Listen to the radio interview about theme parks and do the exercises to practise and improve your listening skills.

1. Preparation: picture matching
Do this exercise before you listen. Write the correct word in the boxes below the picture.

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2. Check your understanding: true or false
Do this exercise while you listen. Circle *True* or *False* for these sentences.

1. Andy Wells has written a guide to theme parks around the world.  
   *True*  *False*
2. Andy says his job doesn't feel like hard work.  
   *True*  *False*
3. Cedar Point in Ohio has life-sized moving dinosaurs.  
   *True*  *False*
4. On a wingcoaster the track is next to you, not under you.  
   *True*  *False*
5. At the Islands of Adventure in Florida you can meet Harry Potter.  
   *True*  *False*
6. Ocean Park in Hong Kong has sea animals but no rides.  
   *True*  *False*
7. A dark ride is a ride inside a building.  
   *True*  *False*
8. The “place to watch” for theme parks is Japan.  
   *True*  *False*
3. Check your understanding: multiple choice

Do this exercise while you listen. Circle the best option to complete these sentences.

1. Magic Kingdom at Disney World in Florida has **the largest area** / **the most rides** / **the biggest number of visitors**.

2. Cedar Point in Ohio is introducing **a new rollercoaster** / **more frightening** / **animatronic dinosaurs**.

3. Andy thinks a wingcoaster is **more relaxing** / **more frightening** / **more exciting** than a normal rollercoaster.

4. Andy thinks the tour of Hogwarts School is **better for young children** / **really well done** / **just a way of selling magic sweets**.

5. Lotte World, a huge park in South Korea, has **the world's biggest indoor theme park** / **the most water rides in the world** / **has a New York street section**.

6. China will soon have **the world's biggest dinosaur tour** / **the world's biggest zoo** / **the world's tallest Ferris wheel**.

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**Do you like theme parks?**

Why? / Why not?

Which ones have you been to?

What kind of rides do you like?

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**Vocabulary Box**

Write any new words you have learnt in this lesson.