

# Unit 12 Speech



Understanding the speaker's feelings



## Pre-listening Task

What are the jobs of these people? Write the correct letters in the boxes.

Learn these words

A. architect

B. athlete

C. photographer

D. politician

E. programmer

F. salesperson

1.



2.



3.



4.



5.



6.



Take a look at the 'Exercise' section. Then read the questions and pay attention to the following information:

7. What is the job of the speaker? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Joseph is listening to a speech at \_\_\_\_\_.

9. Make a guess: What may the speaker talk about? (Please circle the correct letters.)

A. his app

B. his cat

C. his career

D. his neighbourhood



**Career (n.)** means 'the job(s) one does during his or her working life'.



10 mins

DATE

## Exercise



Joseph is listening to a speech given by a young software developer at school. Listen carefully. Choose the best answers for Questions 1-7.

LISTENING

1. When did the new computer room open in Albert's secondary school?

- A. in 2010                      B. in 2012                      C. in 2014                      D. in 2016

2. How did Albert start his interest in developing apps?

- A. He worked at the new computer room at school.  
B. His teacher Mr Fung inspired him.  
C. He spent a lot of time on his smartphone.  
D. He wanted to develop a useful app.

3. Albert launched his first app when he \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. was a secondary school student  
B. was a college student  
C. first graduated from university  
D. became a successful app developer

### Tip

Q4: Pay attention to the pronunciation of the app's name.

4. What was the name of Albert's first app?

- A. Simply Fit                      B. Simply Gorgeous  
C. Simple Fitness                      D. Simple Greatness

5. Albert's first app \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. did not have a good concept                      B. provided clear instructions  
C. was a great success                      D. was not user-friendly



6. How did Albert feel after his first app was launched?



A.



B.



C.



D.

7. Albert received encouragement and advice from his \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ when he developed his second app.

- A. IT teacher ; classmates                      B. father ; trainer  
C. mother ; friend                      D. classmates ; friend