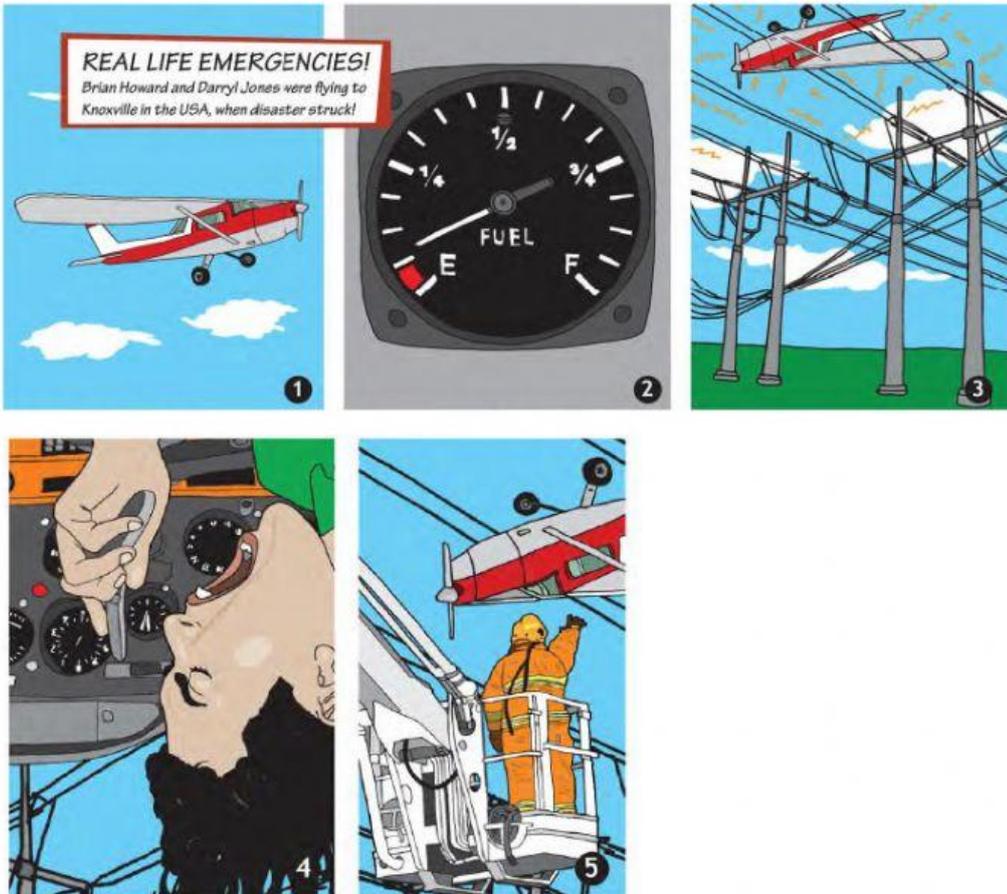


NARRATIVE ADVERBS



1) Listening and vocabulary:

Look at the pictures that show the true story of what happened to two young men. Match the words and phrases to the pictures.

A crane: Picture ____

To run out of fuel: Picture ____

Firemen: Picture ____

Power lines carrying electricity: Picture ____

Sparks: Picture ____

A two-seater plane: Picture ____

To land upside-down: Picture ____

To call for help: Picture ____

2) Listen to the story and write "T" for true or "F" for False in the box.

- 1 They ran out of fuel at the beginning of the journey.
- 2 The plane crashed into some trees.
- 3 The firemen arrived quite quickly.
- 4 They rescued the two men immediately.
- 5 Brian isn't going to give up flying.

3) **Check the Words2Know. Listen and repeat so you can practice the pronunciation of these words.**

Words 2 know 3.31

a few minutes later at first eventually
fortunately unfortunately meanwhile finally
suddenly after that in the end immediately

4) **Now read the sentences and choose the correct option. Then, listen and check.**

- 1 *In the end/Suddenly*, the engine stopped.
- 2 *At first/Fortunately*, I didn't know what had happened, but *eventually/meanwhile* I realised we had hit some power lines.
- 3 *Fortunately/Unfortunately*, Darryl managed to find his cell phone and he called for help.
- 4 *At first/After that*, we just sat there and waited.
- 5 *Unfortunately/A few minutes later*, the firemen arrived.
- 6 *Meanwhile/At first*, the weather conditions were getting worse.
- 7 We were in the plane for six hours but a crane arrived *immediately/in the end*.
- 8 *At first/Finally*, the door opened and we just fell out of the plane.

5) **Complete the jokes with the words in the box.**

[a few hours later ✓ eventually fortunately
unfortunately]

A man went into hospital to have his leg removed. ¹ *A few hours later*, he woke up. A doctor was standing by the bed.

'I have good news and bad news,' said the doctor. 'The bad news is ² _____ we removed the wrong leg.'

There was a very long silence: ³ _____ the man asked the doctor for the good news.

⁴ _____, the other leg is getting better,' said the doctor with a smile.

[after first immediately in the end suddenly]

The boss of a firm was working late. ⁵ _____ he remembered he had to give a thirty minute speech the following day. So he asked his secretary to write the speech for him. But the speech was very long and boring. After he'd finished giving it, he ⁶ _____ called his secretary.

'That speech was an hour long,' he said angrily. 'At ⁷ _____ everything was okay: for half an hour everyone seemed happy. But ⁸ _____ that people started to get bored. ⁹ _____ everyone fell asleep.' 'It was a thirty minute speech,' replied the secretary, 'But I gave you two copies.'