

## Listening - Abbreviations

*A. Listen and answer each question. Use the best abbreviation. Use no more than TWO words and/or a number.*

- 1. How many dates did Saif buy? \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. When did Fatima go to India? \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. What day is the party on? \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. When is the birthday? \_\_\_\_\_
- 5. How much is the concert ticket? \_\_\_\_\_
- 6. How big is the Nissan’s petrol tank? \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. How far is it to Dubai? \_\_\_\_\_
- 8. How much sugar is in the soda? \_\_\_\_\_
- 9. When will they meet? \_\_\_\_\_
- 10. When will Ahmed graduate? \_\_\_\_\_

*B. Listen and fill in the blanks with the correct word. You need to use abbreviations.*

Mohammed passed the IELTS exam last \_\_\_\_\_, so the men wanted to celebrate. On \_\_\_\_\_, Mohammed and Abdulla went to the store to buy some things they needed for the party. They bought \_\_\_\_\_ of tomato juice, \_\_\_\_\_ of beef, and some yogurt for Abdulla’s special BBQ recipe. They also needed \_\_\_\_\_ of rice. Unfortunately, it cost \_\_\_\_\_. It was a little expensive. Once they bought the food, they went home. It was over \_\_\_\_\_ to Mohammed’s house.

The party was on \_\_\_\_\_. To decorate the party, Abdullah hung up \_\_\_\_\_ of lights all around the house. They also had some balloons. The time was \_\_\_\_\_, so the men started the BBQ. Abdulla’s special recipe required the meat to be cooked at a very low temperature: \_\_\_\_\_. The guests started to arrive after \_\_\_\_\_. It was the best “Passing the IELTS” celebration ever!

