



1. Choose the correct short response to this question: **Has the film already started?**

- a) So I'm afraid.
- b) I'm so afraid.
- c) I'm afraid so.
- d) I'm afraid.

2. Which of the following is the correct short response to show you don't want your ex-girlfriend to go to the same party as you: **Is Meg going to the party on Saturday?**

- a) I hope.
- b) I don't hope so.
- c) I hope so.
- d) I hope not.

3. Which of the following is the correct short response to show you don't want to do what's being asked, but you will? **Are you going to tidy your room?**

- a) I suppose so.
- b) I don't suppose so.
- c) I'm afraid not.
- d) I don't think so.

4. Which of the following is the correct short response to show you're not 100% sure what time the TV programme starts? **Is the football on at 3?**

- a) I think it.
- b) I think.
- c) I think not.
- d) I think so.

5. Which of the following is the correct short response to say you are too busy to do what is being asked of you: **Will you be able to write the report by 5.30 today?**

- a) I'm afraid not.
- b) I'm afraid so.
- c) I'm not afraid so.
- d) I'm so afraid not.

6. Which of the following is the correct short response to show that you think you probably haven't passed your exam? **Do you think you've passed?**

- a) I hope not.
- b) I don't think so.
- c) I don't think not.
- d) I think so.

## ANSWERS:

1. Choose the correct short response to this question: **Has the film already started?**

a) and b) Some of these words are in the wrong order.

c) **Correct! You can use this short reply to politely introduce bad news.**

d) This means 'I'm frightened'. You need one more word here.

2. Which of the following is the correct short response to show you don't want your ex-girlfriend to go to the same party as you: **Is Meg going to the party on Saturday?**

a) You need one extra word here. Try again!

b) This expression doesn't exist in English. Try again!

c) This isn't the right short answer. Try again!

d) **This is the correct answer. Well done!**

3. Which of the following is the correct short response to show you don't want to do what's being asked, but you will. **Are you going to tidy your room?**

a) **This is the correct answer.**

b), c) and d) This means you won't tidy your room.

4. Which of the following is the correct short response to show you're not 100% sure what time the TV programme starts? **Is the football on at 3?**

a), b) and c) This is not correct. Try again!

d) **This is correct, well done!**

5. Which of the following is the correct short response to say you are too busy to do what is being asked of you: **Will you be able to write the report by 5.30 today?**

a) **This is the right choice. Well done!**

b) You need a different word from 'so' here.

c) and d) This expression doesn't exist in English.

6. Which of the following is the correct short response to show that you think you probably haven't passed your exam? **Do you think you've passed?**

a) This means you wish you hadn't passed your exam! Try again.

**b) This is the right choice. Well done!**

c) This isn't correct. Try again!

d) This means you suspect you've passed but here, you don't think you have passed. Try again!

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