



## Pre-listening

**S** When a question asks about **the reason**, it is important to:

- listen carefully for the **cause-and-effect relationship**

e.g.

Zoe: I love the movie very much. It's a ghost story. It must be very frightening. Sadly, I need to get up early tomorrow so I can't watch it with you tonight. It's getting late. Sorry, Helen.

Zoe will not watch the movie with Helen because \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. it is a ghost story                      B. it is frightening  
C. she hates it                                D. she has to get up early the next day
- be aware of the **words used to bring out a reason or result**

Bringing out a reason	Bringing out a result
<i>because, since, as, so that</i>	<i>so, as a result, therefore</i>

## Warm Up

Jay is listening to an interview on the radio programme. Listen carefully and answer Questions 1-3. (6 marks @ 2 marks)



- How did Nancy feel about winning the award?

A. Worried                                      B. Surprised  
C. Scared                                        D. Angry

- Nancy is grateful to her fans because \_\_\_\_\_.

A. they gave her the award  
B. they helped promote her songs  
C. they supported her to write good songs  
D. they shared good songs with her

## CLASSROOM Tips



**grateful:** showing thanks

- Why did Nancy thank her talent manager, Kim Leung?

A. He worked hard for Nancy.    B. He had worked with Nancy for ages.  
C. He wrote songs for Nancy.    D. He would get married soon.

## Let's Practise



5 min



Jay returned home from school and found two voice messages on his home telephone. Listen carefully and answer Questions 1-4.

(8 marks @ 2 marks)

**S** 1. Why did Mandy suggest buying the tickets two hours earlier?

- A. She lost her bicycle last week.
- B. She would go to the cinema by bus.
- C. She wanted to get good seats for the movie.
- D. She wanted to eat something before the movie.

2. Which is **TRUE** about the movie Mandy and Jay will watch?

- A. It has been showing for a long time.
- B. It starts at six on Friday evening.
- C. It is a 3-D movie.
- D. There are no good seats for it.

## CLASSROOM Tips

Jot notes about the movie while listening, and choose the answer after the whole recording is finished.



3. What does Thomas think of Jay's football skills?

- A. Very good
- B. Average
- C. Poor
- D. Very Poor

**S** 4. Thomas called Jay mainly because he wanted to \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. tell Jay he would play football with him the following week
- B. tell Jay playing football is a great kind of exercise
- C. ask Jay for advice on practising football
- D. know where he could buy a football