

TRANSKRYPCJA NAGRAŃ

Zadanie 1.

Man: We're talking to Sharon, a gap year student who travelled and worked for a year before going to university. Sharon, why did you choose to work in Banff, a mountain village in Canada?

Woman: Well, I've skied most of my life and Banff is a skiing paradise. When I learned about the possibility of working in a ski resort, I immediately went for it.

Man: So, I guess you got a job there as a skiing instructor.

Woman: Well, finally yes. When I arrived there, I was already an experienced skier but had no idea how to teach others. So, when I arrived, I had to take a special course for new instructors. And to earn money in the meantime, I worked in a hotel as a cleaner. It was terrible. I didn't know how to clean rooms and bathrooms to the very high standards the managers wanted. That job wasn't much fun, I can tell you!

Man: That must have been hard. And how about living a long way from home? Did you feel lonely?

Woman: No, luckily, my family visited me a couple of times, which was great. But it took me some time to feel good living on my own. I even thought of giving up, mostly because I missed my boyfriend, who was spending his gap year in Australia, and I didn't see him the whole time. We only talked on the phone. That was all.

Man: How would you sum up your gap year?

Woman: I had some very hard times, but some amazing ones, too. For example, during the weekends I travelled to different places around Canada. I even went white-water rafting and sky diving. Believe me, the memories are wonderful!

Man: Any advice for students who are thinking of taking a gap year?

Woman: I'd say, go for it. It will be the best thing you've ever done. It will be difficult at times, but don't give up. You'll have memories and make friendships that last a lifetime...

Na podstawie: www.dooyoo.co.uk

Zadanie 2.

One

Hi, I'm Daniel, from the emergency services. I work as a call-taker. It's my job to locate the caller and find out which service is needed: police, ambulance or fire and rescue. But people sometimes call the emergency number accidentally. Then they hang up when they realise their mistake. But, if you call us by mistake, please don't hang up, because if you do, we will try to call you back. And if we can't reach you, we'll send out a team to locate you. Stay on the phone and tell us that you called by mistake, so that we needn't worry about you. Then we can deal with calls from people who really need help.

Na podstawie: www.parkerpolice.org

Two

Recently, the internet has been full of comments about the Starbucks cup filmed by mistake in a scene in the *Game of Thrones*. How was it possible that nobody noticed the cup in the middle of the table when they were filming? You may think the mistake was left in the scene because the filmmaker was careless or lazy. But the fact is that by the time someone noticed the cup during the editing stage it was too late to film the scene again. It just would have cost too much.

Na podstawie: brightside.me; www.esquire.com

Three

When it comes to security, many homeowners still make very basic mistakes. I'll give you an example. A house in this neighbourhood was recently broken into soon after its owners had posted their holiday photos on Instagram. This was an open invitation to thieves. As a result, many valuable items were stolen from the house. There have been many similar cases in our city, where homeowners have posted their holiday photos, and this way let the wrong people know their house is unprotected. Please, think about it carefully before sharing your personal information on social media.

Na podstawie: edition.cnn.com

Four

It was about 11 pm when I got into the lift of my apartment block and pressed the button. When I got out, I went straight to the apartment opposite the lift. While I was looking for my key, I heard someone talking inside. Thinking it was a burglar, I called the police. I gave them the address and waited. Soon I heard someone knocking on someone's door on the floor below. I went down and met two officers in front of an apartment. Seeing the number on the door I realized it was my apartment and that I'd made a stupid mistake. I had got out of the lift on the sixth floor instead of the fifth. I was so embarrassed!

Na podstawie: www.vox.com

Five

Let me tell you about a mistake my sister once made. At the end of her first year in Sweden she had to see a doctor. She called the clinic, and the receptionist arranged the date and time of her visit. My sister carefully wrote the details down: 18th April at 9 am. On 8th April, she got a call from the clinic asking why she hadn't come to the appointment. After a while she realized what had happened. The words for *eighth* and *eighteenth* sound similar in Swedish, so she had obviously misunderstood the receptionist. It turned out that she could still have an appointment on the 18th. And now she always makes sure that she understands so that it doesn't happen again.

Na podstawie: www.betteratenglish.com

Zadanie 3.

One

Woman: I want to take up a new sport and I've been thinking of scuba diving. Is it dangerous?

Man: Well, scuba divers dive in pairs or groups. So, there's always someone who can help if you're in trouble.

Woman: And you share oxygen if you run out of your own?

Man: Exactly.

Woman: Great! That's for me! I'm a fan of doing sports together with others and I don't like the kind of sports where you need to compete. So, scuba diving looks exciting!

Man: Yes, but to be fair, scuba diving is mainly for nature lovers. You're not going to get the excitement that comes with an extreme sport like parachute jumping.

Woman: Don't worry. I hate dangerous activities.

Tekst własny

Two

Good morning, everybody! This is Martin Smith with your favourite morning programme. Did you know that today's a very special day in the calendar? It's *No Housework Day!*

It's the one day a year you can relax and forget your housekeeping jobs. No cleaning and no dusting. The dirty washing will be just fine in the basket one more day and you've got enough plates to leave the washing up for tomorrow. But you could also celebrate it a little differently. If you have elderly neighbours, how about offering them a way to celebrate *No Housework Day*. You could visit their place and do their daily jobs for them. Whatever you choose to do, do not forget to enjoy *No Housework Day*. This day happens only once a year.

Na podstawie: www.daysoftheyear.com

Three

My New Year's resolution? Well, I want to change the way I study. First, I need to take better notes. I'm going to go back to old-fashioned pen and paper notes because when I type on my tablet, I feel I don't think about the information – I just put down all the words I hear. Instead, I'll try to select what to note down and so avoid useless details. Lastly, I'm going to minimize my use of social media and texting. I can't stay focused during a lecture if I'm sending messages all the time.

Na podstawie: blog.spl.org

Four

Hello. You've reached Jim Brenton. Unfortunately, I'm unavailable this week. If you're calling to order something, please send an e-mail to easy.buys@uk.com or contact our Customer Service Department on 1-800-555-1212. The line is open from Monday to Friday from 8 am until 5 pm. If you need to talk to me about anything else, please leave a message after the tone. I'll call you back as soon as I can.

Na podstawie: operationstech.about.com

Five

Woman: Excuse me, officer. I need to report something important.

Man: What is it?

Woman: I've just seen a wild fox.

Man: How strange! It should be miles away in the woods.

Woman: Exactly! It could easily get hit by a car. But what worries me most is its strange behaviour. I'm worried it might attack students on their way home from school.

Man: Where exactly did you see the fox?

Woman: Here – near this bus stop.

Man: OK, I'll take care of it. First, I will call the vet and then I'll go to the school and warn the head teacher. Thank you for letting me know.

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