

Exam practice 1

1 D 2 B 3 C 4 A 5 B 6 D 7 C 8 C

Exam practice 2

1 D 2 B 3 C 4 C 5 A 6 A 7 D 8 B

Listening practice 1

3: 1 F 2 F 3 T 4 T 5 T 6 F 7 T 8 T

4: Students' own answers

Exam practice 3

1 C 2 B 3 A 4 C 5 D 6 D 7 C 8 B

Exam practice 4

1 A 2 C 3 B 4 B 5 A 6 D 7 B 8 C

Listening practice 2

3:

1 1994-1999

2 His first teacher gave all the children English-sounding names, changing 'Madiba' to 'Nelson'.

3 There were lots of different people there – different races and different religions.

4 The total separation of white people from non-white people (blacks and Asians).

5 He was sent to prison for planning to overthrow the government.

6 There were democratic elections; Mandela and De Klerk won the Nobel Peace Prize; Mandela became president of South Africa.

7 They are still poor but they are no longer separated from white people.

8 In a huge soccer stadium in Johannesburg.

4: 1 C 2 A 3 C 4 B 5 B 6 B 7 A 8 C

5: Students' own answers

Exam practice 5

1 B 2 A 3 C 4 B 5 C 6 D 7 A 8 D

Exam practice 6

1 D 2 C 3 B 4 B 5 D 6 C 7 D 8 A

Listening practice 3

2: A

3: H 1 D 2 F 3 B 4 G 5 A 6 C 7 E 8

4: 1 F 2 C 3 A 4 D 5 B 6 E

5: Students' own answers

Exam practice 7

1 C 2 B 3 A 4 C 5 D 6 B 7 D 8 A

Exam practice 8

1 D 2 A 3 B 4 C 5 D 6 A 7 B 8 A

Listening practice 4

2: B 1 D 2 C 3 A 4 E 5

3: A 2 B 3 C 4 D 2 E 4 F 1 G 3 H 5

4:

- A Mixing together people with different personalities.
- B It becomes one of the most important factors in the success of *The Big Bang Theory*.
- C They were introduced to each other on an online dating website.
- D No, it isn't.
- E They are friends of Leonard and Sheldon and they all work together.
- F Two million.
- G They are both Texans.
- H It is so successful because it relies on great characters that the audience loves.

5: Students' own answers

Exam practice 9

1 B 2 D 3 D 4 A 5 C 6 B 7 A 8 B

Exam practice 10

1 C 2 D 3 B 4 C 5 A 6 D 7 B 8 C

Listening practice 5

2: Fiona's memories are of warm, sunny weather; Jane's memories are of constant rain. Fiona's memories are of picnics, ice cream and sandwiches; Jane's memories are of soggy, overcooked, tinned food. Fiona's memories are of exploring the beach, going swimming, being around animals and going for long walks; Jane's memories are of long, wet walks in the countryside and playing dominoes or cards in the caravan.

3:

- 1 first of all
- 2 The thing is
- 3 By the way
- 4 But surely
- 5 guess what
- 6 But let's move on to

4: A 3 B 5 C 6 D 2 E 4 F 1

5: Students' own answers

Exam practice 11

1 A 2 B 3 D 4 B 5 C 6 C 7 A 8 D

Exam practice 12

1 D 2 C 3 A 4 C 5 D 6 B 7 C 8 A

Listening practice 6

2: 1 once 2 twenty-one hours and forty-five minutes

3: 1 G 2 D 3 A 4 E 5 H 6 B 7 I 8 F 9 C

4: Students' own answers

Exam practice 13

1 A 2 C 3 C 4 B 5 A 6 D 7 A 8 C

Exam practice 14

1 C 2 D 3 A 4 B 5 C 6 C 7 B 8 A

Listening practice 7

4: 1 F 2 T 3 F 4 T 5 F 6 F 7 T 8 F

5: Students' own answers

Exam practice 15

1 A 2 D 3 A 4 C 5 B 6 B 7 D 8 A

Exam practice 16

1 B 2 C 3 B 4 A 5 C 6 A 7 D 8 B

Listening practice 8

3: 1 n 2 nu 3 p 4 nu 5 p 6 n 7 n 8 p

4:

- 1 house
- 2 50 million
- 3 the USA
- 4 100 million
- 5 Australia
- 6 plastics
- 7 gold and silver
- 8 China

5: Students' own answers