

TRANSKRYPCJA NAGRAŃ

Zadanie 1.

One

Take a ride in one of our specially constructed vehicles and enjoy a unique London sightseeing experience. During the trip, which lasts about 75 minutes, you will be able to see the city's most famous monuments and buildings. The fun part is that about halfway through, your vehicle will actually drive into the Thames and then sail on the river. You will see London from a completely different perspective! So, trust us, this is a much better option than touring the city on a double-decker bus. Make your booking now!

Na podstawie: www.travel.earth

Two

We all like listening to stories about unusual journeys, don't we? Well, Jean-Jacques Savin, a 72-year-old Frenchman, has recently arrived in London after successfully crossing the Atlantic Ocean in a three-metre long capsule he designed himself. The voyage took him more than four months. The capsule has a bed, a kitchen and a small window at the bottom! Jean-Jacques survived on tinned food and fresh fish. I'm sure you can't wait to hear from the adventurer himself! Welcome to the studio, Jean-Jacques!

Na podstawie: www.bbc.com

Three

Many first-time visitors to Havana wonder how best to get around Cuba's extraordinary capital. You can choose between the buses and two types of taxis. The black taxis are most suitable for journeys to destinations outside Havana. The yellow coconut-shaped ones are best for short trips within the city itself. But, if you're travelling on a budget, the efficient and inexpensive bus system is best.

Na podstawie: www.travel.earth

Four

Hello Mr Brown, this is Jenna Green. I'm really sorry, but I need to be at work early tomorrow, so I won't be able to give you a lift to the airport. Maybe you can take the Heathrow Express train from Paddington station? It's really fast. The trains run every 15 minutes, and you'll get to the airport sooner by train than if we went by car. You won't find a quicker means of transport. Don't worry, you'll make it in time for your flight.

Tekst własny

Five

Ladies and gentlemen, when we reach the height of 33,000 feet, the crew will come round to offer you dinner and drinks. The in-flight film will begin shortly after that. The weather conditions are good, we are expecting to land at London's Heathrow Airport half an hour ahead of schedule, at 6:30 a.m. local time. The weather in London should be sunny and warm all day, so that's something to look forward to.

Na podstawie: www.englishclub.com

Zadanie 2.

One

Hello everyone! You'll never guess what happened to one of our colleagues. When Nicolas Krumm was reporting on live TV from Santiago about the rising crime rates in the city a parrot suddenly landed on his shoulder. The shocked reporter continued talking while the camera crew filmed the unexpected visitor. Before anyone could react, the bird flew away with one of Krumm's earpieces. Fortunately, the reporter was able to get it back after the bird dropped it. The video of the parrot stealing the reporter's earpiece during a live broadcast about crime has become very popular online.

Na podstawie: www.dogonews.com

Two

Can you imagine looking at the school timetable and discovering that you have four hours of maths on Friday? You may think it's boring, but having a day of classes in only one subject is something that students at Lesterton High School in the UK look forward to. While the school's timetable looks quite typical for the first four days in a week, its 'Flexible Friday', which starts at 9:30 a.m. and finishes at 1:30 p.m., allows students to concentrate on a single subject. By not having to switch between one subject and another, pupils can understand a subject more deeply, and have more time for laboratory work in subjects such as biology and physics. This isn't the only unusual feature of the school's teaching practices. For example, when Business Studies is on a Friday, pupils are taken to visit local businesses. Thanks to the school's innovative methods, the percentage of its pupils who pass their school-leaving exams has jumped from under 50% to over 90%. That really shows what can be achieved by doing things differently!

Na podstawie: www.oxford-royale.com

Three

Woman: Good afternoon, everybody! Once again we're in Denver, Colorado, where – just like every winter – the state's famous snow-sculpting competition is taking place. With me is Jeff Shawan, the winner of this year's competition! Hello, Jeff.

Man: Hello, everybody!

Woman: Jeff, tell us a bit about the competition and the sculpture itself.

Man: Well, the main rule is that you can't use any electric tools. You're simply given a huge block of snow, and you have to make something out of it. My team and I made a sculpture of two hands – a human hand and a robot hand divided by a wall.

Woman: Creating the sculpture was definitely a challenge!

Man: Well, yes and no. Our team has been sculpting together for over 20 years, so everybody knew exactly what they were supposed to do, even though we only had 94 hours to complete the sculpture. The hardest thing was the sun. When it was high in the sky, shining brightly, the snow warmed up, so we had to be really careful while shaping it. And when the sun was behind the clouds, the snow immediately got colder making it harder to shape.

Woman: Is this the first time you've won the competition in Denver?

Man: Yes. We've taken part in the competition seven times, but this is our first win. Next week there's another competition in Minnesota, and we're definitely going to take part in that. But first, it's time to celebrate. We're going to a fancy hotel for a celebration dinner.

Woman: Thank you for finding the time to talk to us, Jeff. And, once again, congratulations on winning the competition!

Na podstawie: www.fox6now.com

Zadanie 3.

Man: Hi Sara, can you tell us something about yourself and what inspired you to work with sea turtles?

Woman: I'm 18 now. But when I was just seven years old my uncle asked me to join him in helping sea turtles on the coast of Costa Rica. At that time, there were only the two of us, but now I work with a whole team of volunteers.

Man: Can you explain to our listeners what you do exactly?

Woman: Sure. In the season when turtles lay eggs we go to the beach every evening when it's just getting dark, collect the eggs and take them to a protected area. It's important not to do this in the middle of the day because then there are too many people around, and they could frighten the turtles.

Man: What exactly do you mean by a protected area?

Woman: It's a place on the beach where the eggs are safe until the little turtles are born. We surround the area with a fence to stop dogs and other animals from eating the eggs.

Man: And what happens once the baby turtles are born?

Woman: We take them back to the open beach so that they can make their way into the ocean.

Man: Do you do this all year round?

Woman: No. Sea turtles lay eggs from March to September. But that doesn't mean we have nothing to do in winter. That's when we educate local people about the role that sea turtles play in our planet's ecosystem, and how everyone can get involved in our work and similar projects.

Man: Thank you, Sara.

Na podstawie: www.wbur.org