



Zoom in

1 Work in pairs and answer the questions.

- Which famous people are in the news at the moment? Why?
- Describe a Ukrainian celebrity without giving the name. Can your partner guess who it is?

KNOW YOUR PHRASES

- The person I admire most these days is an American actress Angelina Jolie.
- My favourite celebrity of all time is Madonna.
- She is making headlines at the moment because she's adopted a child.
- There's a lot about him in the newspapers right now because he's had a plastic surgery.
- She's very fashionable.
- He's got long dark hair.
- He's been in lots of films.
- She's done a lot of work for charity.
- The thing I most like about her is her engagement in fighting the poverty in Africa.
- I have a lot of respect for this person because she's using her fame and money to help others.
- I think he may be admired / remembered most for being a Goodwill Ambassador of UNICEF in the future.
- I believe she'll get an Oscar for the best actress next year.

Activate

2 Скажи, що:

- Райан Гослінг твій улюблений кумир.
- Ти дуже поважаєш свою маму.
- Те, що тобі найбільше подобається в Лео Мессі, це його скромність.
- Джастін Тімберлейк - це найпривабливіша людина, яку ти коли-небудь бачив/бачила.
- Ти захоплюєшся Анджеліною Джолі за її благодійну діяльність.

Practise

GET SMARTER

Перед написанням роботи уважно прочитай завдання і підкресли інформацію, яку необхідно передати. Кожна комунікативна умова завдання може складатися з однієї або двох частин. Пам'ятай, що у твоєму висловлюванні не можна пропускати жодного елемента, згаданого в завданні. Пиши чітко за темою, щоб не втратити бали за зміст. Намагайся написати більше 100 слів.

3 Read the instructions in the bullet point and two sample paragraphs below. Which answer is better? Why?

- Write about your favourite celebrity and explain why there is a lot about him/her in the media.

A

I'm writing about my favourite celebrity, Angelina Jolie. She's often in the news because of her great acting. But she has recently been in the newspapers because she had an operation and she wanted everyone to know about it and not to worry if it happened to them.

B

My favourite celebrity is Angelina Jolie. She started making movies a long time ago. She acts very well and she also married one of my favourite actors, Brad Pitt. Everyone remembers Brad from films like 'Fight Club' and 'Seven' and he still makes films now. He used to be married to Jennifer Anniston, who was in the hit TV show 'Friends', but they broke up and then he met Angelina on the set of another film and they got married.



E-mail

EXAM TASK

4 Write an E-mail to your E-pal about your favourite celebrity.

- introduce the celebrity and explain why he/she is popular,
- describe his/her appearance and personality,
- explain why you admire him/her and ask your friend whether he/she has a favourite celebrity.

Write your E-mail in at least 100 words in an appropriate style.

Hi Sue! I'm writing to you because I wanted to tell you about my favourite celebrities.

That's all from me. Take care and write soon!
XYZ

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Zoom in

1 Which celebrities have been in the news recently for behaving badly? What did they do?

KNOW YOUR PHRASES

- I feel very strongly that *celebrities should behave decently.*
- In my opinion, they shouldn't *show disrespect for their fans.*
- I definitely believe that *he shouldn't have behaved like that.*
- The first thing he did was to *laugh at his teenage fans.*
- He followed that by *insulting his manager.*
- It's hard to believe but *then he walked out of the award ceremony.*

Activate

2 Скажи, що:

- 1 на твою думку, знаменитості повинні бути взірцем для наслідування для молоді.
- 2 перше, що ти зробив/зробила сьогодні, - це прийняв/прийняла душ.
- 3 потім швидко з'їв/з'їла сніданок.
- 4 важко в це повірити, але ти ніколи не їв/їла суп з помідорів.
- 5 Останнім часом Джастін Бібер погано поводить в громадських місцях.



Practise

EXTENDED

GET SMARTER

Важливим елементом кожної статті є влучний заголовок - короткий, привертаючий погляд і заохочуючий до подальшого читання.

3 Read the tasks and choose the most suitable titles. Explain your answers.

- 1 An article about the advantages and disadvantages of being famous.
 - A A difficult life
 - B The fame game
 - C A lot of responsibility
- 2 An article about the value of TV talent shows that promote new singers and musicians.
 - A How valuable are TV talent shows?
 - B Value for money?
 - C Stars in their eyes?

PRACTICE TASK An article

4 Read the task. Choose the most suitable title for your article from the answers (A-C) below.

A well-known film star has behaved inappropriately on an important award ceremony. Write an article for your school website. Describe what happened and give your personal view on whether celebrities have responsibility towards young people nowadays. Provide examples to support your view.

- A A good example?
- B A night to remember!
- C The front page – again!

Write your article in at least 100 words in an appropriate style.

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