




TOEFL iBT Listening Idioms Test 28

**Instructions:** Choose the best answer for each of the following questions.



ID	Questions
<b>1</b> 	take a short cut <input type="radio"/> allow space for, provide a path for <input type="radio"/> have the same opinion, be in agreement <input type="radio"/> take a more direct or faster route than usual <input type="radio"/> independent
<b>2</b> 	take off <input type="radio"/> (1) remove clothing, for example (2) ascend a plane, for example (3) become popular quickly <input type="radio"/> become sick with an illness <input type="radio"/> use completely <input type="radio"/> make a special effort
<b>3</b> 	take over <input type="radio"/> requires a lot of courage <input type="radio"/> take a vacation or a break from work or school <input type="radio"/> assume control or responsibility <input type="radio"/> have fun, have a great time
<b>4</b> 	take part in <input type="radio"/> decline in intensity rain , for example <input type="radio"/> have the same problem as other people <input type="radio"/> participate in <input type="radio"/> be careful
<b>5</b> 	take the plunge <input type="radio"/> finally take action, do something different <input type="radio"/> indicate <input type="radio"/> respect, admire <input type="radio"/> say what one is thinking
<b>6</b> 	take time off from <input type="radio"/> indicate <input type="radio"/> have an aptitude for, be qualified for <input type="radio"/> in the future, coming up <input type="radio"/> take a vacation or a break from work or school
<b>7</b> 	take up <input type="radio"/> slightly all <input type="radio"/> begin to study some topic or engage in some activity <input type="radio"/> be hard on someone, drain energy from someone <input type="radio"/> audition for a role in a play, for example, attempt to join a team, for example

<b>8</b> 	talk down to <input type="checkbox"/> continue <input type="checkbox"/> speak to someone as if he or she were a child, patronize <input type="checkbox"/> stop being a couple a boyfriend and girlfriend, for example <input type="checkbox"/> discard, no longer have
<b>9</b> 	talk into <input type="checkbox"/> persuade, convince <input type="checkbox"/> not nervous, calm <input type="checkbox"/> become sick with an illness <input type="checkbox"/> choose, select
<b>10</b> 	talk out of <input type="checkbox"/> wait <input type="checkbox"/> not come home <input type="checkbox"/> dissuade, convince not to do something <input type="checkbox"/> gradually, steadily but not quickly

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Answer Sheet:

Question	A	B	C	D
1.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
6.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
7.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
9.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
10.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



**Keys:**

1. C
2. A
3. C
4. C
5. A
6. D
7. B
8. B
9. A
10. C

