# **NEWSREEL**



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# **Arbetsblad**

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# Vocabulary

### Single-Use Vapes

council kommun, kommunfullmäktige to call for att kräva, att begära

harmful skadlig rubbish dumps soptipp

recycling centre återvinningscentral

#### **Problems for Ballet School Students**

eating disorder ätstörning
particularly i synnerhet
mental health problems psykisk ohälsa

to treat att hantera, att behandla legal action rättsliga åtgärder

issues problem
horrific fasansfull
profound djupgående, ingående

thin smal, mager

to speak up att säga vad en tycker, att yttra sig

### Music News

bittersweet bitterljuv, bittersöt tune bitterljuv, bittersöt

# Whilst Listening: Questions

### Single-use Vapes

- 1. Why do some people want to ban single-use vapes?
  - a. They are bad for you.
  - b. They are being used by young people.
  - c. They are dangerous to dispose of.
- 2. What happens with single-use vapes at rubbish dumps?
- 3. Scott Butler says that other than being dangerous to throw away, single-use vapes...
  - a. are unhealthy.
  - b. are bad for the environment.
  - c. are possibly a bad consumer product.

#### **Problems for Ballet School Students**

- 4. Some former ballet school students developed mental health problems because...
- 5. How does Ellen Elphick feel about what happened to her?
  - a. She is trying to forget her past.
  - b. She is struggling to live her life.
  - c. She is trying to get him from lawyers.
- 6. What does Caitlin say about body shaming?
  - a. It can ruin your life.
  - b. It is normal for dancers.
  - c. It makes sure people stay fit and healthy.
- 7. How does Christian feel about dancers speaking up about their experiences?
- 8. What has changed, according to Caitlin? *People are more listened to, especially...*

#### Music News

- 9. What is special about the song *Bittersweet Goodbye* by Issey Cross? *It uses...*
- 10. What do a quarter of all songs in the UK Top 40 use?

# After Listening: Discuss!

In the second news story, we found out about bullying and body shaming happening in a ballet school. Discuss with a classmate!

Do you think bullying happens in your school? Why or why not?

Why do some people bully others?

Can anything good come out of bullying? Why or why not?

Do you think body shaming happens in your school? Why or why not?

How can we stop bullying from happening in schools?

How can you help someone who is being bullied?

### 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 about bullying and body shaming happening at a ballet school in the UK. Write a short blog post about bullying and what people can do to make it stop. Your conversation in the previous discussion task may help.

### These prompts may help you:

- Why does bullying happen?
- What are the dangers of bullying and body shaming?
- What can young people do to stop bullying from happening?
- What can teachers do to stop bullying from happening?
- What can parents and other adults do to stop bullying from happening?

- ...

# After Listening: Find Out More!

In the third news story, we heard about Issey Cross' song *Bittersweet Goodbye*. Issey Cross is part of the Now it's your turn: Find out about <u>Issey Cross!</u>

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

Where was Issey Cross born? What other songs did Issey Cross release in 2023?

What music collective is she part of? What is special about this music collective?

When did she start making music? What kind of college did she go to?

## **Answers**

- 1. c.
- 2. they catch fire / they burn
- 3. b.
- 4. of how they were treated / they were bullied / they were body shamed
- 5. b.
- 6. a.
- 7. he thinks it's cool / positive.
- 8. young women / girls.
- 9. samples
- 10. bits of old tunes / samples from older songs.