ΠΑΝΕΛΛΑΔΙΚΕΣ ΕΞΕΤΑΣΕΙΣ 2011
ΕΙΔΙΚΟ ΜΑΘΗΜΑ : ΑΓΓΛΙΚΑ
ΑΠΑΝΤΗΣΕΙΣ

A1.
1. Listeners of loud music can hear noises despite the absence of external stimuli.
2. It warns against overexposure to loud noises as this can lead to hearing problems.
3. Clubbers, concert-goers and those listening to loud music at home or on personal stereos.

A2.
4. B
5. C
6. B
7. A
8. A
9. C

B1.
10. interruptions
11. unforgivable
12. affordable
13. reliably
14. astonishment

B2.
15. last to
16. unless they
17. due to/ because of/ down to
18. Considering that/ Given that
19. never again

B3.
20. D
21. E
22. F
23. A
24. B
C.
I agree with many of the members of this forum that doing voluntary work in one’s neighbourhood is an excellent idea. I believe that voluntary work, if done correctly, not only improves the local environment but can instil a sense of local pride and community spirit that benefits all.

I completely disagree with ITSACON4 when he says that it is simply a way for local councils to get out of employing workers to do the same job. As RIALITY says, voluntary workers can supplement paid employees and do jobs that would otherwise go undone. Many councils, especially during this economic crisis, can only cover the essential needs of the community. Therefore, voluntary workers could fill the gaps and improve the community at the same time.

In my neighbourhood, there is a large disused area which is currently neglected. It would be a perfect place for a recreational area. Volunteers could do the bulk of the work, while the council could provide the necessary tools and such facilities as benches and perhaps, toys for a children’s playground.

It’s high time people assisted in improving their local communities and providing voluntary work is a great way to do this.