

## Private Life - reading p. 25

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Przeczytaj zwroty w ramce i odpowiedz na pytania.

clothes and accessories    electronic devices    small change    sports  
equipment    stationery

1. Do you often borrow any of these things?
2. Who did you last borrow them from?
3. Have you given them back yet?
4. Do you mind lending them to others?

2

Uzupełnij zdania odpowiednią formą czasownika *borrow* lub *lend*. Następnie powiedzcie, na ile podane opinie są według was prawdziwe.

1. My parents sometimes  my things without permission.
2. Good friends always  each other notes, books or even their mobiles.
3. Your friends can fall out with you if you don't give back what they have  to you.
4. I've never  money from my grandparents. If I need money, I just ask them for it and don't need to give it back.

3

Przeczytaj szybko tekst i odpowiedz na pytanie.

### The New Guitar

I arrived home late last night. Mum and Dad were asleep, but my sister Rachel wasn't in bed yet. I knew what I had to do. I climbed the stairs and knocked on her door.

'Come in,' she said. Rachel was sitting at her desk and studying. Some music was playing softly on her CD player.

Mozart? I wasn't sure. There were history books on the desk in front of my sister. (1) \_\_ She wanted to go to university next year to study History as she wanted to become a teacher.

Rachel looked up from her book. 'What do you want, Katy?' she asked. Rachel and I didn't spend much time together. Don't worry – I didn't hate her and she didn't hate me. We were just interested in different things.

'Could you lend me some money?' I asked her. Rachel always had plenty of money. (2) \_\_ My younger sister just looked at me. I waited.

'It's for your pop band, isn't it?' she asked at last.

In Rachel's opinion, it was silly that I played in a band. In fact, all pop music was silly. She agreed with my parents.

They wanted me to go back to school and to forget about our band, Steel City, but I didn't want to go to university.

They were sad about that. They were even sadder when I got my job at the factory.

'It is for the band,' I explained. 'Tom's guitar is broken. It was an accident, but I broke it. (3) \_\_ We're playing in the Battle of the Bands competition, and we can't have a guitarist without a guitar.'

Rachel didn't seem interested. 'Have you asked Mum and Dad?' she said.

'What do you think?' I answered. It was a silly question and Rachel knew it. (4) \_\_ Rachel thought about this. Then she said, 'How many people in the world want to be pop stars?'

I didn't answer. I didn't have to – Rachel answered for me. 'Thousands of people do,' she said. 'And how many of them become pop stars?' She waited. 'Not very many.'

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Rachel gave me a long, sad look. Then she picked up her bag from the back of the chair. 'OK,' she said. 'How much do you want?'

Adapted from 'Ghost in the Guitar'  
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Who wants to borrow the money and why?

4 Przeczytaj tekst jeszcze raz. Dopasuj zdania A–E do luk 1–4 tak, aby otrzymać spójny i logiczny tekst. Uwaga: jedno zdanie zostało podane dodatkowo i nie pasuje do żadnej luki.

- A. Now we have to get a new one.
- B. That was her favourite subject.
- C. When they decided to lend me the money.
- D. Mum and Dad hated the band, so, couldn't ask them for money.
- E. She worked in a shop every Saturday and she saved every penny.

5 Przeczytaj tekst jeszcze raz. Do każdego pytania dobierz jedną z odpowiedzi: *Katy* (K), *Rachel* (R) lub *Katy and Rachel* (KR). Uzasadnij swój wybór.

	K	R	KR
1. Who likes music?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. Who plays in a band?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. Who goes to school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4. Who wants to work in a school?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5. Who works?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

6 W parach odpowiedźcie na pytania.

- 1. Does your family support you in your hobbies and decisions?
- 2. Do you always take their advice? Why?/Why not?