

LASER B1+, U4, Key to the exercises.

33/2:

1 F	3 F	5 F
2 F	4 T	6 T

33/3:

- 1 and 2 B / E (in any order)
- 3 C
- 4 and 5 A / D (in any order)
- 6 C
- 7 and 8 A / C (in any order)
- 9 and 10 A / D (in any order)

33/4:

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| 1 salary | 5 applicant |
| 2 application form | 6 voluntary work |
| 3 expenses | 7 staff |
| 4 in writing | |

34/1:

- 1 T, T
- 2 T, F (It's possible that the action was completed before the main time in the past, but we can't say for sure, and the context makes it unlikely.)

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| 1 had been working | 4 had finished |
| 2 had called | 5 decided |
| 3 had worked | |

34/3:

- 2 Because he had never worked from home, my brother didn't know what to expect.
 - 3 Somebody else got the job before I had had a chance to send in my application form.
 - 4 Dad had been driving all day so he was really tired when he got home from work.
- Sentence 1 is correct.

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| 1 had worked | 4 had been having |
| 2 had already written | 5 had worked |
| 3 had been waiting | 6 had been trying |

U4/2

35/1:

1 labourer	6 miner
2 architect	7 plumber
3 accountant	8 civil engineer
4 journalist	9 electrician
5 civil servant	10 sales rep

35/2:

1 work	3 more	5 stop
2 lose	4 better	

35/3:

1 activity	6 employment
2 enjoyment	7 attraction
3 kindness	8 payment
4 majority	9 promotion
5 politeness	10 laziness

35/4:

1 activities	6 laziness
2 employment	7 kindness
3 majority	8 promotion
4 politeness	9 attractions
5 enjoyment	10 payment

36/1:

- 1 17: '... over the 17 years I've been doing the job it hasn't changed much.'
- 2 50: 'My area includes around 50 schools and I visit each one about once a year.'

- 3 5,000: 'My area is similar, with around 5,000 pupils aged 17 to 18.'
- 4 10: '... we can only speak to each person for about 10 minutes ...'

36/2:

- 1 B '... over the 17 years I've been doing the job it hasn't changed much.'
- 2 A '... we do get a lot of people who want to follow a career as a doctor or a lawyer. Unfortunately, only about 10% of them will actually make it.'

- 3 B 'I really wasn't certain what advice would be best, so in the end I suggested he join the air force.'
- 4 A 'Try to have a clear idea of what you want, but be prepared to change.'
- 5 C 'You can't really want to do a job unless you know something about it first.'

36/Sounbite:

listen, plumber, lamb, climber, comb, tomb,
pneumonia, knight

36/1 Speaking:

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| 1 I'm not sure / I'm not certain |
| 2 but I suppose / but I imagine |
| 3 might / could |

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| 1 easier | 3 the most confident |
| 2 more challenging | 4 better |

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| 1 This is <u>the least interesting</u> book about b actor I have ever read. |
| 2 The job <u>wasn't as difficult as</u> I had expect |
| 3 Kim finished her work <u>more quickly than</u> everyone else in the office. |
| 4 I am <u>less satisfied than</u> I was in my old job |

37/3:

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| 1 LABOURER | 6 PRETTIEST |
| 2 EMPLOYMENT | 7 ACTIVITIES |
| 3 MAJORITY | 8 ATTRACTIONS |
| 4 BETTER | 9 EXPENSES |
| 5 EASIER | 10 ENJOYMENT |

38/2:

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| 1 T | 4 T: A short heading should tell the reader exactly what the paragraph is about. |
| 2 F: It is usually a good idea to give your opinion or make a suggestion in the last paragraph. | 5 T |
| 3 F: Reports are formal pieces of writing. | 6 F |

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| 1 C | 2 B | 3 D | 4 A |
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39/4:

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| 1 learn about | 4 meetings |
| 2 accountant | 5 financial problems |
| 3 the office / Rachel's office | 6 vet |

39/Look back:

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| 1 an application form | 4 careers officer |
| 2 the government | 5 climber |
| 3 laziness | |