

# New Treasure Plus (Second Edition) 3B

## Challenging reading and comprehension

### Answer key

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### Comprehension 4

- 1 i) proposition  
ii) serving  
iii) repetitive/monotonous  
iv) enterprising
- 2 Park Seo-yeon, Natalie Thomas and Mermaid Melissa
- 3 one sitting at her home studio
- 4 i) serves  
ii) vegetables  
iii) crab  
iv) dessert
- 5 live online videos in which people broadcast themselves eating a lot of food (*any reasonable answer*)
- 6 i) dieters/people who are on a diet  
ii) people who are lonely
- 7 I think people are able to keep to their diets because they can imagine they are Park Seo-yeon eating all that food to help them get over their cravings for food. (*any reasonable answer*)
- 8 No, I do not think that Park Seo-yeon needs to have another job, as she makes about HK \$70,000 each month. (*any reasonable answer*)
- 9 your cup of tea
- 10 Director of Bed Bouncing
- 11 Yes, they do. They have insured her bottom for millions of dollars. (*any reasonable answer*)
- 12 ensure they are free of lumps for guests (*any reasonable answer*)
- 13 because Premier Inns has over 46,000 beds for her to test
- 14 US  
performs
- 15 D
- 16 training killer whales and dolphins to do tricks/working at a marine park
- 17 because otherwise she would not look like a realistic mermaid (*any reasonable answer*)
- 18 advanced swimming skills  
breath-holding  
familiarity with ocean life
- 19 i) Mermaid Melissa  
ii) Park Seo-yeon  
iii) Natalie Thomas
- 20 II. B  
III. D  
IV. C
- 21 I would choose to be a professional mermaid because I love spending time in the water and have always been fascinated by mermaids. I think it would be a fun job to entertain children while enjoying time in the ocean or in a pool. (*any reasonable answer*)
- 22 My favourite hobby is playing online video games. I think I could become a professional gamer and participate in international gaming competitions. These competitions often award large

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sums of money to the winners. Or I could work at a video game developer as a video game tester to help look for bugs in video games. I could also be a professional video game reviewer and post videos of my reviews online. I follow some famous professional video game reviewers on Youtube and they seem to do quite well for themselves. *(any reasonable answer)*