

TIPS FOR THE LISTENING SECTION OF PROFICIENCY EXAM

DO

- practice listening to English as much as possible.
- revise the topics in your books.
- read the instructions.
- choose your final answer carefully.

You will hear the conversations **TWICE** (check your answers at the second listening).

- circle A, B, C or D.

DON'T

- worry if there are words you don't understand.
- get nervous in the exam. Just relax and do your best!

✚ Listen to the conversation **TWICE**. Answer the questions 1-5 according to **Conversation**. There is **ONLY one correct answer**. You have thirty seconds to look at the sentences below after each time you listen.

1. The research shows that scientists will be more creative if they _____.

- A. share an office
- B. get on well
- C. talk regularly face-to-face
- D. waste of time

2. Isobel says that _____ is an important part of a 'monk morning'.

- A. removing distractions
- B. avoiding technology
- C. having regular breaks
- D. solve Maths better

3. Fiona would contribute better creative ideas if she had _____.

- A. fewer meetings
- B. more time to prepare
- C. a Creative Director
- D. switched on phone

4 Romesh says the best way to increase creativity is to _____.

- A. finish work earlier
- B. let workers have fun
- C. use workers' ideas
- D. divide into groups

5. The actors are _____ to get ideas for the rest of the scene.

- A. miming
- B. using a pack of question cards
- C. exploring the set
- D. playing tennis