

NEWSREEL EASY



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Arbetsblad

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Vocabulary

Huge Shortage of Lorry Drivers

to deliver	att leverera
goods	varor
produce	(jordbruks)produkter
shortage	brist
poultry	fågelkött: kyckling, kalkon etc
likelihood	sannolikhet

Lobbying to Weaken Climate Report

to tackle	att hantera
fossil fuels	fossila bränslen: kol, olja etc
to be confident	<i>här:</i> trygg

Adele's New Album

to go easy on someone	att vara snäll mot någon
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Whilst Listening: Questions

1. Why might there be food shortages in the UK?
2. What is the situation in Kate's local supermarket?
 - a. Shelves are full of produce.
 - b. There are a lot of surprises.
 - c. The vegetables were not fresh.
3. What does Graeme say about the turkeys this Christmas?
4. True or false?
 - The UN needs to change its latest report about climate change.
5. True or false?
 - The COP26 meeting is in Scotland.
6. What does Evie say?
 - a. Countries don't listen to scientists anymore.
 - b. Scientists ignore what countries want to do.
 - c. Countries are paying more attention to scientists nowadays.
7. What does Mia think we should do to make a difference to the climate crisis?
8. What did we learn about Adele's new track?
 - a. It is called Easy on Me.
 - b. Adele is 30 years old.
 - c. It's very popular
 - d. Adele's album came out at the end of last month.

After Listening: Discuss!

In the second news story, we learnt about climate change and what to do about it.

What do you do for the environment?

Can you do more things? Give examples.

What do you know about climate change?

Do you think we can do more for the environment? What things can we do?

Discuss with a classmate!

After Listening: Debate!

In the second news story, we learnt about climate change and how different people can solve the problems. Do you think it should be an individual choice or do you think governments should decide? Who is responsible?

Pick a side and debate the topic with a classmate:

Individual people are
responsible.

OR

Governments are responsible.

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 first news story, we learnt that people in the UK are worried about not being able to buy turkeys for Christmas. Turkey is a part of Christmas for many families in the UK. Some people celebrate Christmas differently.

Write a text in which you answer these questions!

What is a traditional Swedish Christmas?

Do you celebrate Christmas?

How does your family celebrate Christmas?

Would you like to celebrate Christmas when you are older?

Answers

1. Because of Brexit / There are not enough lorry drivers
2. c.
3. There will/may be a shortage
4. False
5. True
6. c.
7. Educate (ourselves) / education /learning
8. a.