

GETTING THE JOB

LISTENING. 1.5 points (0.15 each).

Questions

You're going to hear an interview about the job market. Listen and answer the questions.

1. The topic of the programme is ...
 - a. difficult jobs.
 - b. finding work.
 - c. unusual companies.
2. Betsy Stiles is ...
 - a. a talk show host.
 - b. someone who is looking for a job.
 - c. someone who interviews people.
3. Ray decided to put his picture on a bus after he had seen ...
 - a. someone else's picture on a bus.
 - b. a CV* at a bus stop.
 - c. a job advert.
4. Ray paid to have an advert of himself made because ...
 - a. he had lost his confidence.
 - b. he was desperate to find a job.
 - c. it wasn't too expensive.
5. At one workplace, Ray ...
 - a. brought food for everyone.
 - b. attached concert tickets to his CV.
 - c. jumped on the manager's desk.
6. One person got a job by ...
 - a. giving the manager a CV on CD.
 - b. decorating the office with balloons.
 - c. attaching a large picture of herself to the CV.
7. Betsy works in ...
 - a. advertising.
 - b. marketing.
 - c. TV production.
8. Betsy says that a creative job tactic ...
 - a. always influences the employer.
 - b. isn't enough without the right job skills.
 - c. helps in conservative job fields.
9. According to Betsy, employers are under pressure to ...
 - a. invest money in suitable businesses.
 - b. hire more people.
 - c. select a suitable job candidate.
10. If a personnel manager often hires the wrong person, he / she might ...
 - a. lose money.
 - b. read more CVs.
 - c. lose his / her job.

* CV: Curriculum Vitae.