

VOCABULARY

Expressions with *name*

1 Match the underlined expressions with the definitions.

- 1 Tony Hawk is a big name in skateboarding.
 - 2 He's upset because some of the other kids call him names.
 - 3 Jay-Z isn't his real name – it's his stage name.
 - 4 Fish, meat, vegetables, fruit – you name it, I eat it.
 - 5 Look! It's what's-his-name / what's-her-name.
 - 6 We want to get married, but we haven't named the day yet.
 - 7 I know you don't want to do the exams, but it's the name of the game for university entry.
 - 8 He made a name for himself as a great actor.
- a decide the date of an event, often a wedding
 - b someone whose name I can't remember
 - c the most important part of something
 - d a person who is important or famous in their profession
 - e a name that a person (usually an actor or a singer) uses in their profession
 - f use rude names about, or to, a person
 - g become known or respected by many people
 - h anything you say (or choose)

2 Complete the missing word(s).

- 1 She's been to Europe, Asia and Australia – you _____, she's been there!
- 2 Hard work is the _____ of _____ if you want to do well in your exams.
- 3 My uncle's a doctor. He's a _____ in the field of cancer research.
- 4 Some of her classmates _____ her _____. It's horrible for her.
- 5 You're engaged? That's wonderful! When are you going to _____ day?
- 6 Oh look! There's _____-his-_____ – you know, that boy who lives in your street.
- 7 She made _____ for _____ on a reality TV show and became a famous singer.
- 8 Bruno Mars is the _____ name of Pete Gene Hernandez.