

# NEWSREEL EASY



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### Arbetsblad

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### Vocabulary

#### Food Prices Rise

to rise rise – risen - risen	att öka ökar – ökade – ökat
The United Nations (UN)	Förenta Nationerna (FN)
wheat	vete
crops	skördar
global supply	globalt utbud

#### Climate Protests in London

campaigners	<i>Här:</i> demonstranter
governments	regeringar
headquarters	huvudkontor
terrified	livrädd
frankly	“för att vara ärlig”
emergency	nödsituation

#### The World's Best and Worst Smells

smell	lukt
disgusting	vidrig

## Whilst Listening: Questions

### Food Prices Rise

1. Why does the UN think that food prices are rising?
2. Farmers in the Ukraine...
  - a. have left the country.
  - b. can't do their job.
  - c. are worried.
  - d. are working hard.
3. David Beasley thinks that this could lead to...
  - a. problems for the whole world.
  - b. problems for the Ukrainian economy.
  - c. growing and selling more crops.
  - d. more planting and harvesting in the future.

### Climate Protests in London

4. What do Extinction Rebellion want governments to do?
5. What does Extinction Rebellion think people should stop using?
6. How does Buddy feel about the situation now?
7. How does Buddy feel about the future?
8. Why was Otter at the protest?
  - a. She thinks climate change is an emergency.
  - b. She is hopeful about the future.
  - c. She has the power to change the future.
  - d. She is worried about the economic consequences.

### The World's Best and Worse Smells

9. Scientists found out that the best smells...
  - a. Are apple juice and peaches.
  - b. Are freshly baked bread and freshly cut grass.
  - c. Are the same in different cultures.

## After Listening: Discuss!

In the first news story, we learnt about food prices rising because of the war in Ukraine. It is going to be hard for Ukrainian farmers to grow and sell their crops. Nobody wants to live in a world with war, so discuss with a classmate and work out what your ideal world would be like. Give examples!

- What is your ideal world?
- What would be the laws in your ideal world?
- Who would be in charge in your ideal world?
- What would school be like in your ideal world?
- What would working life be like in your ideal world?

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 second news story, we learnt people from the UK protesting around London.

An online magazine for young people has asked you to write an article about how you personally feel about climate change.

These questions can help

- Is climate change important to you? Why?
- Have you ever taken part in a demonstration or protest? If not, would you like to? Why?
- What should governments do to deal with climate change? Give examples!
- What should individuals do to deal with climate change? Give examples!
- In an ideal world, what would we do to prevent the climate from changing?
- ...

## After Listening: Find Out More!

In the final news story, we learnt about scientists researching the best and worse smells. Do some of your own research online and find out more about the best and worse smells.

### Here are some things you could find out about:

- How did the scientists carry out the study?
- How many people were included?
- What were the least pleasant smells?
- What are the next steps in the study?
- Why do scientists think it is important to be able to sniff out bad smells?

## Answers

1. Because of the war in Ukraine
2. b.
3. a.
4. more (to stop global warming)
5. fossil fuels
6. she is terrified / it is scary
7. time is running out / it does not look good / it is scary
8. a.
9. c.