

Lesson E Writing

A Read the personal description. Answer the questions.

The man in the photo is Brian Skerry. He is from the United States. He is a photographer. He is a National Geographic Explorer. He takes pictures of sperm whales. He is not a scientist. He takes photos to help scientists research and learn about sperm whales. He travels all over the world to take pictures of the whales.



1. What is his name? _____
2. Where is he from? _____
3. What is his job? _____

B Look at the photo and read the paragraph in A again. Write sentences about Brian Skerry's job using these adjectives.

1. easy _____
2. difficult _____
3. dangerous _____
4. boring _____
5. interesting _____
6. safe _____

C Circle the correct words to complete the sentences. In one sentence, both options are correct.

1. Brian Skerry is a photographer, *and* / *but* not a scientist.
2. He is a photographer *and* / *but* a National Geographic Explorer.
3. He is from the United States *and* / *but* he travels all over the world.
4. He takes photos *and* / *but* helps scientists.
5. Scientists research *and* / *but* learn about sperm whales.

Conjunctions

And is for extra information.

But is for different information.

D Complete the description of Brian Skerry with the words in the box.

and but dangerous interesting

The man in the photo is Brian Skerry. He is from the United States. He is a photographer (1) _____ a National Geographic Explorer. He takes pictures of sperm whales. His job is (2) _____ but (3) _____. He works with scientists, (4) _____ he isn't a scientist. He takes photos to help scientists research and learn about sperm whales.