NUMBER 7 · BONUS STORY

Läkarens dag

Monday of festival week, the day you fall ill, seen from the other side of the desk: forty patients for Eva, the town doctor, no lunch, three calls from her mother, and a daughter who is waiting.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

L1) WHO SAID IT?: 1a, 2b, 3c

L2) RIGHT OR WRONG?: 1a, 2b, 3a, 4b, 5a

L3) WHAT HAPPENED FIRST?: 1: 32514

L4) UNDERSTAND THE STORY: 1b, 2b, 3a

Translation

It is Monday, half past seven. There are many people at the clinic.

■ Good morning. Forty patients today.

○ Forty? We work until seven. Come in, please.

▲ Hello. It is me again.

○ Hello. Twice a week. Where does it hurt?

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▲ In my back, leg and head.

○ Breathe deeply. Once more.

▲ My children live far away. I am alone at home.

○ You do not need medicine. You need people.

○ Go to Klara's café every morning. Coffee and cake.

▲ Cake as medicine? I like that!

The next patient is a student.

● My head hurts every day.

○ How many hours do you sleep?

● Four. I have an exam on Friday. I study at night.

○ Too little. Sleep eight hours. Drink lots of water.

■ Are you not eating lunch today?

○ I have no time. Later.

■ Your mother is calling. For the third time.

□ Eva, are you not eating again? I know.

○ Mum, I know everything too.

□ And this evening? Elsa is waiting.

○ I will come at seven.

□ You always say seven. But you come at nine.

At eight Eva arrives.

△ Mum! It is eight already!

○ Sorry. There were forty patients.

□ Sit down. Eat first. Doctors need to eat too.

○ I am not a child. I am forty-four!

□ You are my child.

△ Why are you a doctor?

○ As a child I was the doctor. Grandma was the patient.

○ The medicine was tea and sleep.

△ Will you come to the festival on Saturday?

○ Yes. I will not work on Saturday. I will go with the family.

□ I will come too. I see everything!

They eat pancakes. Eva eats three.

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