


Test 2 Exam practice

Listening • Part 3

 35 You will hear five teenagers talking about helping to organise a surprise birthday party for a family member. For questions 19–23, choose from the list (A–H) the advice each speaker gives to ensure the party will be enjoyable for the family member. Use the letters only once. There are three extra letters which you do not need to use.

Tip! Be careful not to choose your answer too quickly. You may hear something in the recording that sounds like one of the options, but you should listen to the end of each speaker's turn to be sure that your answer is correct.

A Invite people they get on well with.

B Find an interesting party venue.

Speaker 1 19

C Make sure they will appreciate the idea of having a surprise.

Speaker 2 20

D Be sure you can keep all the party details secret.

Speaker 3 21

E Don't leave the planning to the last minute.

Speaker 4 22

F Check they are free to attend the party.

Speaker 5 23

G Organise party activities that they will enjoy.

H Don't mention their birthday at all.

Advice

19 The speaker mentions being *less than honest* about the party arrangements, and having to *hide your party things*. Which option do these things suggest? Listen carefully to the recording to confirm your answer.

21 The speaker talks about what happened with their brother's party. What *other arrangements* had the brother made for the day of the party?