

**ActiveBook Listening Comprehension Audioscript****Unit 10****A. True / false****Australia**

Australians are pretty relaxed about tips—people do not usually expect them. Many people will be quite surprised if you give them a tip. Customers do leave a 10 to 15% tip in nicer restaurants, but don't tip taxi drivers. Instead, you can just say "Keep the change," and round off the fare.

**France**

A service charge is almost always included on the bill in restaurants and cafés. If you are satisfied with the service, leave an additional small tip for the server. Tip porters about 1 euro for each piece of luggage, and leave the maid who cleans your hotel room about 1 euro per day. Taxi drivers expect 10 to 15% of the fare. And don't forget to tip your tour guide.

**U.S. and Canada**

Tip waiters and taxi drivers anywhere from 15 to 20% of the total bill—depending on how satisfied you are with the service. A service charge is sometimes added to a restaurant bill if there are six or more people at the table, so you don't have to leave an additional tip. At airports and hotels, porters expect about \$1 per bag. In some fast-food restaurants and coffee bars, there is a cup for small tips near the cashier.

**B. Fill in****Conversation One** [A = Korean; B = Japanese]

**A:** Can I help you, ma'am?

**B:** I'm looking for a small camcorder.

**A:** Well, we have several brands. This one is the smallest.

**B:** It's nice, but it's more than I want to spend.

**Conversation Two**

**A:** Can I help you, sir?

**B:** Yes. How much do you want for that necklace?

**A:** Which one? This one?

**B:** That's right.

**A:** Oh, that's a nice one. Is it for your wife?

**B:** Yes.

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**Conversation Three** [A = Arabic]

**A:** What about this one, ma'am?

**B:** No, that one's too big.

**A:** How about this one?

**B:** No, that one's not pretty enough. Are these the only paintings you have?

**A:** No. We have more in the back.

**Conversation Four**

**A:** How much can you spend?

**B:** No more than three hundred.

**A:** Well, this is a very nice digital camera in your price range.

**B:** Great. Let me have a look.