

## LISTENING COMPREHENSION

## THE SECOND TERM

## VARIANT 1

## 1. Listen to the text and mark the statements «True» (T) or «False» (F).

	T / F
1) This story is about an artist.	
2) The painter installed the window in his studio to involve the other painters in his work.	
3) There was no glass in the painter's window.	
4) The painter went on working rather than talking to his admirers.	
5) The painter would find his brushes stiff and packed with dried paint because it took him rather long to talk to his admirers.	
6) The landlord didn't demand any rent from the painter.	
7) The painter started working again as nobody helped him to pay the rent.	

## 2. Listen to the text and match choices (A—G) to (1—7).

1.	Denby Dale
2.	nine
3.	2000
4.	half a tonne
5.	George III
6.	40 feet
7.	meat

- A) the number of world's biggest pies made since 1788  
 B) the year when the pie weighed 12 tonnes  
 C) one of the ingredients for the biggest pie in the world  
 D) the amount of potato in the pie baked in 2000  
 E) a village near Huddersfield, Yorkshire  
 F) the length of the pie in the year of 2000  
 G) the British King whose recovery from mental illness was celebrated by making the first world's biggest pie

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**LISTENING COMPREHENSION****THE SECOND TERM****VARIANT 2**

**1. Listen to the text and mark the statements «True» (T) or «False» (F).**

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1) Many people liked and respected the painter and his work.	
2) The painter didn't want his admirers to watch him from the hallway outside.	
3) The painter stopped working in order to talk to his admirers.	
4) More and more people gathered at the painter's window every day.	
5) The painter didn't like it when he had to talk to the people who'd gathered at the window.	
6) The painter couldn't pay his rent as he sold nothing.	
7) The painter's friends helped him to pay the rent.	

**2. Listen to the text and match choices (A—G) to (1—7).**

1.	Denby Dale	<b>A)</b> the priest who blessed the pie in 2000 <b>B)</b> a village near Huddersfield, Yorkshire <b>C)</b> the year when the pie was 40 feet long <b>D)</b> the weight of the pie in the year of 2000 <b>E)</b> the amount of beef in the pie baked in 2000 <b>F)</b> the ingredients for the biggest pie in the world <b>G)</b> the year when the first biggest pie in the world was made
2.	meat and potato	
3.	1788	
4.	12 tonnes	
5.	2000	
6.	Bishop of Wakefield	
7.	three tonnes	

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