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Read the Dialogue to practise and Improve your Speaking Skills. Listen to and answer the Lesson Activity to test your level.



Ania: Hi, may I ask you a question?
Carl: Yeah sure, do you need help?
Ania: I want to know if this train goes to the city.
Carl: Yes, it leaves in a few minutes. Where are you from?
Ania: I am from Russia, but I came when I was a little girl.
Carl: Great! You speak English very well.
Ania: Thank you! I have lived in Manchester for years.
Carl: I would like to know Moscow.
Ania: Really? I miss my city so much... and the food there!
Carl: What is your favorite food back in Russia?
Ania: I think that my mother's Solianka.
Carl: I never heard about that.
Ania: It is a soup with different types of meat and vegetables.
Carl: Sounds good, I'll look for the recipe on the internet.
Ania: Try it! you will love it.
Carl: I get off the train at the next station.
Ania: It was nice talking to you, thanks for helping me.
Carl: It was my pleasure, have a nice day!

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ACTIVITIES

Listen and Answer to Test your Speaking Level.
Audio Transcript + Correct Answers on bottom page.

Listen and Choose the Correct Answer

1. Listen to the Audio (Ania 1)
This train goes to town.
I think it 's blue.
I bought a car.
2. Listen to the Audio (Carl 1)
I am 12 years old.
I am talking to you.
I am from Moscow, Russia
3. Listen to the Audio (Ania 2)
Yes, it 's my pen.
I've been waiting for hours.
Yes, I've lived here all my life.
4. Listen to the Audio (Carl 2)
You speak English very well.
Try it! You'll love it.
I think the football stadiums.
5. Listen to the Audio (Ania 3)
You can come by train whenever you want.
I think it's going to rain.
I prefer fish and chips.
6. Listen to the Audio (Carl 3)
It's a beautiful day to go to the park.
The weather gets very cold in winter.
Let's have a picnic!
7. Listen to the Audio (Ania 4)
It takes about half an hour.
It's half past five.
I think it 's late.
8. Listen to the Audio (Carl 4)
May I ask you a question?
Have a nice day!
I studied in Russia and improved it here.

AUDIO TRANSCRIPT

1. I need help to get to the city. (Ania 1)
2. Where are you from? (Carl 1)
3. Are you from London? (Ania 2)
4. What do you like the most about Manchester? (Carl 2)
5. I would like to know London. (Ania 3)
6. Is it very cold in Moscow? (Carl 3)
7. How long does the train take to get to the city? (Ania 4)
8. Your English is very good (Carl 4)

CORRECT ANSWERS

1. This train goes to town.
2. I am from Moscow, Russia
3. Yes, I've lived here all my life.
4. I think the football stadiums.
5. You can come by train whenever you want.
6. The weather gets very cold in winter.
7. It takes about half an hour.
8. I studied in Russia and improved it here.