LISTENING UNIT 7

Part 1: Listen and complete the conversation with *no more than two words and/or two numbers*.

Tour guide training, hotel and restaurant (1), and cooking are some of the			
wide range of courses from ABC Vocational School.			
According to receptionist, short cooking courses will depend of all ages and (2)			
and usually last about (3) months, and mainly for people who want to learn			
about (4) and have fun in the kitchen.			
Receptionist asked Lan to take a copy of our (5) which has detailed			
information about all the courses.			

KEY: 1. management, 2. abilities 3. two to three 4. food preparation 5. school brochure

Tapescript

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Receptionist: Good morning. Welcome to ABC Vocational School. How can I help you?

Lan: I watched a TV programme about your school last week. I'd like to ask for information about your courses.

Receptionist: Sure. What's your name, please?

Lan: I'm Nguyen Thanh Lan

Receptionist: OK, Lan. We offer a wide range of courses including tour guide training, hotel and restaurant **management**, and cooking. Are you interested in a specific trade?

Lan: Yes, I'd like to know more about your cooking courses. How long does it take to complete a cooking course?

Receptionist: Well, it depends. We have short cooking courses for all ages and **abilities**. They

are usually **two to three** months, and mainly for people who want to learn about **food preparation** and have fun in the kitchen. We also have professional cooking courses, which take two years to complete, for those who want to train to be restaurant cooks.

Lan: Do you offer any apprenticeships?

Receptionist: Yes, once you join a course, you'll have the opportunity to work as an apprentice in a real restaurant and learn from the best chefs.

Lan: That's amazing!

Receptionist: Would you like to fill in the application form?

Lan: Oh, I'm only in grade 11.I haven't discussed my plans with my

parents either.

Receptionist: OK, no problem. Please take a copy of our school

brochure. It has detailed

information about all the courses.

Lan: Thank you so much. Goodbye.

Receptionist: Bye, Lan. Good luck.

Part 2. Listen to a policewoman taking a witness's report and mark the statements as true (T) or false (F).

STATEMENTS	TRU	FALSE
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1. Lan saw the news program about her school last week and is		
interested in learning about courses.		
2. Lan is excited about cooking courses and the length of it.		
3. It takes anyone who wants to train to be restaurant cooks two years		
to finish professional cooking courses.		
4. When joining a course, you'll have the opportunity to work as an		
apprentice in a big restaurant and learn the best things from the best		
chefs.		
5. Lan is just in the eleventh grade, and she hasn't even addressed her		
plans with her parents.		

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