

ARBETSBLAD



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VOCABULARY LIST

Greta Thunberg Joins Extinction Rebellion

achieve	<i>uppnå</i>
demands	<i>krav</i>
designed	<i>utformade</i>
environmental activist	<i>miljöaktivist</i>
gathered	<i>samlades</i>

The Teenagers who Translate for Their Parents

migrating	<i>att migrera, flytta till</i>
challenges	<i>utmaningar</i>
depends on	<i>är beroende av</i>
settings	<i>sammanhang</i>
appointment	<i>tid (hos doktorn)</i>
surgery	<i>operationsavdelning</i>
recruit	<i>anställa</i>

Avicii's New Song SOS Is Released

is released	<i>har släppts</i>
committed suicide	<i>begick självmord</i>



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1) What is Extinction Rebellion?

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2) How do they protest to achieve their demands?

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3) What are they asking the UK government to do?

- a) To do more to stop climate change
- b) To sign a new climate change agreement now
- c) To accept Extinction Rebellion as a new party in the government

4) Which of the following statements is correct?

- a) Despite violent protests no one has been arrested
- b) Despite peaceful protests more than a thousand people have been arrested
- c) The peaceful protests in London have cost about a thousand pounds

5) What did Greta Thunberg do in London?

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6) What did Greta Thunberg say to a gathering crowd in London?

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The Teenagers Who Translate for Their Parents

7) In what way could migrating to a new country be a challenge?

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8) Why are these challenges easier for children?

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9) How does 14-year old Bayan Alwadi help her mother?

- a) She goes with her to the doctor because she doesn't know the language
- b) She goes with her to the dentist because she suffers from fear of dentists
- c) She goes with her mother to the doctor's office because she isn't capable to speak due to an illness

10. How many people in the UK speak little English?

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11) True or False? Circle the correct answer.

- a) If you don't speak the language it can be difficult in places like shops and restaurants. True / False
- b) Russian is the second biggest language in the UK. True / False
- c) At some hospitals they have to recruit workers who speak many different languages. True / False

Avicii's New Song SOS Is released

12) How come a new album from Avicii was released last month even though he died last year?

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13) How did he die?

- a) He died in a car accident
- b) He committed suicide
- c) He suffered from cancer and died in a hospital

10-minute Discussion

In the programme you heard about 14-year-old Bayan who helps her mother to learn English and she translates for her. Do you have any similar experiences? Do you help your parents, or do you know anyone who helps his/her parents with understanding Swedish? How important is it to learn the language which is spoken in the country where you live? Discuss pro and cons with not speaking Swedish when living in Sweden.

The Big Debate

Many people believe that life is like a bed of roses for a celebrity. In the programme you heard about Avicii. He was famous and found it hard to live his life in the spotlight. What do you think about being famous.? Are young people obsessed with becoming famous? Think of advantages and disadvantages of being famous. List 10 reasons why life could be hard for a celebrity.



Answers

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- 1) A non-violent direct-action group
- 2) The group uses strikes, demonstrations and protests
- 3) a
- 4) b
- 5) She went there to join the protesters
- 6) That they will never stop fighting for this planet (for themselves and for the future for everyone)

The Teenagers Who Translate for Their Parents

- 7) Since you need to learn a new language
- 8) They are able to go to school and therefore learn the language quickly
- 9) a
- 10) 750,000 people
- 11) A) True b) False c) True

Avicii's New Song SOS Is Released

- 12) Since Avicii died a team of writers and producers have been working on an album based on the work Avicii did before he died.
- 13) b