

	<b>Grammar Quiz # 2</b>		Unit # 1
	Grammar	Date: Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March , 2022	
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Objective:			

Read the article below about unusual teenagers. Find out why the writer thinks the two teenagers are amazing.

8 marks

## INCREDIBLE TEENAGERS

People are always saying that teenagers are lazy. But here are two teenagers that are currently proving them wrong.

**Laura Decker** is an amazing young woman. Why? In 2012, she fulfilled her dream of sailing around the world alone. She was 14 when she left and her amazing journey took almost two years.



This route around the world covers over 40,000 km and so a trip like this needs a lot of courage, as well as knowledge. She faced many difficulties: six-metre high waves, the possibility of pirates, flying fish, whales, and being alone for weeks while on a very basic diet. In fact, many people, including the Dutch authorities, said that Laura's trip was too dangerous for someone so young; they believed that she should be stopped.

Laura now lives in New Zealand and she makes deliveries on her boat to earn money. Following her adventure, she sometimes gives talks to people about her experiences and she often travels. But she only occasionally leaves her boat, Guppy. She has also written an autobiography and at the moment she is doing several book tours. Laura seemed quite a shy person before her adventure, but it looks as if she is gradually becoming more confident. Her ambition is to become a captain on a big ship, so that she can always live on water.

People don't usually think of teenage boys as very hard-working and determined. But **Jordan Romero** is not a typical teenage boy. When he was 13, he climbed Mount Everest, the highest mountain in the world. Not only that, but he also climbed the tallest peaks on seven continents before he was 16. He is still the youngest person ever to do so and he holds the world record.

Like Laura, he encountered difficulties with the authorities before he left, with some experts questioning if he was mentally mature enough to make the climb. But he has shown that he is not only mature, but also incredibly reliable and dedicated.

He is now raising money to build a primary school in Malawi and he often travels around the US to tell his story and to encourage children to do more outdoor activities. He published his second book in 2014 and is also travelling around the world doing signings. As if that isn't enough, he often posts advice and help for other climbers on his website, and it looks like there is much more to come from this inspirational teen.



I. Are the statements True (T) or False (F)?

1. Laura was a teenager when she started an amazing journey.
2. Laura went into the ocean and faced many problems.
3. Laura now lives in Australia and she makes deliveries to get some money.
4. Everyone was happy about Laura and Jordan's adventures.
5. Jordan encourage children in his travels to US.
6. Jordan helps for other climbers on his blog.
7. Jordan is the oldest person ever to do and he holds the world record.
8. At the moment, Jordan is asking money for giving them to poor children.

Put the verbs in the correct columns.

4 marks

appear • believe • belong • feel • hate • have  
hear • know • like • look • love • mean • need  
own • prefer • remember • see • seem • smell  
sound • think • understand • want

4 marks

feeling	thinking	of the senses	possession
hate	believe	appear	belong

Read the text. Find and correct four mistakes.

4 marks

I've got a lovely dog called Mutt. He is looking sweet, but when a stranger comes to the door, he often barks and is sounding really unfriendly. After a long walk in the rain, he doesn't smell very nice! His long ears feel soft and his nose is usually wet. When he is hearing my parents' car, he runs to the window. He's always seeming to know when they are coming.



#### GRAMMAR CHALLENGE

7 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs given. Decide if the verbs describe a state (S) or an action (A).

- 1 She's smelling (smell) the flowers in the garden. A
- 2 You seem thoughtful. What ..... (think) about?
- 3 I ..... (look) for my football socks. Do you know where they are?
- 4 This sandwich ..... (taste) delicious. What's in it?
- 5 She ..... (look) very pretty in that top.
- 6 My dog ..... (weigh) 10 kg, but he's only a puppy.
- 7 I ..... (think) you need a bigger pair of shoes.
- 8 Don't worry. I won't eat it all! I ..... (taste) it, that's all.
- 9 Petra ..... (weigh) some flour and butter for the cake.