



## ADJECTIVES AND PREPOSITIONS

Certain adjectives are usually followed by specific prepositions.

It's **similar to** something I'd seen on TV.  
Junk food is **bad for** your health.

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### 1 Complete the sentences with the prepositions below.

**at | about | by | from | with | of**

- We were **shocked** ... the lack of safety features.
- Did you know I'm **fond** ... cats?
- I've never been **good** ... handling stressful situations.
- Are you **familiar** ... our safety rules?
- I'm **shy** ... talking to groups of people.
- Make sure you're **protected** ... the sun.

### 2 Choose the correct preposition and complete each sentence in a logical way.

- I'm very **aware** *of / for* the risks, so I'm going to be ...
- People who can't ... are often **afraid** *by / of* water.
- I wish I were more **successful** *for / at* ...
- I'm **curious** *to / about* outer space, so I'm going to ...
- If you are **opposed** *with / to* the idea, you shouldn't ...
- To keep us **safe** *from / for* crime, there should be more ... in our neighbourhood.

# LISTENING Monologues and Dialogues

## 3 You are going to hear people talking in five different situations. Listen and choose the correct answer.

- You hear a couple arguing about safety. What does the man decide to do?
  - Turn off the gas.
  - Stay at home.
  - Stop arguing.
- You hear a man telling his friend about a purchase he has made. What is the man's opinion?
  - It is an efficient solution.
  - It was worth the high price.
  - It wasn't really necessary.
- You hear a firefighter talking about his job. How does he feel about being an educator?
  - It's more important than dealing with emergencies.
  - It doesn't suit his personality.
  - He plans to give up that part of his job.
- You hear a man and a woman talking. What does the woman base her advice on?
  - A real-life experience.
  - Information from the Internet.
  - A story her mother heard.
- You hear part of a talk by a food expert. What is the speaker doing?
  - Convincing people to eat safely.
  - Explaining the difference between two things.
  - Complaining about the quality of food.



## LOOKING AT PRONUNCIATION

- 1 Listen and repeat the words below from the monologues and dialogues.  
parents /t/      device /d/
- 2 Which of the words below contain the /t/ sound? Listen and check your answers.  
catches | attached | connected | prevention
- 3 Which of the following words contain the /d/ sound? Listen and check your answers.  
danger | side | walked | yesterday

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