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Listening Material

Tom likes food and drinks. He likes apples. Apples are red and sweet. Tom likes bananas too. Bananas are yellow and long. He eats one every day. Tom drinks milk. Milk is white and good for you. He has milk in the morning. Tom likes oranges. Oranges are orange and juicy. He has orange juice too. Tom has a big smile. He loves his food and drinks.

CEFR Level Card

General Level: A1.8

Vocabulary: A1.5

Verb Form: A1.0

Clause: A1.3

Prosody: A1.6

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Phrases and Idioms

Lemma	Count	Sentences
Food and Drink	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tom likes food and drinks. • He loves his food and drinks.
good for (someone or something)	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Milk is white and good for you.

Listening Comprehension Exercises

True / False

1. Tom drinks milk because he dislikes juice.
2. Tom does not like apples.
3. Tom drinks milk in the morning.

Multiple Choice

1. Why does Tom eat a banana every day?
 - A. Because it is white and good for you
 - B. Because it is red and sweet
 - C. Because it is orange and juicy
 - D. Because it is yellow and long

2. What time of day does Tom drink milk?
 - A. In the morning
 - B. At noon
 - C. At night
 - D. In the evening

3. Which of the following is true about oranges according to the text?
 - A. Oranges are orange and juicy
 - B. Oranges are yellow and long
 - C. Oranges are white and good for you
 - D. Oranges are red and sweet

4. What is Tom's favorite thing to drink that is also considered good for you?
 - A. Water
 - B. Milk
 - C. Banana shake
 - D. Apple juice

5. What describes how Tom feels about his food and drinks?
 - A. He hates his food and drinks.
 - B. He loves his food and drinks.
 - C. He dislikes his food and drinks.
 - D. He is neutral about his food and drinks.

Short Answer

1. What color are the fruits that Tom likes to eat?

2. What fruit does Tom eat every day?

3. When does Tom drink milk?
4. Which drinks does Tom enjoy besides milk?
5. What physical trait shows Tom's enjoyment of his food and drinks?

Exercise Answers

True / False Answers

Answer: False

Explanation: The text mentions that Tom has orange juice as well, contradicting the statement that he dislikes juice.

Answer location: "He has orange juice too."

2.

Answer: False

Explanation: The text clearly states that Tom likes apples.

Answer location: "He likes apples."

3.

Answer: True

Explanation: The text explicitly mentions that Tom drinks milk in the morning.

Answer location: "He has milk in the morning."

Multiple Choice Answers

1. Answer: D

Explanation: Tom eats a banana every day which is described as yellow and long.

Answer location: "Tom likes bananas too. Bananas are yellow and long. He eats one every day."

2. Answer: A

Explanation: The text specifies that Tom has milk in the morning.

Answer location: "He has milk in the morning."

3. Answer: A

Explanation: The text specifically mentions that oranges are orange and juicy.

Answer location: "Tom likes oranges. Oranges are orange and juicy."

4. Answer: B

Explanation: The text mentions that milk is good for you and that Tom drinks it.

Answer location: "Tom drinks milk. Milk is white and good for you."

5. Answer: B

Explanation: The text states that Tom loves his food and drinks.

Answer location: "He loves his food and drinks."

Short Answer Answers

1. Answer: Red, yellow, orange.

Explanation: The text lists the colors of apples, bananas, and oranges which Tom likes.

Answer location: "Apples are red and sweet. Bananas are yellow and long. Oranges are orange and juicy."

2. Answer: Banana.

Explanation: The text specifies that Tom eats a banana daily.

Answer location: "He eats one every day."

3. Answer: In the morning.

Explanation: The text states that Tom drinks milk in the morning.

Answer location: "He has milk in the morning."

4. Answer: Orange juice.

Explanation: The text indicates that Tom enjoys orange juice in addition to milk.

Answer location: "He has orange juice too."

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Questions

1. Why do adult cats meow?

A. To scare away predators
B. To communicate with each other
C. To express dominance
D. To communicate with humans

Answer: D
Explanation: Adult cats meow primarily to communicate with humans, not with each other.
Answer location: "But domesticated cats have learned that we humans are suckers for their meows and adapted to use it to get what they want from us."

2. At what stage do cats stop meowing to communicate with each other?

A. When they are adults
B. After being domesticated
C. As soon as they are born
D. Before they are weaned

Answer: A
Explanation: Cats stop meowing to communicate with each other once they reach adulthood.
Answer location: "as adults, however, cats don't actually meow at each other to communicate."