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three people talking about arts events a man talking about his dance academy	an article about listening to music an article about performance art	balance	new releases performing a survey on the arts arts events	text type: a review writing skill: linking ideas (1)
an extact from a radio programme about recreation in the water interviews about what happened next	an interview about underwater discoveries an article about an unforgettable experience	drawing conclusions	the first time what had happened learning a lesson it happened to me	text type: a blog post writing skill: interesting language
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an extract from a radio programme about healthy eating two people discussing the power of the mind	a news item about traditional dishes a news item about imaginary eating an article about modern lifestyles	writer's purpose	rules and regulations consequences modern life restaurant dishes	text type: a formal letter/email writing skill: explaining consequences
two people discussing an unusual photo a speaker at a conference talking about a mystery an extract from a radio programme about the Nasca lines	an article about flexible thinking an article about one of aviation's greatest mysteries	speculation or fact?	what's it for? speculating comparing ideas surprising news	text type: a news story writing skill: structuring a news story

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three people talking about travel tips people talking about their holidays an extract from a radio programme about a wildlife conservationist	an article about writers returning to their roots an article about tourism	close reading	holiday companions favourite activities going green travel problems	text type: a text message writing skill: informal style
market research interviews with three people who are shopping an extract from a radio programme about impulse buying	an article about two ways of going shopping an article about how to negotiate a price	testing a conclusion	shopping now and in the future souvenirs buying things	text type: customer feedback writing skill: clarity: pronouns
a podcast about the <i>Marathon</i> des Sables an extract from a TV preview show about bionic bodies	an article about life on another planet two stories about acts of endurance	reading between the lines	I'd love to live in medicine inspirational people talking about injuries	text type: a personal email writing skill: linking ideas (2)
four conversations about the news four conversations about news headlines	an article about isolated tribes an article about community journalism	opinions	news stories personal communication apps telephone messages	text type: an opinion essay writing skill: essay structure
an interview with a farmer two stories about uncomfortable situations	a review of a book about Arctic expeditions an article about the samurai	relevance	decisions where did l go wrong? going back in time making and accepting apologies	text type: a website article writing skill: checking your writing