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Test-Taking Skills Booster**Unit 9****SECTION 1: Reading Part A**

Read the statement. Put a checkmark ☒ next to the best reply (A, B, or C), as in the example.

Example: Good morning!

- A ☒ Good morning!
B ☐ Good afternoon!
C ☐ Good evening!

1. How's the weather there
in Orlando?

- A ☐ I'm calling from Orlando.
B ☐ I'm not wearing a scarf.
C ☐ It's cloudy and cold.

2. What are you doing tomorrow?

- A ☐ Nothing. Do you want to get
together?
B ☐ We're cleaning the garage tonight.
C ☐ I'm washing the dishes right now.

3. It's snowing here in Munich!

- A ☐ Where are you going?
B ☐ It really is hot.
C ☐ No kidding! It's warm in Paris.

4. Where are you?

- A ☐ I'm walking to work tomorrow.
B ☐ I'm calling from the train station.
C ☐ Call me tonight.

5. The weather is awful!

- A ☐ Can I call you back?
B ☐ It really is!
C ☐ I'm not doing anything special.

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SECTION 2: Reading Part B

Read the conversation below. Put a checkmark ☒ next to the answer (A, B, or C) that best fits each gap. There is an example at the beginning (E).

- Mark:** Hello?
- Lisa:** (E) ____, Mark. This is Lisa (6) ____ are you doing?
- Mark:** Not much. I'm (7) ____ TV.
- Lisa:** Should I call you back?
- Mark:** No, that's OK. Are you doing anything (8) ____ this weekend?
- Lisa:** Actually, I'm (9) ____ to Toronto to visit my sister.
- Mark:** No (10) ____? It's really cold there (11) ____ November.
- Lisa:** I know. I'm taking a lot of warm (12) ____!
- Mark:** Well, have fun!
- Lisa:** Thanks. Do you want to get (13) ____ next week?
- Mark:** Sure. Call me.
- Lisa:** OK. (14) ____ to you later.
- Mark:** Bye.

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| Example: | A ☒ Hey | B ☐ Now | C ☐ And |
| 6. | A ☐ Why | B ☐ How | C ☐ What |
| 7. | A ☐ seeing | B ☐ going | C ☐ watching |
| 8. | A ☐ special | B ☐ right | C ☐ awful |
| 9. | A ☐ going | B ☐ leaving | C ☐ taking |
| 10. | A ☐ really | B ☐ kidding | C ☐ easy |
| 11. | A ☐ at | B ☐ with | C ☐ in |
| 12. | A ☐ weather | B ☐ clothes | C ☐ drives |
| 13. | A ☐ together | B ☐ sunny | C ☐ busy |
| 14. | A ☐ See | B ☐ Talk | C ☐ Think |

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SECTION 3: Listening Part A

Look at the pictures. You will hear four recordings. Put a checkmark ☒ next to the recording (A, B, C, or D) that best fits each picture, as in the example.

Example:

- A ☐
 B ☒
 C ☐
 D ☐

15.

- A ☐
 B ☐
 C ☐
 D ☐

16.

- A ☐
 B ☐
 C ☐
 D ☐

17.

- A ☐
 B ☐
 C ☐
 D ☐

18.

- A ☐
 B ☐
 C ☐
 D ☐

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SECTION 4: Listening Part B

You will hear a recording and three replies. Put a checkmark ☒ next to the reply (A, B, or C) that best fits each recording, as in the example.

Example: How are you?A ☐B ☒C ☐

19. What awful weather!

A ☐B ☐C ☐

20. Is it cold there?

A ☐B ☐C ☐

21. Are you doing anything special tonight?

A ☐B ☐C ☐

22. Long time no see!

A ☐B ☐C ☐

23. I'm driving right now. Can I call you back?

A ☐B ☐C ☐

24. Where is he going?

A ☐B ☐C ☐

25. Hello?

A ☐B ☐C ☐

26. Are they working in the office today?

A ☐B ☐C ☐