8th Grade REL Form

Script for 8th Grade English Practice Test

(Narrator): This is the English Listening Practice Test for 8th grade. In this section, you will

show how well you understand spoken English. Listen carefully. Then, choose the

correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Look for question number 1.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Listen carefully to the following announcement.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Teenager): Hello, everyone, and welcome to this exciting museum tour. First, we will see some pieces of pottery; then, various stone hand tools; next, a chief's ceremonial seat; and finally, a life-sized model village. Please stay with the group during the entire tour.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): What will the group see LAST on the tour?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

A a ceremonial seat

B pieces of pottery

C stone hand tools

D a model village

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Listen to the announcement, the question, and the answer choices again.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Teenager repeats the announcement, and Narrator repeats the question and answer choices.)

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Look for question number 2. (Pause 2 seconds.) (Narrator): Listen carefully to the following sentence. (Pause 2 seconds.) (Woman): Natalia will visit her grandparents on Saturday. (Pause 2 seconds.) (Narrator): Choose the question that this sentence answers. (Pause 2 seconds.) (Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.) (Man): **A** Who is going with Natalia? **B** When will Natalia travel? C Where does Natalia live? **D** How will Natalia travel? (Pause 2 seconds.) (Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer. (Pause 2 seconds.) (Narrator): Listen to the sentence and the answer choices again. (Pause 2 seconds.)

(Woman repeats the sentence, Narrator repeats the prompt, and Man repeats the answer choices.)

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Look for question number 3.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Listen carefully to the following sentence.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Adrián needs help in a department store.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): What should Adrián say to obtain help from a store clerk?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Man):

A Hey, where are all the shoes in this store?

B Mister, tell me where the shoes are located.

C Lady, maybe you could tell me where the shoes are.

D Excuse me, could you please help me find the shoe section?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Listen to the sentence, the question, and the answer choices again.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator repeats the sentence and the question, and Man repeats the answer choices.)

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Listen to a story about Juliana and Marissa. You will answer questions 4 through 8 based on this story.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Juliana is visiting Marissa in Puerto Rico. Juliana used to live in Aibonito, but now she lives in New York City. Marissa wants to know everything about New York City.

(Marissa): What's the city like?

(Juliana): It's very crowded. When I walk down my street, I see many people every day.

(Marissa): Are they nice?

(Juliana): Some are nice. Some are not. There are people from all over the world walking on Amsterdam Avenue.

(Marissa): What is Amsterdam Avenue?

(Juliana): It is a very long, busy street in New York City. I like it because it has many stores, and there are people from Puerto Rico there. It feels like home.

(Marissa): What countries are the other people from?

(Juliana): I met someone from France in a shop the other day. She was very nice. I think we could become good friends. Later that same day, I met a boy from Mexico. He was also very nice.

(Marissa): Tell me more about the city.

(Juliana): The part I live in is called Manhattan. It's an island, just like Puerto Rico.

(Marissa): Cousin, does Manhattan have a beach for swimming?

(Juliana): Not really. I miss the beaches in Puerto Rico. I like the Central Park Lake, though. It's quite close to where I live, and you can spot many birds there.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Now answer the following questions.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Look for question number 4. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Where is Amsterdam Avenue?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

A in the island of Puerto Rico

B in the island of Manhattan

C in Mexico

D in France

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Look for question number 5. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Which word BEST describes the tone set by the author of this story?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

A enthusiastic

B persuasive

C sorrowful

D amused

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Look for question number 6. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Which question does this story answer?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

A Why did Juliana move to New York City?

B Why does Juliana like Amsterdam Avenue?

C Why is Manhattan an island, just like Puerto Rico?

D Why were there people from France on Amsterdam Avenue?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Look for question number 7. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): How is Amsterdam Avenue MOST like Puerto Rico?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

A There are many beaches like the ones in Puerto Rico.

B Many people from Puerto Rico live there.

C You can meet people from France there.

D Boys from Mexico shop there.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

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(Narrator): Look for question number 8. Now listen carefully to the question.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): What is this story MOSTLY about?

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Note: Pause 2 seconds between options.)

(Narrator):

A Two girls decide to move to New York City together.

B A girl teaches her friend everything about New York City.

C A girl shares information about her new home with a friend from her old home.

D Two girls spend an afternoon talking about places around the world they want to see.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Choose the letter of the correct answer.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator): Listen to the story, the questions, and the answer choices again.

(Pause 2 seconds.)

(Narrator, Juliana, and Marissa repeat the story, and Narrator repeats the questions and answer choices.)

(Pause 10 seconds.)

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(Narrator): This is the end of the 8th grade Listening practice test. Wait for instructions from your teacher.