



## Catching up on news

<b>Fertigkeit:</b> Hörverstehen	<b>Niveau B1</b> Ich kann längere Texte und Gespräche aus bekannten Themengebieten verstehen, wenn klar und deutlich gesprochen wird.
<b>Deskriptor:</b> Ich kann den Hauptaussagen in längeren Alltagsgesprächen folgen.	
<b>Beschreibung:</b> Die Schülerinnen und Schüler sehen sich zunächst die Aufgaben an; dann hören sie die Texte von der CD zweimal an; danach kreuzen sie auf dem Arbeitsbogen die entsprechenden <i>statements</i> an.	
<b>Organisationsform:</b> Einzelarbeit	
<b>Zeitaufwand:</b> ca. 20 Min.	
<b>Erfüllungsgrad:</b> Die Aufgabe gilt als erfüllt, wenn 6 von 10 Punkten richtig angekreuzt wurden.	
<b>Spiegelbild-Aufgabe:</b> <u>Sprechen:</u> Die Schülerinnen und Schüler üben mit ihren Partnern einen kurzen Dialog zu einem ähnlichen Thema.	
<b>Material / Medien:</b> Hörtext(e) auf CD Arbeitsblatt Lösungsblatt	

### Transkript

(1: 53min)

Anne: Hello?  
Kevin: Hi, Anne.  
Anne: Kevin! What a surprise! It's great to hear from you. How are you?  
Kevin: Fine, just fine. How about you? What's new?  
Anne: Oh, nothing much.  
Kevin: How's Dennis?  
Anne: He's very well. He's won a golf competition, so he's thrilled about that.  
Kevin: A golf competition? That's great. When was that?  
Anne: Er... last Saturday.  
Kevin: Well, tell him 'Congratulations'. And how about the kids? How are Becky and Kate?  
Anne: Becky's had an argument with her boyfriend, so she's a bit upset at the moment.  
Kevin: Oh, dear. Is it serious?  
Anne: Well, I don't know. It only happened this morning.  
Kevin: This morning? Oh, poor Becky.  
Anne: But Kate has some good news. She's passed her driving test.  
Kevin: Great! That is good news.  
Anne: Yes, she's thrilled. She passed the test on Friday.  
Kevin: Wonderful.  
Anne: And what about you, Kevin? How are you?  
Kevin: I'm fine. I have some news too, actually. You're going to be very surprised.  
Anne: Go on.  
Kevin: I've gotten engaged!  
Anne: No! when?  
Kevin: Last week. It all happened very quickly.  
Anne: Oh, Kevin! I don't know what to say!

Source:

[http://www.onestopenglish.com/tefl\\_skills/listening.htm](http://www.onestopenglish.com/tefl_skills/listening.htm);

Onestop Teaching Listening Skills: Activity 1: Catching up on news

**Task:**

- Look at the eight statements for this part.
- You will hear a conversation between a man, Kevin, and a woman, Anne.
- Decide if each statement is correct or incorrect or whether the information is not given at all.
- If you think it is correct, put a tick (✓) in the box under **A** for **True**. If you think it is not correct, put a tick (✗) in the box under **B** for **False**. If you think that the information is not given in the conversation, put a tick (✓) under **C** for **Information not given**.

	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
	<b>True</b>	<b>False</b>	<b>Information not given</b>
1. Dennis can play golf very well.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Kate and Becky are Anne's sisters.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Kate has a boyfriend.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Kate is fifteen years old.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Becky is older than Kate.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Kate has just passed her A-Levels.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Kevin phones Anne very often.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Kevin is married.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Anne is married.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Anne is surprised at Kevin's news.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Lösungsblatt****Solutions**

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	<b>True</b>	<b>False</b>	<b>Information not given</b>
1. Dennis can play golf very well.	✓	□	□
2. Kate and Becky are Anne's sisters.	□	✓	□
3. Kate has a boyfriend.	□	□	✓
4. Kate is fifteen years old.	□	✓	□
5. Becky is older than Kate.	□	□	✓
6. Kate has just passed her A-Levels.	□	✓	□
7. Kevin phones Anne very often.	□	✓	□
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9. Anne is married.	✓	□	□
10. Anne is surprised at Kevin's news.	✓	□	□