

**Tapescript**

Narrator: **Part 2 / 3**

*Paul's cousin, Jane, is visiting Paul's family.*

**Part 2A / 3A**

You now have 40 seconds to study the questions below. *(40-second music)*

Now, listen to the conversation between Jane and Paul's father, Uncle Bill. When you hear a beep *(beep)*, answer the question. The conversation will be played two times. The conversation will begin now.

{ Uncle Bill: What do you like doing in your spare time, Jane?

① [ Jane: I love reading. I have more than 400 books at home. My dad has even more books than I do. He has more than 500.

Uncle Bill: Wow, Jane, your home must be like a library! ] ①

Jane: Luckily, our home is not small. We have three big bookshelves in the study room. Dad has put a sofa in the room too. We like to sit on the sofa while reading books. Let me tell you a piece of good news. Dad has promised to buy me a book about China if I can finish reading all my books at home.

Uncle Bill: I'm sure you will get the book very soon.

Narrator: Question 1: How many books does Jane have? // *(beep) (5-second pause)*

Question 2: Which room is Jane's study room? // *(beep) (5-second pause)*

Question 3: Which book will Jane get if she finishes reading all her books at home? // *(beep) (5-second pause)*

Uncle Bill: What are you reading this week?

Jane: I'm reading a science fiction story. It's about a woman called Kelly. She is an astronaut who goes to the moon and meets aliens. They become good friends later on. It's actually a story about friendship.

Uncle Bill: I seldom read books. Maybe, if I started reading books, my son, Paul, would learn to love reading too.

Jane: You're right. Like Dad and I read together every night after we have finished our work.

Narrator: Question 4: Which book is Jane reading this week? // *(beep) (5-second pause)*

Question 5: Why does Uncle Bill want to start reading books? // *(beep) (5-second pause)*

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- ② Jane: What does Paul like to do in his spare time?
- Uncle Bill: (*sad*) Mm... What should I say? He loves computer games so much that he says he even plays them in his dreams. ]②
- ③ Jane: Uncle Bill, Paul is still small. When I was small, I used to spend a lot of time playing computer games too. But when I was in Primary 5, I started to work hard and read a lot of books. I think Paul will be more hardworking when he grows older.
- Uncle Bill: I hope so. ]③}
- Narrator: Question 6: According to Uncle Bill, Paul plays computer games in his dreams because he \_\_\_\_\_. // (*beep*) (5-second pause)
- Question 7: What did Jane like to do before Primary 5? // (*beep*) (5-second pause)
- Narrator: Listen to the conversation again and check your answers. The conversation will begin now.
- Repeat { } the whole conversation without the questions.**
- This is the end of Part 2A / 3A.
- Narrator: **Part 2B / 3B**
- You now have 10 seconds to study the questions below. (*10-second music*)
- Listen to parts of the conversation again. When you hear a beep (*beep*), answer the question. Each part will be played **once** only. The conversation will begin now.
- Repeat ①[ ]①**
- Narrator: Question 1: What does Uncle Bill mean? // (*beep*) (5-second pause)
- Repeat ②[ ]②**
- Narrator: Question 2: How does Uncle Bill feel? // (*beep*) (5-second pause)
- Repeat ③[ ]③**
- Narrator: Question 3: Why does Jane tell Uncle Bill about her own experience? // (*beep*) (5-second pause)
- You now have 10 seconds to check your answers. (*10-second pause*)
- This is the end of Part 2 / the Listening Test.

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