

"My name's Marco. I want to be a chef. I've worked in my family's restaurant since I was young. Last summer, I was in a local cooking competition. I haven't been on any cooking shows yet, but I'd love to try. My favourite chef is Gordon Ramsay. I've watched all his cooking programs. He started his career very young and has always focused on learning and teaching others. When he was twenty-six, he became the head chef at Aubergine restaurant. Since then, he's opened many successful restaurants. I really admire his charity work too. He's helped many young chefs learn the trade. He's also supported food education programs in schools. That's something I'd like to do someday too."

**a Circle True or False:**

- Marco works in his family's restaurant. (True / False)
- Marco has been on TV cooking shows. (True / False)
- Gordon Ramsay is Marco's favourite chef. (True / False)
- Marco doesn't want to teach others about cooking. (True / False)

**b Match the beginnings and endings:**

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|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Marco has worked...         | a) many restaurants           |
| 2. He hasn't been...           | b) in his family's restaurant |
| 3. He has watched...           | c) on TV shows                |
| 4. Gordon Ramsay has opened... | d) all Gordon's programs      |

**c Complete the story. Fill in the gaps using these words:**

**actress   ■   win   ■   see friends   ■   ride a horse   ■   karate**

Sara dreams of becoming an \_\_\_\_\_. After school, she likes to \_\_\_\_\_ at the local youth club. Her brother Tom wants to \_\_\_\_\_ a competition in \_\_\_\_\_. On weekends, they both love to \_\_\_\_\_ at their grandparents' farm.

**d Match the English phrases with their Czech translations:**

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|-----------------|------------------------|
| 1. be in a film | a) tábor pro uprchlíky |
| 2. hero         | b) závodní dráha       |
| 3. refugee camp | c) být ve filmu        |
| 4. racetrack    | d) od té doby          |
| 5. since then   | e) hrdina              |

**e Choose the correct word to make true sentences. When finished, try to translate each sentence to Czech.**

- 1 The **championship / actress** takes place at the **refugee camp / racetrack**.
- 2 Many people at the **refugee camp/Grand Prix** need help from the **United Nations / Formula One**.
- 3 **Since then / Go-karting** is often how future **heroes / drugs** of racing start their career.