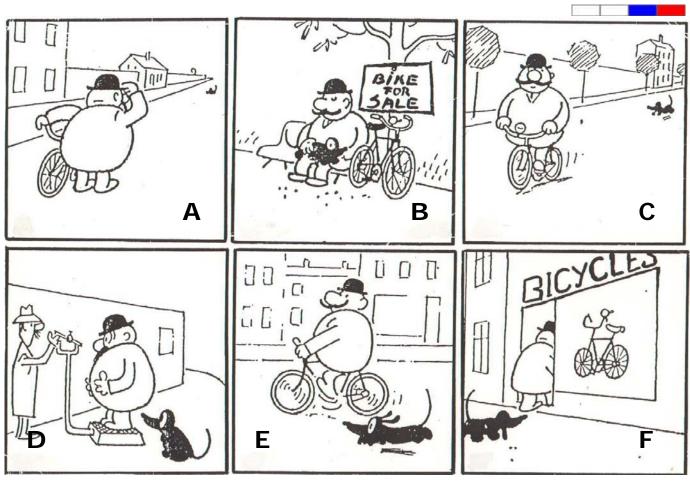
Info gaps, Integrated Skills



Bike for sale

- 1. Find a logical order in the pictures.
- 2. Describe each picture in detail, that is: say exactly where the man is, where the dog is (has it got a name?), what both are doing etc.
- 3. Write or tell the story of the man and his doggie. (Use the past tense chiefly.)

You may use the following words:

building to need next to amazed along bowler hat house moustache wall trees window lap

dog (dachshund?) to caress / to pet

to peer into ... satisfied ... the far distance board / notice to lag behind bench

to lag behind bench to keep up against to run along park to weigh bench bench to park

to measure to stay / lag behind

weight to buy

weighing scales to slim down a ride too fat / heavy exercise to lose weight

Also think about some **story-line**, like this:

Introduction

- Information about the man (and his little dog);
- who they were (names?);
- where they live (what kind of town);
- what he did for life (what job? Unemployed?);
- married/divorced? (why?)
- widower? (how come? how long for?);
- still single? (lonely?);
- his personality etc.

Narrative / Middle section

- what he decided to do, one day;
- why he did so? (because everybody did so? / Just for fun? / because the media told him to watch his health? / ... ?)
- what he used to do before;
- (unexpected) consequences / coincidences etc.

End / Conclusion