

Man Flies Out of the Car



Before listening work with some new words

to overtake - when a car passes another car that is driving slower than it is

to scatter - to throw around

debris - pieces of something that are left after it has been destroyed

a dash cam - a camera on a dashboard - the flat front area in front of the driver

to flip over - to turn over quickly in the air

to hurl - to throw quickly

a rag doll - a soft doll made from pieces of cloth

influence - power

Read the sentences and complete the with the words above

1. Some demonstrators started to _____ bricks into the policemen.
2. Syria had the opportunity to extend its _____ in the region.
3. At the sound of gunfire, the crowd _____ in all directions.
4. Before you start to _____, make sure the road is clear ahead of you.
5. She was wearing old dirty clothes, she looked like a _____.
6. The beach was littered with the _____.
7. The _____ on his car was broken, so he didn't have any evidence of what had happened on the road.
8. He was driving at a very high speed, when his truck _____ several times and fell off the bridge.

Match the synonyms

influence

to scatter

a rag doll

debris

to hurl

to flip over

to overtake

a dash cam

a cloth doll

to go past

to turn over

to throw

to spread out

junk

an onboard camera

power

Listen to the news. Then write if the sentences are TRUE or FALSE.

1. A pickup truck lost control at a high speed while passing by the village. _____
2. The dash cam in the car didn't record the incident. _____
3. The passenger flew out of the truck front window. _____
4. The truck driver didn't get hurt. _____
5. The passenger didn't survive. _____
6. There were not many cars along the road at the time of the accident. _____
7. They said on the news that the driver might be under the influence of alcohol. _____

Now listen to the news again and put the sentences in order.

incredibly, the flying man survived with only broken bones and is said to be in a stable condition
the local media reported that the driver may have been under the influence of alcohol
at the time of the accident there was little traffic along the road so no other vehicles were involved
then you can see the driver getting out of the truck when it finally comes to a stop
the dash cam in the car which the truck overtook captured the incident
and running towards his passenger
a pickup truck lost control at a high speed while overtaking
flipped over around six times, and scattered debris and tyres across the road and grass
he hurled into the air like a rag doll from a side window before landing on the road
including the moment that the passenger flew out of the truck

Ask 5 questions to the news article
