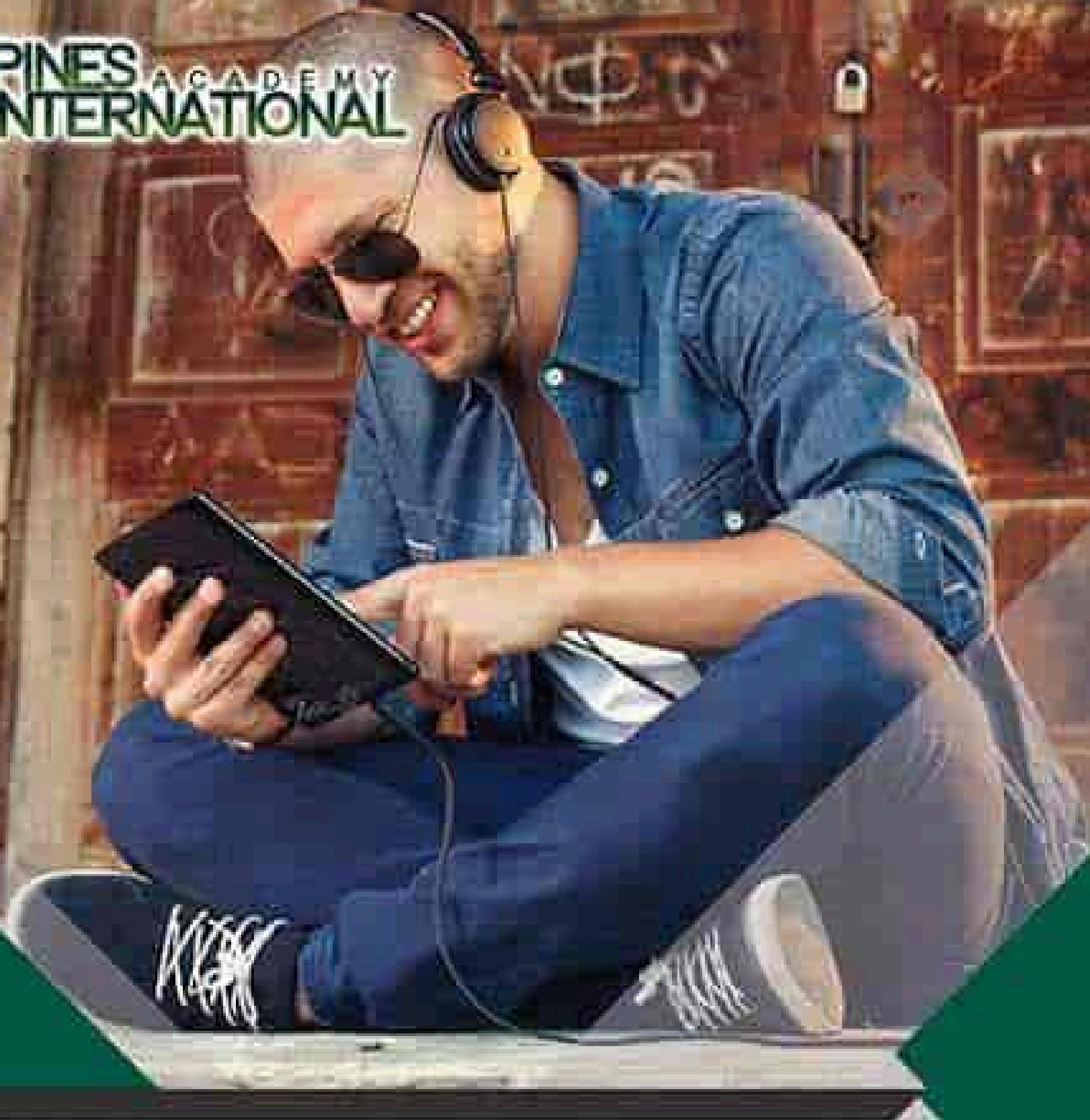




**PINES ACADEMY
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Tune In!



**English as a
Foreign
Language**

Introduction

Tune In! is a compilation of different audio materials that equips students with a skill that is vital to improving their English abilities in all aspects. The main purpose of this subject is to provide students with essential information that will aid them in improving various aspects of their listening skills such as pronunciation, grammar, sentence structure, thought organization, spelling, vocabulary, and self-expression.

The aim is for the students to develop into strategic communicators by honing their listening skills, which is also related with their speaking skills since both are plausible means of expressing oneself. The learner would appreciate more about the importance of communication in the listening form as a tool for learning English as a second language.

UNIT 1: NEWS

EXERCISE 1: CHILDREN NEW BILLIONAIRE

Watch and listen to the news and **answer the following questions.**

1. How old is Thomas?

2. At his young age, what is he creating?

3. What is his plan for summer?

4. How did he learn business encoding?

5. From the school shown, at what age do they start creating entrepreneurs?

6. What does the student use for advertising?

7. What are the students encouraged to do in Incubator School?



EXERCISE 2: WARNING ABOUT OVERWORK IN SOUTH KOREA

Multiple choice: **Choose the correct answer.**

1. To with his dream business, Deuk-Soo Lee,
- borrowed money from the bank.
 - sold most of his belongings.
 - resigned from his job.
 - joined a singing competition.



2. How did he describe his new job? (owning his business)
- He can do things freely but means a lot of effort.
 - He regrets opening his own business.
 - He feels frustrated of his employees.
 - It is better to work for another company.
3. The speaker mentioned that a new employee taking a five-days off means
- he needs to take a rest.
 - he will resign.
 - he doesn't care about his boss.
 - he wants more freedom.

4. Why do some or even most employees stay up late in the office?
 - a. They don't want to go home.
 - b. They have to wait for their superiors to leave.
 - c. They want to earn more money.
 - d. They are waiting for their coworkers.

5. The answer in number 4 explains the reason why
 - a. the productivity rate remains relatively low despite the long hours of work.
 - b. the productivity rate remains relatively high despite the long hours of work.
 - c. South Korea is one of the most productive country in the world.
 - d. many people prefer to work in South Korea.

6. What is the common complaint on the employment forum Job Planet?
 - a. low income
 - b. excessive overtime
 - c. strict employees
 - d. too much workload

7. Why do employees grieve online?
 - a. It is easier for them to express their thoughts.
 - b. It is free.
 - c. They can gain sympathy from others.
 - d. They can't express it directly to their boss.

8. One of the most important thing an employee has to remember is to
 - a. always follow everything the boss has to say
 - b. leave the office before the boss does.
 - c. hand all his work in before the day ends.
 - d. disagree with the boss.

9. How does a typical work day usually ends?
 - a. Workers eat out and drink with their boss and other colleagues.
 - b. Most employees finish their work.
 - c. The boss gets frustrated to the employees.
 - d. Employees finish all their tasks.

10. What is the government planning to do with this current issue?
 - a. Give incentive to employees who work overtime.
 - b. Come up with ideas on how to reduce the long work hours.
 - c. Punish employers who let their employees work for more than eight hours.
 - d. Recognize hardworking employees.