

### 9.1

Decide which of the alternatives (A–J) is the topic of each newspaper headline. Write the letter of your answer in the box at the end of the sentence.

1 World Cup frenzy as tournament kicks off	
2 Shares devalued as CEO resigns	
3 Fans brave the rain as <i>Tarzan</i> opens in Leicester Square	
4 Career or family? Is the argument still relevant for women today?	
5 Is it worth having a pension fund these days? Your questions answered	
6 Winter sun getaways – the latest on favourite destinations	
7 Swapping bikinis for knitwear – looking at the change in seasons	
8 Australian parliament debates environmental policy	
9 Disappear into Harry Potter’s world	
10 Trouble at Number 10 as new agriculture documents are leaked to the press	

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| A business    | B international news | C travel  | D sport     |
| E books       | F personal finance   | G fashion | H home news |
| I cinema/arts | J women              |           |             |

### 9.2

Match each item of news (1–10) with the best response (A–J).

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| 1 Plane disappears over the Pacific    | A I’m going to test drive that on Saturday.  |
| 2 Golfing triumph over US              | B Does it say how many homes were damaged?   |
| 3 Aged film star dies in Beverly Hills | C Not again! Does it say when they’ll go up? |
| 4 New Ford wins safety prize           | D I don’t feel safe on the streets any more. |
| 5 Florida Keys hit by third storm      | E We used to play football in the rain!      |
| 6 Mortgage rates to increase           | F Who do you think will win?                 |
| 7 Waste recycling on the up            | G Can you believe it was at the last hole?   |
| 8 Presidential election draws closer   | H I already save glass and paper.            |
| 9 Woman, 79, has handbag stolen        | I They think it got lost in a storm.         |
| 10 School sports to be indoors         | J He was 93, you know.                       |

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