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Presenter: This is Newsreel Easy. I'm Christine Demsteader. In today's programme:

- The astronaut who wants to inspire kids
- Swedes are the best at English
- And Justin Bieber walks out of an interview

Space inspiration

Presenter:

Tim Peake is an astronaut and he will go into space on December 15. He is the first British astronaut to go to the International Space Station.

He will be there for six months and do lots of experiments. He wants to inspire children to learn more about science and space travel. So even if you don't become an astronaut, he says there are lots of other exciting and interesting jobs in science and engineering.

Presenter:

Kids took part in a competition to design special food for Tim to eat, while he is in space. He is most looking forward to eating bacon sandwiches.

He says it's an exciting time for space travel, that's why he wants children to learn more about it. Listen to what he says.

Tim Peake:

"There's nothing to stop the school kids today from being amongst the first men and women to set foot on Mars in the future."

Presenter:

When he is in space, Tim will use social media to tell people what life is really like up there.

go into space resa ut i rymden

science vetenskap space travel rymdfärder engineering teknik

competition *tävling*

set foot on Mars beträda, gå på Mars





Minecraft teaches chemistry

Presenter:

A new computer game, which is like Minecraft, can help children to learn more about chemistry – and it could even be used in schools.

Students at a university in England made the game called Molcraft. Instead of using blocks to build things, players use molecules.

The makers of the game say it's a fun way to make chemistry easier for kids to understand. It's already being used in some schools in London.

chemistry *kemi*

blocks byggstenar build bygga molecules molekyler

Swedes best English speakers

Swedes are the best English speakers in the world. Well, they are the best out of countries where English is not the main language.

Sweden came first out of 70 countries. All Scandinavian countries did well. Denmark came third, Norway came fourth and Finland came fifth. It was the Netherlands that came second.

Countries in Scandinavia do well because children start learning English in school when they are young.

Three big European countries did not do very well. Spain, Italy and France were not in the top 20.

the main language huvudspråket

second andra third tredje fourth fjärde fifth femte



• Where's Justin?

Presenter:

Justin Bieber walked out of a radio interview in Spain. He was there to talk about his new song, called 'Sorry'.

The presenters were speaking Spanish but there was a translator to help Justin. Newspapers wrote that Justin walked out because no one spoke good English. Have a listen.

Translator: Sorry - this is Sorry – your last single?

Justin Bieber: New single

Translator: You are 21. Errr...why you say sorry?

Presenter:

The interview was filmed and it is on YouTube. Justin didn't say sorry before he left.

That's all from Newsreel Easy for now. Have a look at our quiz and questions. You can find them on the Newsreel pages of the website – ur.se – or go to our Facebook page - UR Engelska. Until next time, I'm Christine Demsteader, thanks for listening.

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