

TEXT F: Marching band

ANSWERS

a Where did Micah spend a year of school? 1 mark
the US

b How does Jaelyn show interest in what Micah is saying? Give **one** example of her language choice and **one** example of her delivery. 2 marks

Possible answers include:

- She uses an enthusiastic tone.
- She asks lots of questions.
- She says 'wow' and 'that's wonderful'.
- When he mentions the marching band, she tells him 'that sounds interesting'.

c Is Micah excited or bored by the marching band? How do you know? 3 marks

Micah is excited. His delivery changes so that he is more energetic and loud. He gives lots of information in his answers and tells Jaelyn that it was 'so much fun' and it was his favourite thing about high school.

d List **one** phrase from the text that describes a mellophonium. 1 mark

Possible answers include:

- a marching version of the French horn
- looks like a large, silver trumpet

e Micah tells Jaelyn about the events he attended with the marching band on Fridays and Saturdays. Complete the table below with the correct events. 2 marks

| | Friday | Saturday |
|---------------------|---------------|-------------|
| Marching band event | football game | competition |

f How does Micah describe the music he played? 1 mark
He describes the music as 'incredible'.