

NEWSREEL EASY



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Arbetsblad

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Vocabulary

Early Spring

spring	våren
snowdrop	snödroppe
daffodil	påsklilja
frogspawn	groddagg
litter	skräp

LGBT+ Month

to take place	att äga rum
to gather	att samlas
non-binary	icke-binär
proud	stolt
infectious	smittsam
issue	problem
achievement	framgång, åstadkommanden*
contribution	bidrag

The Brit Awards

Gender neutral	könsneutral
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Whilst Listening: Questions

Early Spring

1. Scientists have found three signs that spring is coming earlier than usual. Name **one** of them.
2. How might plants and animals react to these changes?
3. Give **one** example of what you can do to help animals and nature.

LGBT+ Month

4. What happened 50 years ago in the UK?
5. What does “coming out” mean, according to Carrie?
 - a. Being happy with who you are.
 - b. Telling everyone you are gay.
 - c. Being proud of who you are.
 - d. Special moments.
6. What did Carrie say about Pride march they went to in York?
7. What does Daniel think is important during Pride?
 - a. Wearing rainbow colours.
 - b. Partying and marching in the streets.
 - c. Just thinking about the achievements of LGBT+ people.
 - d. Celebrating the great things, remembering the problems.

The Brit Awards

8. Who won Song of the Year and Album of the Year at the Brit awards?
9. What is different about the Brit awards this year?

After Listening: Discuss!

In the second news story, we learnt that February is LGBT+ History Month.

- Why do you think LGBT+ History Month is important?
- How do you think young LGBT+ people feel about Pride?
- Have you ever been to a Pride parade? How was it?
- Do you think young people can be bullied for being LGBT+?
- What can you do to stop the bullying?

Discuss with a classmate!

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

After Listening: Write!

In the first news story, we heard about how global warming is changing plants' and animals' behaviour.

An online magazine for young people has asked you to write a blog post. They want you to encourage young people to do something to help animals and nature. Write a short blog post giving other young people tips about how to be more friendly to the environment. These questions might help you:

- What is the problem with climate change and global warming?
- Why is it important to do things to be friendly environment?
- What easy things can individuals do to help stop climate change?
- Can you think of other things individuals can do to help stop climate change?
- ...

After Listening: Find Out More!

In the third news story, we learnt about Adele winning two awards at the Brit Awards. Find out more about the Brit Awards.

Here are some things you could find out about:

- When was the first Brit Awards?
- Who hosted the Brit Awards this year?
- Who won Best International Song this year?
- Who won British Album of the Year 2021?
- Who won British Single of the Year 2021?
- Who hosted the Brit Awards in 2021?

Answers

1. Snowdrops/daffodils blooming early, frogspawn coming/appearing early
2. Plants and animals/they (might) find the changes difficult; difficult for them/plants and animals
3. (leave out) fresh water and food, feed the birds, put litter in the bin
4. (the) first Pride (march)
5. c.
6. It was fun/infectious
7. d.
8. Adele
9. It was gender neutral / there were no male and female categories.