Exercise 1.9  Syllable counting – sentence length identification
(monosyllables, bisyllables and polysyllables)

Instructions read by the Speaker
I will say one of the following sentences. Please tell me which one, or point to the one I said. (Speaker randomly chooses which one to say.)

1  A  Don't ever give up.  4  A  Why is she underneath the table?
    B  I forgot to close the refrigerator.  B  It's my birthday on Monday.
    C  My friend plays the piano.  C  Good evening.
    D  There must be time.  D  Leave it all to me.

2  A  The party was fun.  5  A  The carpet is difficult to keep clean.
    B  I feel like a new person.  B  See you later.
    C  Summer days are usually hot.  C  It does not seem to be possible.
    D  Give me some tea.  D  Lunch is at one o'clock.

3  A  I can't understand you.  6  A  I feel fine.
    B  The floor is difficult to clean.  B  Can you figure it out?
    C  Does it seem possible?  C  They built a snowman.
    D  I had an incredible vacation.  D  Would you like a glass of cold lemonade?