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SPACE

● LISTENING COMPREHENSION

Score out of eight	As percentage
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1. The paragraph is about an asteroid.

- (a) TRUE
- (b) FALSE
- (c) It doesn't say.

2. Falling stars are rocks.

- (a) TRUE
- (b) FALSE
- (c) It doesn't say.

3. How large is the Apophis asteroid?

- (a) six meters across
- (b) twelve kilometers across
- (c) 300 meters across

4. Apophis killed all the dinosaurs 65 million years ago.

- (a) TRUE
- (b) FALSE
- (c) It doesn't say.

5. Why are scientists worried?

- (a) Apophis might destroy our world.
- (b) Apophis might miss us.
- (c) Apophis might destroy many cities.

6. How far away is the moon from Earth?

- (a) only a few minutes away
- (b) 35,000 kilometers
- (c) 240,000 kilometers

7. What is the name of the asteroid that will come close to Earth in 2036?

- (a) Apophis
- (b) Scientists don't know what to call it.
- (c) It doesn't say.

8. Scientists are sure that the Apophis asteroid will miss our planet.

- (a) TRUE
- (b) FALSE
- (c) It doesn't say.

Aim Listening Practice

Level Intermediate

NOTES

Distribute the Listening Comprehension question papers to your learners and give them about a minute to read it before beginning the listening.

Repeat the listening one time.

Consider the possibility of reading aloud the text (and possibly recording your own voice!).

Consider extending this listening activity with the 'Grammar-in-Context' activity (see related downloadable file) on:
www.allthingsgrammar.com

GRADE CONVERSION

$$8 / 8 = 100\%$$

$$7 / 8 = 88$$

$$6 / 8 = 75$$

$$5 / 8 = 63$$

$$4 / 8 = 50$$

$$3 / 8 = 38$$

$$2 / 8 = 25$$

$$1 / 8 = 13$$

$$0 / 8 = 0$$

My Notes

ANSWER KEY

Listening Comprehension

1. A 5. C

2. A 6. C

3. C 7. A

4. B 8. B