

warm-up

A. Watch Part A. Then match the words with the pictures.

1. deaf ☐ 2. blind ☐ 3. touch ☐
4. taste ☐ 5. smell ☐ 6. sign language ☐



while watching

B. Watch Part B. What is the video about? Tick the correct option.

1. Helen Keller's home life ☐
2. the people in Helen Keller's life ☐
3. Helen Keller's famous school and university ☐

C. Watch Part B again. Match the events to the years. There is one extra year that you do not need to use.



1. Helen met Alexander Graham Bell.
2. Anne Sullivan started to teach Helen Keller.
3. Helen Keller finished university.
4. Polly Thomson died.
5. Helen Keller met Mark Twain.

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a. 1895

c. 1960

e. 1914

b. 1904

d. 1886

f. 1887

D. Watch Part B again. Write T for True or F for False.

1. Helen Keller became deaf and blind when she was 19 months old.
2. Alexander Graham Bell taught Helen how to use sign language.
3. Anne Sullivan worked at Perkins School for the Blind.
4. Helen learnt words through touch, taste and smell.
5. Polly worked with Helen before Anne.
6. Helen was good friends with a famous writer.

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after watching

E. Think of a person from the past or present who has influenced others and present this person to the class.

- Who is this person?
- What does/did he/she do? How has he/she influenced people?
- How has this person changed your life?

