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Reading

Bob Burn, a professional Brazilian skateboarder, is always looking for exciting places to skateboard. One of these places was on Lake Tahoe in California. But how can you skateboard on a lake? Easy! You build a ramp that is like a boat!

It took Burn and his team only four days to build the ramp. The enormous structure weighed 3,311 kilograms and moved slowly around on the water. Burn posted a video on YouTube, so you can see his amazing moves on the ramp. During the filming, the skateboard often fell into the lake.

But that wasn't a problem. There was a diver, and he swam underwater to get it. The end of the video is funny, because Burn skates off the ramp and jumps into the water with his skateboard.

Burn loved skateboarding at the beautiful location. Now, he wants to build a skateboarding ramp on the water near his home in Brazil.

1 Read the text. Then complete the fact file. (5 points)

About Burn

1 Full name: *Bob Burn*

2 Nationality: _____

3 Profession: _____

About the ramp

4 Location: _____

5 Building time: _____

6 Weight: _____

2 Answer the questions. (15 points)

1 What did the ramp look like? _____

2 What often happened to the skateboard during filming? _____

3 What word describes the end of the video on YouTube? _____

4 What does Burn do at the end of the video? _____

5 What are Burn's future plans? _____

Listening

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1 Listen to the conversation between Lara and Penny and choose the correct answer. (10 points)

1 Ellen is Penny's **sister** / **cousin**.

2 Penny is travelling to Edinburgh by **bus** / **train**.

3 Penny can't go **snowboarding** / **ice skating** in Scotland.

4 Penny **needs** / **doesn't need** warm clothes for her trip to Scotland.

5 Tomorrow, Penny is going to wear **black jeans** / **a red shirt**.

2 Listen again and answer the questions. (10 points)

1 Where does Ellen live? _____

2 Who is Ellen's sister? _____

3 How old is Ellen? _____

4 What are Penny's cousins doing in the picture? _____

5 What colour is Lara's sweater? _____