

NUMBER 7 • BONUS STORY

Cinci dimineața

One day in the life of Ioana, from five in the morning to the evening: who calls her before dawn, why everybody in her café gets cake, and what happens when a customer says she isn't hungry.

ANSWER KEY

LISTENING & UNDERSTANDING

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

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

L3) WHAT HAPPENED FIRST?: 1: 21435

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

Translation

It is five in the morning. The house sleeps.

Maria sleeps. Motan sleeps too.

Only Andrei plays upstairs, very quietly.

Ioana is already in the café.

■ Good morning, café!

Ioana bakes bread and cakes.

There are thirty eggs, milk and butter in the fridge.

At six the phone rings.

- Grandma! Good morning!
- Good morning! Are you baking already?
- Yes. And you?
- I bake too. We do not sleep, we bake!
- Do you eat, Ioana?
- I am not hungry. And I have no time.
- You must eat too!
- I know. That is why everyone gets cake here.

At seven Ioana opens the café.

- ▲ Morning... A tea. Just tea.
- You are tired, Andrei. Here is a big cup.

Maria and Ana come.

- Black tea, without sugar.
- And ten pancakes for me!

● Ana! Two, not ten!

■ Two pancakes and milk. And a small one for Motan.

At eight a woman with a phone comes in.

△ A coffee, quickly! No cake. I am not hungry.

■ But you are tired. The cake is on the house.

△ How much is the coffee?

■ Ten lei. The cake costs nothing.

The woman eats a piece.

△ I like it! I want another one!

■ Of course. Sit down!

In the evening the café is empty.

■ Eighty people today!

○ Ioana, are you eating?

■ Yes! Bread with cheese and cake.

Motan eats too. Fish, of course.

■ Good night, Motan! Tomorrow, five again!