

Territory-wide System Assessment 2008
Secondary 3 English Language

Tapescript - Part 2 (9EL1 / 9EL3)

- Narrator** **You are listening to a radio programme on a Hong Kong radio station. Listen to the radio programme and complete the information sheet below. Also use the programme information provided to complete your answers.**
The tape will be played two times. Answer as many questions as you can the first time. Complete all answers the second time. The programme will begin now.
- [Betty Good evening, everyone. I'm your host Betty Wong. Welcome to our weekly programme. My guest today is Martin Jones from Australia. Welcome Martin.
- Martin Thanks Betty. It's a pleasure to be here. It's my first visit to Hong Kong.
- Betty Good. I hope you are enjoying yourself. You're here tonight, Martin, to talk about KOTO. First, can you explain the meaning of KOTO? I don't think any of our listeners know what it is.
- Martin Right, Betty. It is a strange word, or not really a word. The letters K-O-T-O stand for 'Know One, Teach One'.
- Betty Hmm. That's interesting. Tell us more.
- Martin KOTO trains young people in Third World countries to become cooks.
- Betty Third World? What's that, Martin?
- Martin It means these countries are not so well developed in modern ways. The people are usually quite poor and many do not have jobs.
- Betty Like Vietnam?
- Martin Yes. It is difficult for many young people to find jobs there. Often they just hang around the streets and get into trouble.
- Betty And where do you and KOTO come in, Martin?
- Martin Well, I was in Vietnam on holiday and saw that many young people had no jobs. As a chef I worked in major hotels in Australia. So I thought I could help and teach some of these young street people how to cook. Then they could find a job easily.
- Betty Interesting. What did you do next?
- Martin Well, after my holiday I went home to Australia and raised money from my friends. Returning to Vietnam, I asked a Vietnamese friend to help. Together we opened a sandwich shop and hired only young street people as the staff.
- Betty Did it work?
- Martin Yes, they were very eager to work and learn. After two years we were able to open a training centre. We called it 'KOTO'.
- Betty And KOTO stands for 'Know One, Teach One'?
- Martin Yes. Past students who have good jobs as chefs and cooks in hotels and restaurants come back to our training centre to teach other young people how to cook. Those past students are the best teachers here at KOTO!

Betty That's really very good, Martin. I'm afraid our time is up now. Thank you so much for joining the programme tonight. We'll be right back with Angel Lee after this short break.]

Narrator Listen to the programme again.

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