

52 ACTIVITIES IN 52 WEEKS!

Libby Segal, a writer from Pennsylvania, USA, usually watches DVDs and plays computer games. But she hates being bored, and that's why she's doing something very unusual at the moment.

This year, Libby's doing 52 new activities – one for every week of the year! But these aren't 'normal' activities such as concerts and shopping. Libby wants to try some very unusual things such as parkour, pottery and tai chi. But isn't she getting tired? The answer is a definite 'no'.

At the moment she's learning new **skills** and meeting some amazing people.

She's also learning to **deal with** some of her biggest **fears**. She did skydive last week, and she's not afraid of **heights** anymore! Last month she also sang in public on the New York **subway**.

One thing's for sure: right now, Libby's having the best time of her life.

Answer these questions.

1. Why is Libby doing lots of new activities?

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2. What is Libby's job and where is she from?

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3. What does Libby usually watch and play?

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4. Find three activities she wants to try.

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5. Apart from meeting new people, what else is Libby learning?

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6. Match the pictures with the activities from the text.



7. Match the words in bold in the text with the definitions.

Meaning	Word
a. Things you are afraid of	
b. High places	
c. Control successfully	
d. Things that you can do	
e. American word for underground train	

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