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WSLR PROGRAMME

Reading

Worksheet NO.13

1- Read the following passage and answer the questions:

A lucky escape

This is Jack Botter, a polish man in his thirties. In 2011, he was working in the UK and living in a flat opposite a furniture store in London. On the evening of August 8th, he smelt something burning while he was sitting in his flat. The furniture store was on fire and so was the building he lived in. When he tried to run down the stairs, thick black smoke was blocking the way. He couldn't escape, so he ran to the window at the front and shouted for help.

When professional photographer Alex Weston arrived at the scene, some people were standing near the burning buildings. They kept in shouting: 'jump!'. Alex looked up and saw a man sitting on the edge of the window. It was Jack Botter. Suddenly he jumped. At the moment, while Jack was falling through the air, Alex took his photo.

Fortunately, a policeman caught Jack in his arms and he wasn't injured. However, firefighters couldn't put out the fire and the furniture store burned down. The next day, Jack's incredible story was in the headlines and Alex's dramatic photo was in the front page of the national newspapers.

(A) Answer the following questions:

- 1- What's Jack Botter's Job?
- 2- Who caught Jack in his arms?
- 3- Why couldn't Jack escape?
- 4- Did Alex take a Photo of Jack while he was falling through the air?

(B) Find words or phrases from the passage for the definitions:

- 1- Physical hurt.....
- 2- A shop that sells sofas, tables and chairs.

(C) Choose the correct answer:

- 1- Jack had a
a-holiday in America b-job in a large shop c-job in London
- 2- Alex had a with him when he was standing in the street.
a-camera b-pen c-knife

(D) Write (T) true or (F) false :

- 1- Jack Botter is 32 years old. ()
- 2- Alex's dramatic photo was in the front page of the international newspapers. ()

