

Task 2.11 You are considering taking a part-time job at a café and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) café opening hours
- 2) possibility of working part-time
- 3) pay rate
- 4) fixed hours or a shifting schedule
- 5) social package for part-time employees

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.12 You are considering taking a flight and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) possibility of your flight delay
- 2) time of departure
- 3) the beginning of registration and boarding
- 4) vegetarian menu on board
- 5) the cost of overweight baggage

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.

✈ Departures				
Time	To	Flight no.	Gate	Remarks
09:35	NEW YORK	DF2753	A1	ON TIME
09:40	FRANKFURT	LN3211	C3	ON TIME
09:45	TORONTO	GT4638	A2	ON TIME
09:45	LONDON	KV3323	B4	DELAYED
09:50	MIAMI	LX3100	A2	DELAYED
09:55	SYDNEY	LV2317	A5	ON TIME
10:00	PARIS	BD9032	B1	ON TIME
10:00	OSLO	FB5610	C4	ON TIME
10:05	HONG KONG	EN4267	A4	DELAYED
10:10	BARCELONA	GC5433	C1	ON TIME
10:15	TOKYO	LY4488	B2	ON TIME
10:20	MOSCOW	KF3280	B4	CANCELLED
10:25	ZURICH	TK7252	A4	ON TIME
10:30	LOS ANGELES	TK3946	A1	ON TIME
10:35	ROME	RZ1408	B3	DELAYED
10:40	HONOLULU	EK4319	A1	ON TIME

Task 2.13 You are considering buying a multicooker and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the functions of the multicooker
- 2) the steps of cooking with the multicooker
- 3) the time of cooking with the multicooker
- 4) possible dishes with the multicooker
- 5) the advantages of cooking with the multicooker

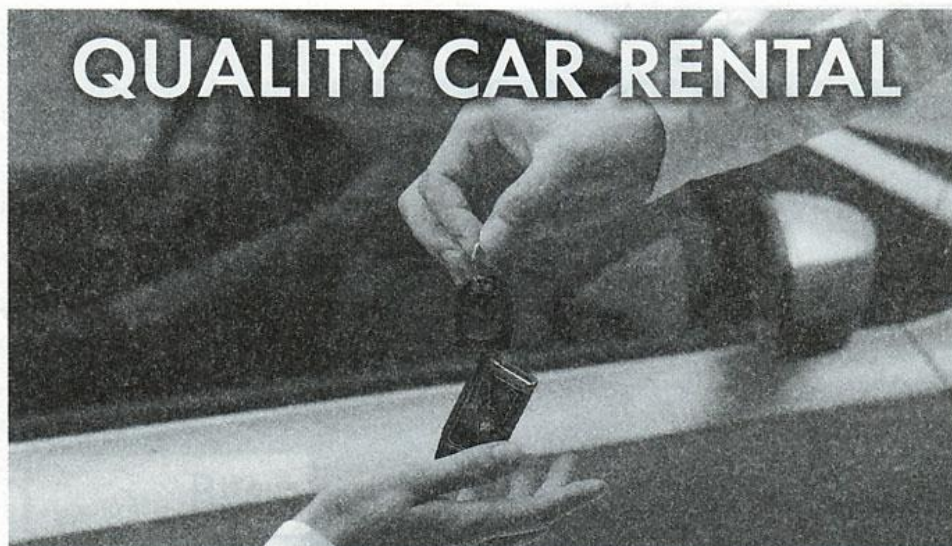
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.14 You are considering renting a car with your family and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the make of the car for rent
- 2) the price of renting
- 3) the insurance payment
- 4) the terms of rent
- 5) the maximum duration of rent

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.15 You are considering going on a hiking tour and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the timing of the tour
- 2) the price of the tour
- 3) the need for health insurance
- 4) the duration of the tour
- 5) sleeping and eating conditions for tourists

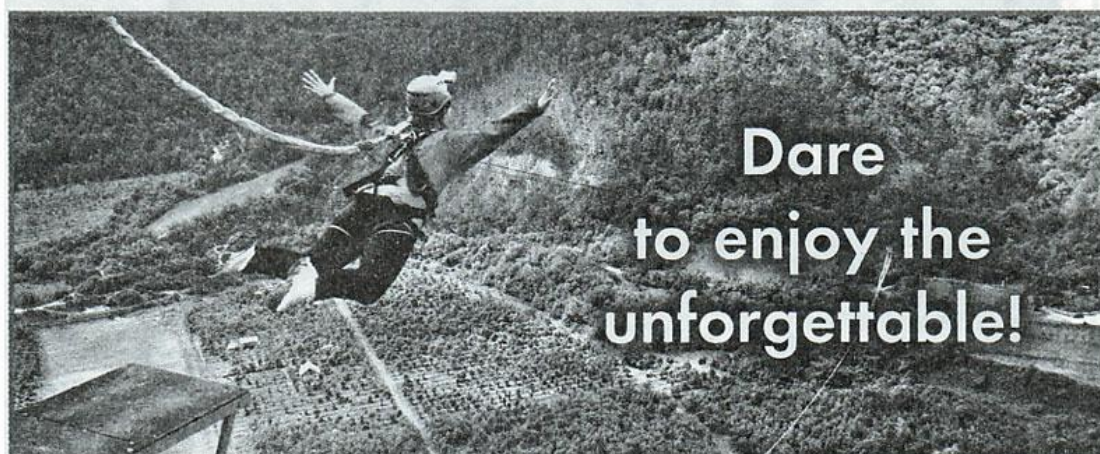
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.16 You are considering taking a bungee jump and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the risks of bungee jumping
- 2) the price of the jump
- 3) safety guarantees
- 4) the opening hours of the attraction
- 5) the inventor of bungee jumping

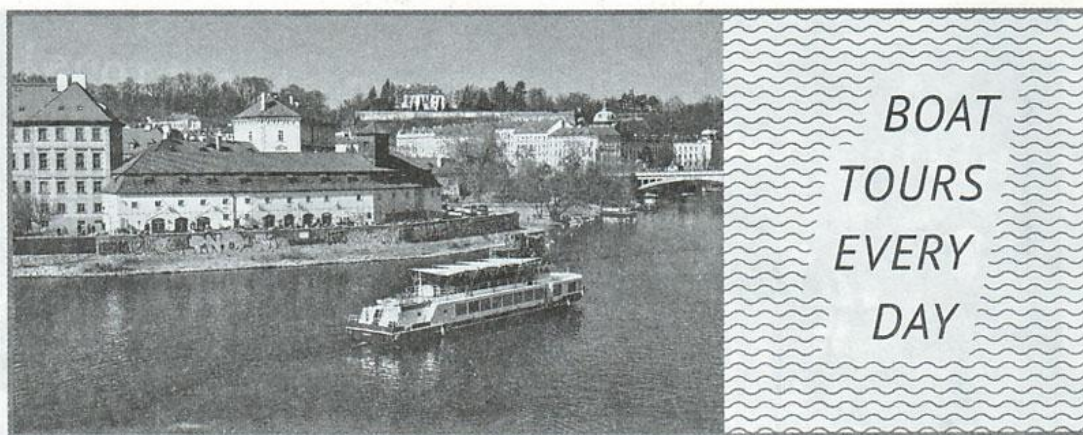
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.17 You are considering taking a boat tour along a canal in the city and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the duration of the tour
- 2) the price
- 3) the sights on the way
- 4) the guide on board
- 5) the interpreter

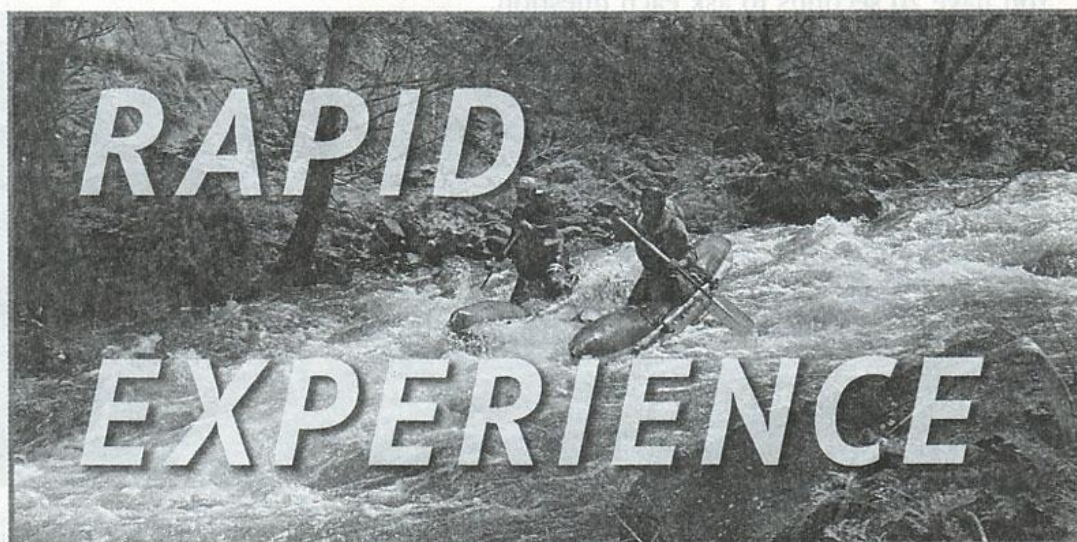
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.18 You are considering taking a risky boat trip down the river in the mountains and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the risks of the trip
- 2) the price of the trip for a company of three
- 3) the best season for the trip
- 4) the instructor available
- 5) the safety measures during the trip

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.19 You are considering buying a new wrist watch and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the manufacturer of the watch
- 2) the price of the watch
- 3) the terms of the guarantee
- 4) the functions of the watch
- 5) water-and-shock resistance

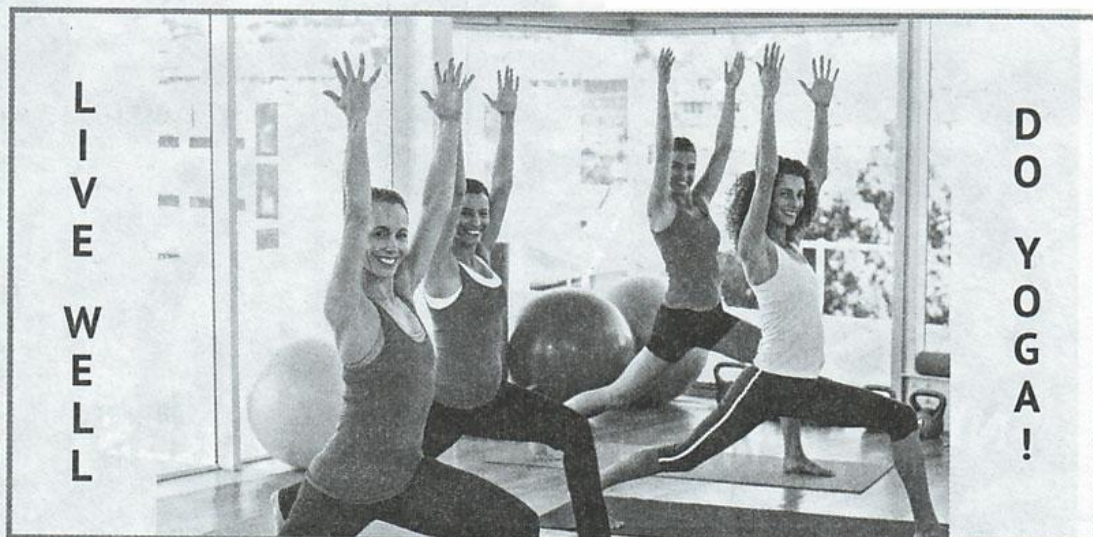
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.20 You are considering attending a yoga fitness group and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the time of the training sessions
- 2) the price per session
- 3) the instructor' country of origin
- 4) possible side effects of yoga exercises
- 5) the duration of the sessions

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.21 You are considering buying a barbecue grill and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the brand recommended
- 2) the price of the barbecue grill
- 3) the weight of the barbecue grill
- 4) the recipes for the best barbecue
- 5) the cooking time

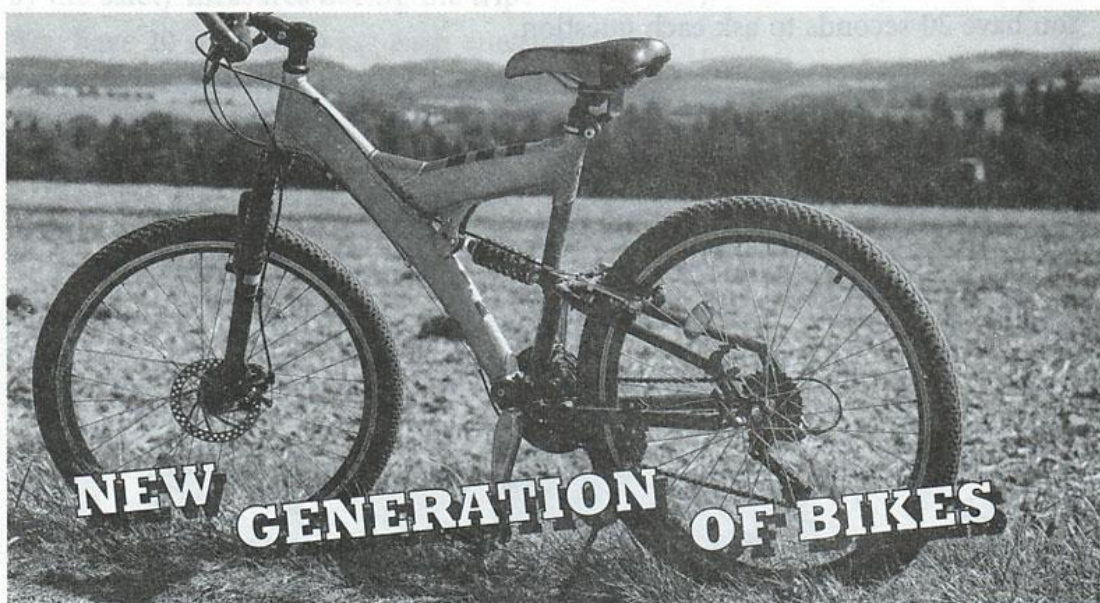
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.22 You are considering buying a bicycle and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the manufacturer
- 2) the price
- 3) the weight
- 4) the size
- 5) the user instruction manual

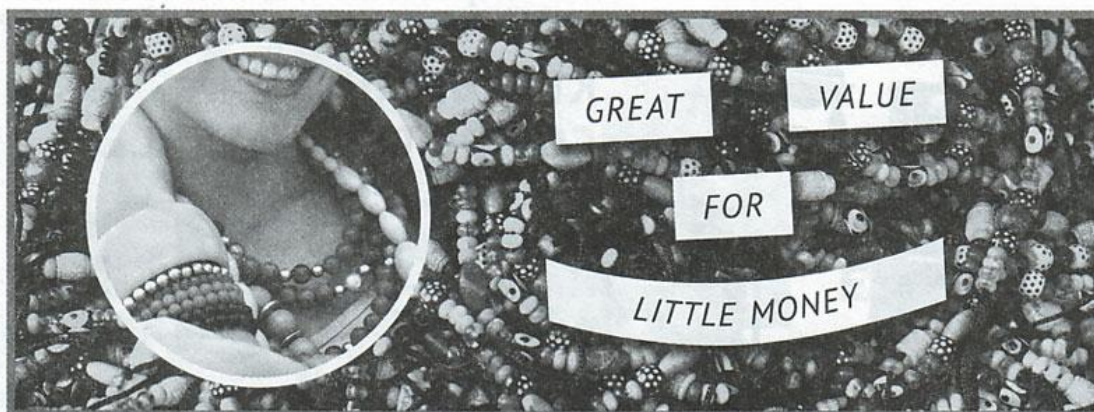
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.23 You are considering buying some inexpensive jewelry as a present and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the manufacturer of the jewelry
- 2) the price
- 3) the metal
- 4) the size
- 5) the suitable age to wear

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.24 You are considering buying a camping tent and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the cloth of which the tent is made
- 2) the capacity of the tent
- 3) the time for putting the tent up
- 4) the size of the tent
- 5) the wear and tear period

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.25 You are considering buying a computer desk and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the manufacturer of the desk
- 2) the purpose of the shelves and compartments
- 3) the matching chair availability
- 4) the size of the desk (width and height)
- 5) the material of which the desk is made

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.26 You are considering buying a travel bag and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the material of which the bag is made
- 2) the compartments in the bag
- 3) the wheels reliability
- 4) the telescopic handle safety
- 5) the cabin size correspondence

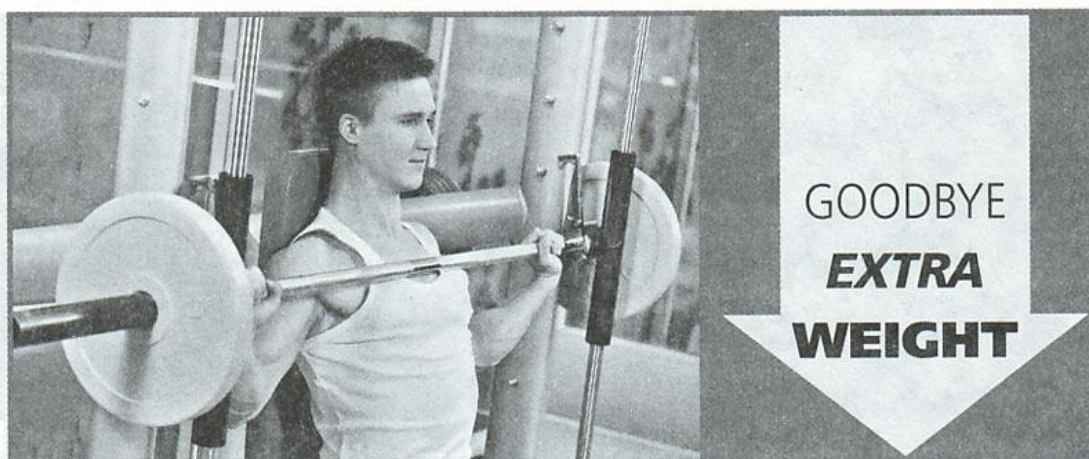
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.27 You are considering attending a fitness club and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the opening hours of the club
- 2) the subscription fee
- 3) the programmes on offer
- 4) the instructors' experience
- 5) medical checkup requirements

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.28 You are considering joining a parachute jumping group and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the timing of the training sessions
- 2) the instructors' experience
- 3) medical insurance requirements for club members
- 4) the duration of training sessions
- 5) safety guarantees

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.29 You are considering buying a pair of new jeans and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the best brand of the jeans
- 2) the make of the best jeans
- 3) the cloth that the jeans are made of
- 4) the trendy cut and colour
- 5) the fashionable accessories to match the jeans

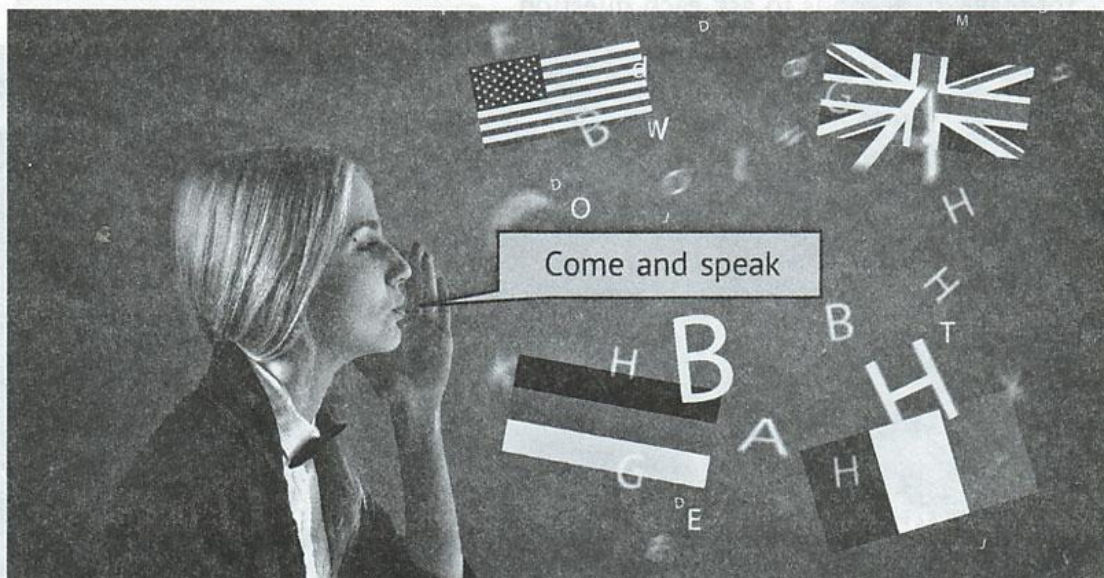
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.30 You are considering taking a course of another foreign language and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the programme of the course
- 2) the course duration
- 3) the starting time
- 4) the size of the groups
- 5) the methodology of teaching

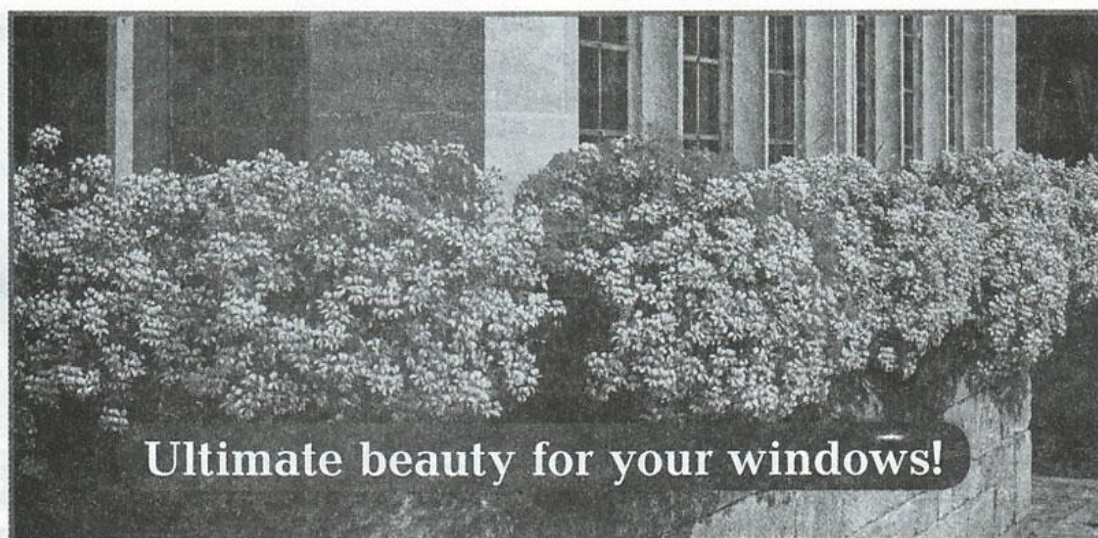
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.31 You are considering growing some exotic flowers on your window and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the sort of flowers recommended for growing
- 2) some special requirements for the soil
- 3) the need for fertilizers
- 4) the frequency of watering
- 5) resistance of flowers to diseases

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.32 You are considering buying a microwave cooker and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the best brand to choose
- 2) the best make to buy
- 3) operation safety rules
- 4) some recommended cooking recipes
- 5) duration of the guarantee

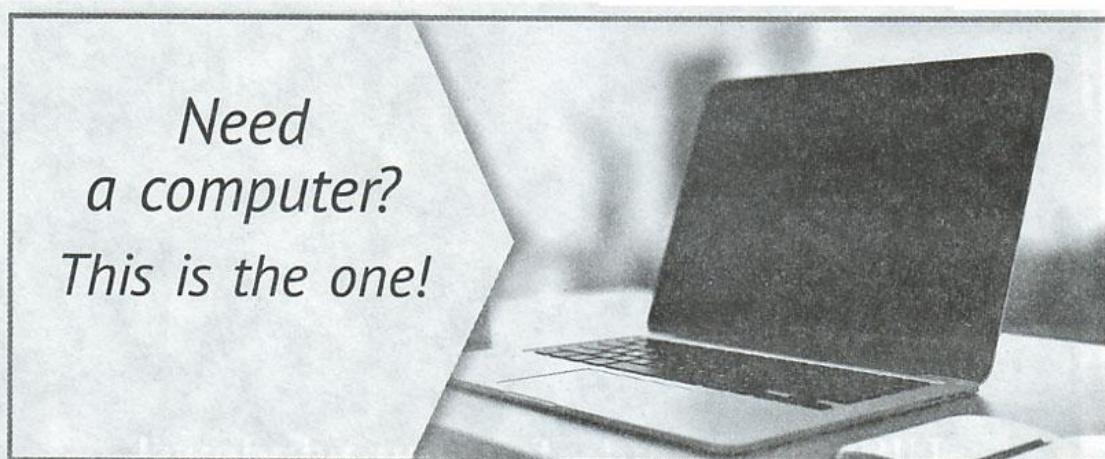
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.33 You are considering buying a new desktop personal computer or a laptop and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the most reliable brand recommended
- 2) the best technical characteristics
- 3) the screen size
- 4) the operating system installed
- 5) the advantages and disadvantages of the desktop PC and a laptop

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.34 You are considering buying a smartphone and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the advantages and disadvantages of traditional mobile phones and smartphones
- 2) reliability of the smartphone in operation
- 3) the functions installed
- 4) the accessories needed
- 5) the details of how to open an account

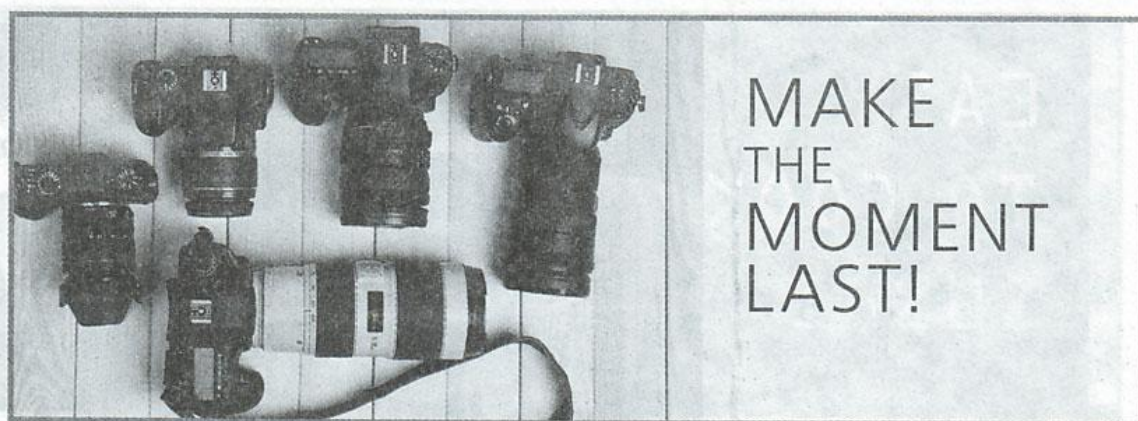
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.35 You are considering buying a digital photo camera and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) availability of a memory card slot
- 2) low light performance of the camera
- 3) the accessories sold to this camera
- 4) the number of pixels in a digital picture made with a camera
- 5) the weight of the camera

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.36 You are considering buying roller skates and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the suitable type of roller skates for beginners
- 2) the best skates for skating outdoors
- 3) whether there are stop brakes and toe stops on the skates
- 4) availability of knee pads and safety helmets
- 5) how to choose the right size of the boots

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.37 You are considering cooking Japanese sushi and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the kitchen tools that you need for cooking sushi
- 2) the ingredients necessary to cook sushi
- 3) the ways of cooking rice
- 4) the best type of fish to take for sushi
- 5) the technique of giving sushi the necessary shape

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.38 You are considering buying good sunglasses and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) protection of the eyes against harmful ultraviolet rays
- 2) the quality of the lenses
- 3) the best lens colour to choose
- 4) blow-resistant lenses
- 5) the value-for-money correspondence

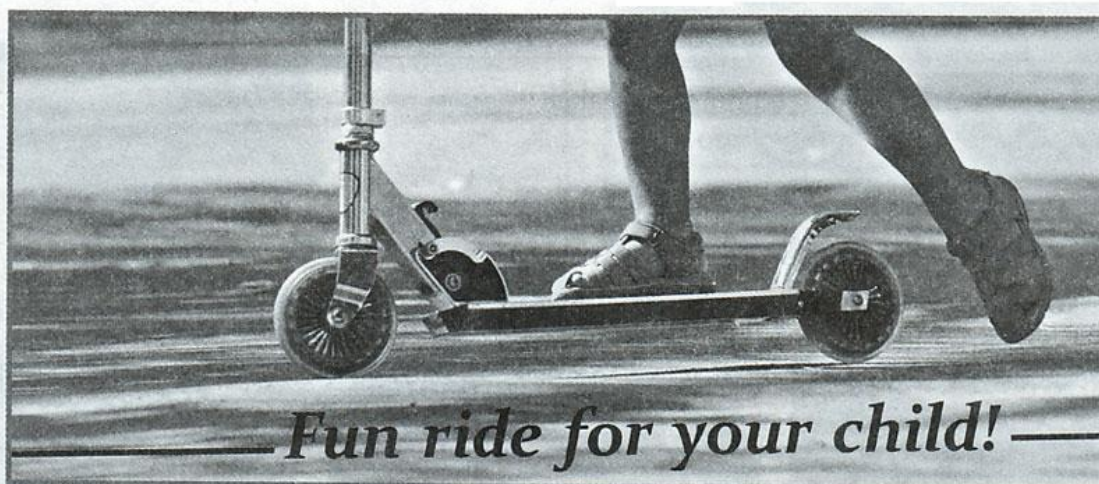
You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.39 You are considering buying a scooter as a gift for a child and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) matching the scooter size and the child's age
- 2) the safety rules recommended to children
- 3) the gear necessary for injury-free skating
- 4) the price and the quality of the scooter
- 5) the manufacturers of the best models

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.



Task 2.40 You are considering taking a cruise tour and now you'd like to get more information. In 1.5 minutes you are to ask five direct questions to find out about the following:

- 1) the price of the cruise holiday
- 2) the combination of a sea voyage with land trips
- 3) the entertainment on board
- 4) the ports where the cruise ship stops
- 5) the duration of the cruise tour

You have 20 seconds to ask each question.

