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1. Make questions:

- a. _____ She is from Ostrava.
- b. _____ She starts at 2 pm.
- c. _____ She plays at concerts or practises the violin.
- d. _____ She likes reading and working in the garden.

2. Listen to the article and say if the sentences are true (T) or false (F).

- a. She teaches adults.
- b. She only works in the morning.
- c. She does not travel much.
- d. She does not like recording commercial music.
- e. She has a good relationship with her students.
- f. She is never nervous.
- g. She has two grandchildren.

3. Fill in the sentences with prepositions *in* or *at*. Then listen and check.

- a. I play _____ the first violins _____ the Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra _____ Ostrava.
- b. We usually start _____ 9 am and finish _____ 1 pm.
- c. _____ the evenings, I play _____ concerts.
- d. I like reading, working _____ my garden and going for walks _____ the forest.

4. Read the following definitions and write the word.

A person who writes music _____

A child at school _____

The time when musicians practise before a concert _____

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SOLUTIONS

1. Make questions:

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| a. Where is she from? | She is from Ostrava. |
| b. When does she start teaching? | She starts at 2 pm. |
| c. What does she do in the evenings? | She plays at concerts or practises the violin. |
| d. What does she like? | She likes reading and working in the garden. |

2. Listen to the article and say if the sentences are true (T) or false (F).

- a. She teaches adults. **F**
- b. She only works in the morning. **F**
- c. She does not travel much. **F**
- d. She does not like recording commercial music. **T**
- e. She has a good relationship with her students. **T**
- f. She is never nervous. **F**
- g. She has two grandchildren. **F**

3. Fill in the sentences with prepositions *in* or *at*. Then listen and check.

- a. I play **in** the first violins **in** the Janáček Philharmonic Orchestra **in** Ostrava.
- b. We usually start **at** 9 am and finish **at** 1 pm.
- c. **In** the evenings, I play **at** concerts.
- d. I like reading, working **in** my garden and going for walks **in** the forest.

4. Read the following definitions and write the word.

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| A person who writes music. | A composer |
| A child at school | A pupil |
| The time when musicians practise before a concert | A rehearsal |