BUSINESS GRAMMAR BUILDER
SAMPLE LISTENING ACTIVITY

Listen to the extract. Complete the dialogue with question words and question phrases from the list below.

- what kind of
- how often
- how far
- how long
- how many
- how much
- what (x2)
- which (x2)
- whose

SAM: So, tell me about your new job. (1) **What kind of** work is it?

JOE: It's in sales, like my last job, but it's a bigger company.

SAM: Really? (2) ____________ people work there?

JOE: I suppose there's about 60 people in our office.

SAM: Oh, yeah. And (3) ____________ holiday can you take a year?

JOE: Twenty-four days a year plus public holidays.

SAM: Oh, that's much better than your last job. And (4) ____________ is it from your home?

JOE: Well, it's really not that far and I don't have to catch the train to work every morning, which is great.

SAM: Oh, lucky you. So, (5) ____________ does it take you to get to work in the morning?

JOE: About 20 minutes by car.

SAM: Wow. It sounds perfect. (6) ____________ time do you start work in the morning now?

JOE: About nine. But sometimes I have to go on sales trips at the weekend as well.

SAM: Oh? (7) ____________ idea that was that?

JOE: I don't know, it's just something you have to do.

SAM: And (8) ____________ do you have to do it?

JOE: About once a month I think. They're going to give me a company car.

SAM: Really! (9) ____________ model are they going to give you?

JOE: A Golf, I think - and I can choose the colour.

SAM: Oh, and (10) ____________ colours are there?

JOE: Well, I can choose between black and dark blue.

SAM: Only two! So (11) ____________ one do you prefer?

JOE: Well, dark blue sounds better than black.

SAM: Hmm, yeah. Well, congratulations, I'm sure you'll do really well.