



SÈRIE 0

Listening Comprehension

1. In which of the following restaurants has Michael Smith **NOT** worked?

- a) The Three Chimneys.
- b) The Three Witches.**
- c) Loch Bay.
- d) Blue Print Café.

2. Where did Michael Smith work in a kitchen for the first time?

- a) In the capital of Scotland.
- b) On the west coast of Scotland.
- c) In a village close to the Scottish Highlands.
- d) In his hometown.**

3. Did Michael Smith work in any restaurant kitchens outside Scotland?

- a) No, although he considered moving to London.
- b) No, he always worked in the Highlands and in Glasgow.
- c) Yes, he spent four years in London.**
- d) Yes, he spent a few years at a café in France.

4. Which of the following statements is **TRUE**?

- a) Shirley Spear offered Smith the opportunity to work at The ThreeChimneys.**
- b) Smith did not want to work on Skye, because he felt it was very remote.
- c) Smith was looking for opportunities to work on Skye and contacted Shirley Spear to get advice.
- d) Smith's wife went to check Skye out, because she was unsure about the new lifestyle for her family.



5. How long did it take Smith to open his own restaurant, after his arrival at Skye?

- a) Thirteen years.
- b) Fifteen years.
- c) Eleven years.**
- d) Sixteen years.

6. Did he open his new restaurant on Skye?

- a) Yes, because he was happy with his life on the isle.**
- b) Yes, but only because his kids asked him to do so.
- c) No, because his wife and children wanted to discover new places.
- d) Yes, because it had always been his dream to open a restaurant on Skye.

7. What does Dolores think about Smith's restaurant?

- a) She thinks it is a pity that they serve simple food, such as chips.
- b) She would prefer it to combine local products with international food.
- c) She thinks the presentation of dishes could be improved.
- d) She thinks it is appreciated by local people.**

8. Which of the following best summarises Smith's view of his job?

- a) He prefers to get help in the kitchen to be able to enjoy the atmosphere of the restaurant.
- b) He likes to do the cooking and sees a Michelin star as the result of combining good products and a lively atmosphere.**
- c) Sometimes he gets annoyed by the other people working and eating at the restaurant.
- d) He says being a chef is a rewarding profession since the job can be recognised with prizes such as a Michelin star.



Reading Comprehension

- 1. Explain ONE fact that led evolutionary anthropologists to conclude that our Stone Age ancestors gave children better childcare than we do today. DO NOT COPY FRAGMENTS FROM THE TEXT.**

Children in the Mbendjele BaYaka community are given nine hours of attention a day by fifteen different people.

OR

When children cry, they are taken care of by a mother's relative or friend, which gives mothers more free time to relax.

- 2. How did the researchers of the study collect data on the childcare practices of the Mbendjele BaYaka?**

The researchers of the study spent four months with the Mbendjele BaYaka community and observed the children for 12 hours a day, recording every time they were taken care of and by whom.

- 3. Why might older children and teens in the Mbendjele BaYaka community feel less anxious about parenting, according to the text?**

Older children and teens in the Mbendjele BaYaka community might feel less anxious about parenting because they are often involved in caregiving, and this gives them experience and makes them feel more self-confident about parenting.

- 4. In what sense do parenting manuals contribute to high-quality child support being limited in Western countries?**

Parenting manuals in Western countries often suggest children should spend extended periods of time playing on their own, which makes society perceive child support as not so necessary.



5. Rewrite the following sentence from the text in your own words:

"The study also notes that Stone Age societies may have better prioritized giving mothers a rest."

You may keep grammatical words (i.e. may, have, a, the, to, etc.) and the following words/phrases in your sentence: Stone Age, mothers.

In addition, the investigation claims that people in the Stone Age may have paid more attention to the mothers' need to relax.

NB. This is just one of the many rewriting possibilities.

6. Find a sentence in the text that means what has been paraphrased below:

"these results indicate that the way parents behave in present-day societies might bein disagreement with/might not be suited to children's age requirements"

these findings suggest that modern parenting methods may be at odds with children's evolutionary programmed needs.