

Extra Listeners Worksheet 10

Before you listen!

- 1** You're going to listen to a UK healthline message aimed at young people. Before you listen, discuss some of the health issues your age group faces.
- How many of your friends smoke?
 - How common is alcohol use?
 - Is it a problem, and if it is, what should be done about it?

Develop your skills!

- 2** Listen to the first part of the recording and decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F).

- 1 This phone service is only provided at certain times. _____
- 2 The service is probably for people in the UK. _____
- 3 The phone message is only about tobacco and cannabis. _____
- 4 There's a website with further information. _____
- 5 You can also talk to a member of staff if you want to. _____

TOP TIP!

You may think you know the answer from your general knowledge, but only write down answers that you hear in the recording. An answer may be true, but if it's not stated in the recording, it won't be marked as correct.

Exam practice!

- 3** Now listen to the complete recording. While listening, answer the questions using a maximum of four words for each answer. Write your answers in the spaces provided. The first one (0) has been done for you.

NOTE: This recording contains sound effects. If you want to do the task without the sound effects, please use the recording in the sound file called *Worksheet 10 Exercise 3 – audio without sound effects*.

- 0 What does alcohol help some adults to do?
relax _____
- 1 What happens to your sense of balance if you drink too much?

- 2 What is it illegal for under-18s to do? _____
- 3 What proportion of young people in Britain go out purposely to get drunk? _____
- 4 What do approximately 120,000 people in Britain do each year?

- 5 What does the speaker advise non-smokers to do in connection with cigarettes? _____
- 6 Which physical sense is most affected by the hallucinogenic properties of cannabis? _____
- 7 What is associated with the development of psychotic illnesses?

- 8 If you are caught with cannabis on your person, how long might you go to prison for? _____