

Part 1. Listening Script

You will hear a museum tour guide talking to a group of visitors. Complete the information. Use one word in each space.

Good morning! Welcome to the Museum of Film. We have all sorts of things for you to see here including two fabulous collections, three cinemas and a small working film studio.

Before you enter, I'm just going to take a few minutes of your time to tell you some things about the museum. Can you see this small statue here? This was given to the museum of film by Prince Leo in October 1989 when he opened it. All the work is done here by volunteers. Unfortunately, in May 2006 the museum had to close due to lack of funds. In January 2007 the government started funding the museum and we were able to open again. We rely on this government funding as well as on public donations, so please give generously if you can. We hope the museum can stay open for years to come. We regularly have directors in Residence here at the museum. These are directors who come and work at the museum for 6 months. Have you seen the film *Open Door*? This was made by Anna Lake when she was working here as the Director in Residence. Our current director is Jim Bennett. You can hear a talk by him at 11 o'clock this morning. It's called *The way I see it*.

Our famous collection of wax models of film stars is on the second floor. For a small fee our photographer will take your photo with your favorite star. We have a small studio here where you can try being a film director. Your mini film will be edited and all day the many films will be shown on the screen in the Museum Café. At the end of the year some of these films will be chosen to be included in the people's Film Project. You never know your film might get chosen! In the basement we have a new exhibition called *The Real Thing*. This is a collection of clothes and accessories which actors actually used in famous films. You'll be surprised at some of the things we have!

One more thing before you begin the tour – as you know we have three working cinemas here from different times of film history. I'm afraid Cinema 21 will be closed between 10 o'clock and midday today while a new screen is installed. We are sorry for the inconvenience. Thank you very much for listening! Enjoy your visit!

Pause 15 sec.

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Pause 2 min.

This is the end of the listening task.