

Tapescript

Narrator: **Part 1**

Michael is doing a project on video games. He is interviewing a girl. Fill in the form for him.

Part 1A

You now have 20 seconds to study the form below. (20-second music)

Listen to the conversation between Michael and the girl. When you hear a beep (*beep*), answer the questions. The conversation will be played once only. The conversation will begin now.

Michael: ①[Hi, my name's Michael Chan. I'm doing a project on students who play video games.]① ②[Can you answer some questions for me?

Girl: (*happy*) Sure. No problem.] ②

Michael: Thank you. May I know your name please?

Girl: My name's Judy.

Michael: Oh, Judy. Where do you live?

Girl: I live in Sai Ying Pun.

Michael: How old are you?

Girl: I'm 14. (*beep*)(16-second pause)

Michael: Do you play video games?

Girl: Yes, I love playing video games.

Michael: How much time do you spend playing video games and when do you usually play them?

Girl: Each week, I play for about two hours. When do I usually play? Umm... around 9 pm after I've finished my homework. (*beep*)(16-second pause)

Michael: Okay. Which game machine do you use?

Girl: I got a PS2 for my birthday, so I use it to play most of my video games. (*beep*)(8-second pause)

- Michael: I've got one too. It's a lot of fun. How much money do you spend on games?
- Girl: Umm...about \$350 a year. *(beep)(8-second pause)*
- Michael: What kinds of video games do you like?
- Girl: I like racing car games. Sometimes I play with my brother and we race each other. I always win. *(beep)(8-second pause)*
- Michael: ③[Which are your three favourite games?
- Girl: Ah, ...my favourite games are Fast Wheels, Robert the Champion and Green Light.]③
- Michael: Do you think playing video games is a good hobby?
- Girl: I think they're fun but my parents don't like video games. They say they're a waste of time. Parents could allow their children to play games for a short time, maybe less than an hour a day. *(beep)(8-second pause)*
- Michael: Yes, that's a good idea. That's all, Judy. Thanks so much for your help.
- Narrator: This is the end of Part 1A.

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Narrator:

Part 1B

You now have 10 seconds to study the questions below. (*10-second music*)
You will hear parts of the conversation between Michael and the girl again.
When you hear a beep (*beep*), answer the question. The conversation will be played **once** only. The conversation will begin now.

Repeat ① [] ①

Question 1: The survey is to find out _____. (*beep*)(*8-second pause*)

Repeat ② [] ②

Question 2: When the girl says, “Sure. No problem.”, what does she mean? (*beep*)(*8-second pause*)

Repeat ③ [] ③

Question 3: Which of the following are the girl’s favourite games?
(*beep*)(*8-second pause*)

This is the end of Part 1B.

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