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A man and a woman talk about learning methods.

Advanced English - Sound Grammar

C1 Lesson 7 Conversation 3



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1	How does she study Japanese?	2	What does she read while watching?	3	What language is he learning?
a	By watching Netflix videos	a	Captions	a	Arabic
b	By watching YouTube videos	b	Transcripts	b	French

Part 2: Look at the scrambled words on the right. What is the missing word?

Man: So, what are you _____?	1	gidno
Woman: I'm studying Japanese by _____ _____ on Netflix.	2	tnahcwig
Man: That's _____, but it must be difficult.	3	sievod
Woman: It is, but I can follow along by reading the _____.	4	gteiseninrt
Man: Oh, do you _____ the English subtitles?	5	asctnpio
Woman: No, the captions. I _____ it and read the Japanese text simultaneously. By doing so, I can _____ a lot.	6	aenm
Man: That _____ like a good strategy. I should try that to _____ French.	7	eahr
Woman: Oh, are _____ learning French?	8	chact
Man: Yes, but just by _____ some vocabulary apps on my _____.	9	snusdo
Woman: Well, you might learn _____ by checking out some videos online. There's _____ on Youtube.	10	arlen
Man: Or by using your Netflix _____.	11	uoy
Woman: Not a _____. Nice try, though.	12	nsuig
Man: Well, no one _____ got anything by not asking.	13	ohnpe
Woman: True. I'll _____ you that.	14	emro
	15	lsto
	16	antucoc
	17	ccanhe
	18	eerv
	19	gvie

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Answer Key

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