

NEWSREEL EASY



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Arbetsblad

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Vocabulary

Lip Filler Ban

to be harmed	att skadas
particularly	i synnerhet, särskilt
to pass out	att svimma

Whistleblower Attacks Facebook

mental health	psykisk hälsa
body image	kroppsuppfattning/kroppsbild
eating disorder	ätstörning
to put lives in danger	att riskera liv
claims	påståenden
profit/to profit	vinst/att tjäna
appealing	tilltalande

Billie Eilish

to headline	att vara huvudattraktionen
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Whilst Listening: Questions

Lip Filler Ban

1. Who can no longer have lip fillers in the UK?

2. Why do people get fillers?
 - a. They want to change their lips.
 - b. They want to change their shapes.
 - c. They have been harmed.
 - d. They have been injected.

3. What happened to Laura Brook?

Whistleblower Attacks Facebook

4. What did Frances Haugen tell politicians about Instagram?
 - a. It is a good place to share pictures.
 - b. It helps young people's mental health.
 - c. Young people don't like it.
 - d. It has negative side effects for young people.
5. Frances describes two kinds of posts on Facebook that put people's lives in danger. Name one of them.

6. How did Facebook react to this news?
 - a. It is not important to them.
 - b. They want to protect young people more.
 - c. They listened to the politicians.
 - d. They don't think they have done anything wrong.

7. What does Olivia say about overusing Instagram?

8. What is Olivia's advice for young people?
- a. Use more filters to make you feel happier.
 - b. Be realistic about promoting positivity.
 - c. Follow accounts that make you feel down.
 - d. Unfollow accounts that make you feel down.

Billie Eilish

9. Billie Eilish is...
- a. a British artist.
 - b. headlining at a festival in the UK.
 - c. the youngest artist.
 - d. announced as famous musician

After Listening: Discuss!

In the second news story, we learnt about the negative effects social media can have on young people.

Do you use social media? Which apps and websites do you use the most? Why?

What is good about social media?

What is bad about social media?

How does social media make you feel? Why?

Do you think social media can be dangerous? Why?

Discuss with a classmate!

After Listening: Debate!

In the first news story, we learnt that lip fillers are banned in the UK for under-18s. Fillers are a type of cosmetic surgery (skönhetsoperation). Some people choose to have cosmetic surgery to make themselves feel more attractive.

Pick a side and debate the topic with a classmate:

Cosmetic surgery is **good**. It should **not** be banned for anyone.

OR

Cosmetic surgery is **bad**. It should be banned for everyone.

These words and phrases may help you

I think (that)

On the one hand

I believe (that)

On the other hand,...

I reckon

In my opinion

If you ask me

As far as I know

I agree

In the news story, we heard...

I disagree

It seems to me that...

After Listening: Write!

In the third news story, we learnt that Billie Eilish is headlining the famous music festival Glastonbury. There is a competition to win tickets for Glastonbury, one for you and one for your best friend. Write a competition entry.

Include the following information:

- Describe your best friend.
- Describe your friendship with your best friend
- What do you do together?
- Why are you such good friends?
- Describe what you would do if you won the tickets.

Answers

1. under 18s
2. a.
3. her treatment went wrong /her lip filled with blood / her lip was black / she almost passed out/fainted
4. d.
5. Posts about negative body image / eating disorders.
6. d.
7. (it's) unproductive.
8. d.
9. b.