



Exams Corner — Listening (pp.54-55)

Announcer : You are doing a project on a film.

Read the information sheet, listen to the trailer of the film and answer the questions. The trailer will be played twice. Do as much as you can the first time and answer all questions the second time. You now have one minute to read the information sheet and the questions.

The trailer will begin now.

[Narrator : A city is in trouble. Murders, burglaries and grave robbing happen every day. Edinburgh, 1788 is a dangerous place. There is a man who thinks differently and that's Brodie.

Brodie : Killing the criminals is no use to stop the crime.

Councillor : How, Mr Brodie? What are you suggesting? There are thefts and robberies and murders everywhere.

Brodie : ^① This is a city where some people are so poor they are desperate and will do anything to stay alive. Hundreds of people are begging in the streets — the others, not being able to work, turn to crime. We need to have pity on these poor people.

Narrator : ^④ A thief is targeting the rich people in Edinburgh. Who is this thief and why does he seem to know everyone's secrets?

Brodie : ^② Don't move or I'll shoot! Now open that safe hidden behind the painting of the church. Empty it and give me all the money!

Rich woman : ^③ How on earth does he know where our valuables are hidden? He even has keys! We are missing something. We need to keep our eyes open. We're not dealing with ordinary criminals here — we're dealing with a very clever criminal. But who is he? How does he know I hid my diamonds in the coffee pots? How does he get his information?

Narrator : Brodie — a clever criminal who almost cheats everyone. Who on earth would even suspect the respectful councillor, Mr Brodie?

Judge : ^⑦ Brodie! What more do you have to say? We've found all the stolen goods in your house — and also these keys! We now know that the keys open the safes in the houses which have been robbed. You're finished!

Narrator : His secret amazes everyone. His story will be told. *Brodie*, opening the 20th of May.]

Announcer : Now listen to the trailer again.

Repeat []

You have 30 seconds to check your answers.