

Now you can practice the dialogue with a friend.

Section 7 - The joke

Exercise 1

Read the sentences below, and put them in the right order to tell the joke. You can either cut them up and arrange them, or write the number in the space on the left. See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

	"No dear, you're not a brown bear."
	The baby asks his mum, "Mum, are you sure I'm a polar bear?"
	"Well mum", says the baby, "I'm asking these questions because <i>I'm freezing.</i> "
	"Well what about a black bear? Maybe I'm a black bear."
	"Well if I'm not a brown bear or a black bear, maybe I'm a grizzly bear."
	A baby polar bear is sitting on an iceberg with his mum.
	"Why do you keep on asking these stupid questions?" his mum asks.
	His mum says, "Yes, darling, of course you are."
	"No dear, you're not a grizzly bear. You're a polar bear, like your mum and dad."
	A few minutes later he asks a second question, "Mum, are you sure I'm not a brown bear?"
	"No dear, you're not a black bear. Look at your fur – it's white?"

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 1

Are the sentences right or wrong? See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

1. I'd rather playing football than watching tennis.
2. Would you rather start at nine o'clock or at ten?
3. We'd rather pay by credit card than pay cash.
4. I'd rather read a newspaper to watch the news on TV.
5. She'd rather play with her friends than do her homework.

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 2

Make 5 sentences with "I'd rather" using some of the expressions from the box. See some *Possible Answers* at the end of this support pack.

watch TV	ride a bicycle	be cold	eat Chinese food	read a book
be hot	go to the beach	walk	eat Indian food	go to the mountains

1. I'd rather _____ than _____.
2. _____.
3. _____.
4. _____.
5. _____.

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 3

Would you say 'oops' in these situations? See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

1	A friend gets some bad news.	Yes	No
2	You drop your keys on the floor.	Yes	No
3	You arrive 15 minutes late for class.	Yes	No
4	By mistake you write 'tomorrow' instead of 'tomorow'.	Yes	No
5	You put salt in your coffee instead of sugar.	Yes	No

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 4

Put 'about' in the right place in each sentence. See *Answers* at the end of this support pack.

1. It's twenty five minutes by train.

2. She looks forty or forty five.

3. He's got brown hair and he's two metres tall.

4. It happened twenty five years ago - when I was a teenager.

5. Only six hundred people live in my village.

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 5

Answer these questions. Use 'about' in your answers. See *Possible Answers* at the end of this support pack.

1. How far is it from earth to the sun?

2. How old are the pyramids in Egypt?

3. How much does an African elephant weigh?

4. How fast does light travel?

5. How deep is the Pacific Ocean?

Answers

While you listen – Answers

1 a, c; 2. a, d; 3. c; 4. b; 5. d; 6. a; 7. a, b, c.

Section 1: "I've had a really awful day" – Exercise 1 – Answers

1. d; 2. e; 3. a; 4. g; 5. b; 6. f; 7. c;

Section 1: "I've had a really awful day" – Exercise 2 – Answers – see below

Section 1: "I've had a really awful day" – Exercise 3 – Answers

1. my feet are wet, so now they're freezing cold. I only bought these shoes last week and now look at them - ruined.
2. yesterday he told me off again for going to lunch at five to one and today he asked me if I had cleaned my shoes.
3. they tell you you're in the wrong queue and then they tell you to go to a different office.
4. at lunch I put too much salt in my soup and now look at what I've done to this poor omelette.
5. I got a text during the meeting and couldn't answer it. And now, just when I'm about to call them back the battery's dead!
6. in January the goalie broke his leg, and now they've decided to sack the manager.

Section 3 – Quiz – Exercise 1 – Answers

1. mouse 2. keyboard 3. monitor 4. printer 5. virus 6. software 7. hardware 8. cursor 9. click 10. shut down

Section 3 – Quiz – Exercise 2 – Answers

1. software 2. cursor 3. keyboard 4. shut down 5. printer 6. mouse 7. click click click 8. monitor 9. virus virus 10. hardware.

Section 5 – Carolina – Exercise 1 – Answers

1. Here we go 2. Don't we need to 3. I'm not quite sure 4. Pull over 5. Can you tell us the way to 6. Go back the way you came 7. Is this the right way? 8. turn right / go straight on / You can't miss it

Section 5 – Carolina – Exercise 2 – Answers

1. a, b, c; 2. a, d; 3. a, c, d; 4. a, b, c; 5. a, b, d; 6. c, d; 7. a, b, c; 8. b, c; 9. b, d; 10. a, b.

Section 6 – The Joke – Answers

5	"No dear, you're not a brown bear."
2	The baby asks his mum, "Mum, are you sure I'm a polar bear?"

11	"Well mum", says the baby, "I'm asking these questions because I'm freezing."
6	"Well what about a black bear? Maybe I'm a black bear."
8	"Well if I'm not a brown bear or a black bear, maybe I'm a grizzly bear."
1	A baby polar bear is sitting on an iceberg with his mum.
10	"Why do you keep on asking these stupid questions?" his mum asks.
3	His mum says, "Yes, darling, of course you are."
9	"No dear, you're not a grizzly bear. You're a polar bear, like your mum and dad."
4	A few minutes later he asks a second question, "Mum, are you sure I'm not a brown bear?"
7	"No dear, you're not a black bear. Look at your fur – it's white?"

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 1 – Answers

1. wrong 2. right 3. right 4. wrong 5. right

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 2 – Possible Answers

- 1 I'd rather read a book than watch TV.
- 2 I'd rather ride a bicycle than walk.
- 3 I'd rather be hot than be cold.
- 4 I'd rather go to the mountains than go to the beach.
- 5 I'd rather eat Indian food than eat Chinese food.

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 3 – Answers

1. No 2. Yes 3. No 4. Yes 5. Yes

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 4 – Answers

1. It's about twenty five minutes by train.
2. She looks about forty or forty five.
3. He's got brown hair and he's about two metres tall.
4. It happened about twenty five years ago - when I was a teenager.
5. Only about six hundred people live in my village.

Section 7 – Tom – Exercise 5 – Answers

1. About 150 million kilometres.
2. The oldest pyramids are about 5000 years old.
3. An average male African elephant weighs about 5500kg.
4. About 300,000km a second.
5. The deepest point is about 11,000 metres.

Section 1: "I've had a really awful day" – Exercise 2 – Answers

Conversation A	Conversation B	Conversation C
A ¹ Ravi: Well, I know, but really Tess I've had an awful journey here.	B ¹ Sorry I'm late, but I've just had to wait hours trying to get off the motorway	C ¹ Arrgghh. That Supermarket on a Saturday! Never again!
A ² Tess: Awww	B ² But at least you missed the meeting this morning...	C ² It's not so bad. I quite like it.
A ³ Ravi: It's OK for you because you come in the car but I come on the underground and it is just <i>awful</i> when it's raining.	C ³ Yes, yes. It's not so bad for you, but then *you* only ever go there during the week. But on Saturdays it's a Hell On Earth	B ³ I know that you come in by train so the accident didn't affect you, but I had to just sit there for *two hours*
A ⁴ Ravi: I got wet walking to the station and then everybody was on the train with their wet coats and wet umbrellas...I hate it.	B ⁴ First there was the accident, then the police closed all the roads, and then when they opened them we had to go at 5 m.p.h. for ten miles...	C ⁴ For one thing, there's never anywhere to park the car. Next, when you eventually find somewhere to park, it's miles away from the supermarket, and then, once you get there, there are thousands of people shouting and waving - it's like that Gladiator film
A ⁵ Tess: Oh come on, you can't complain about a little bit of rain. Honestly, you complain when it's too hot, you complain when it's too cold...	B ⁵ Huh. the traffic was moving too slowly? Yesterday you were calling them all speed freaks	C ⁵ Come off it. It's not that bad. And if it's so awful, why don't you go to the local shop. Oh, wait. I remember, "there's nothing I want to buy in that shop"
A ⁶ Ravi: I don't complain that much. ... Well, I do a bit, but, honestly, my trousers are wet and I've got to wear them all day and my feet are wet, so now they're freezing cold.	C ⁶ Well, yes, it's a good supermarket. It's the people that are the problem. Because I had to get back here by eleven, I couldn't get the cheese because of the queues at the counter, so now we've got no cheese for tonight's dinner, so I suppose I'll have to go and buy some fruit or ice cream or something.	B ⁶ Look, I understand that there's an accident. But they made us wait for ages before we could leave, so now I've missed my breakfast, I've got an extra hour's worth of mail in my Inbox, and it's already eleven o'clock!
A ⁷ Ravi: I only bought these shoes last week and now look at them - ruined. I look ridiculous.	C ⁷ And you know how Teddy and Alex love their exotic foreign cheeses	B ⁷ And I've got a boring old budget meeting at one

<p>^{A8} Tess: You're such a fashion victim, Ravi. It's a podcast. No-one can see your shoes. Anyway, at least it isn't cold. I'd rather have rain than be freezing cold.</p>	<p>^{B8} Never mind. At least you weren't part of the accident. Better safe than sorry.</p>	<p>^{C8} Well, at least you got them their exotic foreign smoked sausages! Well done</p>
<p>^{A9} Ravi: I wouldn't. And I'm cold now! I'd rather be cold and dry than cold and wet.</p>	<p>^{C9} Yes. Actually, I was lucky there: only three people in the queue before me. And no kids!</p>	<p>^{B9} True, I suppose. I'm alive and well!</p>
<p>^{A10} Tess: Well it's bad news for you then. The weather forecast says it's going to be like this for the next week.</p>	<p>^{C10} Well, there you are. Did you remember the olive oil...?</p>	<p>^{B10} They mentioned the accident on the radio, actually...</p>
<p>Conversation A</p> <p>^{A11} Ravi: Really? Nightmare. You know, I don't mind ...</p>	<p>Conversation B</p> <p>^{B11} Did they? What did they say?</p>	<p>Conversation C</p> <p>^{C11} Here you are.</p>

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