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Modern Family S2 Ep 21

goals



target vocabulary: sensitive to, tear up, show up, man up, go up, drive up the wall,

Match words 1-6 with the definitions (a-f)

1. sensitive to
2. man up
3. tear up
4. go up
5. drive up the wall
6. show up

a. to annoy or irritate someone greatly

b. to start crying

c. to be brave and face a difficult situation without fear

d. to go very closely and stop next to someone or something

e. to arrive at a place or event

f. easily affected or influenced by something

Read the text then chose the appropriate title:

Tim Conquers His Banana Phobia
Tim Becomes Allergic to Bananas
Overcoming Phobias and Fears

Once upon a time in the small town of Punnyville, there lived a quirky character named Tim. Tim had a peculiar sensitivity to bananas. Yes, you heard it right, bananas! The mere sight of a banana would make him break out in a cold sweat and tear up like a baby at a sad movie.

Now, Tim had a peculiar habit of showing up unannounced at people's houses. One day, he decided to pay a surprise visit to his friend, Bob. Little did Tim know that Bob had recently stocked up on a whole bunch of bananas for a potassium-rich diet.

Tim, determined to "man up" and overcome his fear, decided it was time to confront his phobia head-on. He psyched himself up, took a deep breath, and rang the doorbell. As Bob opened the door, Tim's eyes widened with horror as he saw an entire basket of bananas sitting right in the foyer.

Trying to put on a brave face, Tim forced a smile and managed to step inside. But the sight of all those bananas was driving him up the wall! His heart raced, and his palms became sweaty. He felt like he was in a room full of his worst nightmares.

Bob, completely oblivious to Tim's predicament, cheerfully offered him a banana smoothie. Tim's eyes darted from the smoothie to Bob's eager face, desperately trying to figure out a way to decline the offer without causing a scene. Suddenly, an idea popped into his head.

Summoning up all his courage, Tim blurted out, "Bob, I've developed a strange medical condition! I'm extremely allergic to bananas! Just being near them could send me into a frenzy of sneezes and hives!"

Bob's eyes widened, and he quickly withdrew the smoothie. Concerned for his friend, he apologized profusely and ushered Tim out of the house, making a mental note to never offer him a banana again.

As Tim made his way home, a sense of accomplishment washed over him. He had faced his greatest fear and come out victorious! From that day forward, Tim became known as the banana-phobia conqueror of Punnyville.

And the next time someone tried to play a prank by leaving a bunch of bananas on Tim's doorstep, he just laughed it off and confidently said, "Bananas? No problem! I've already conquered that fruit-filled terror!"

And so, the legend of Tim, the man who drove up the wall at the sight of bananas, but managed to overcome his fear, spread throughout Punnyville, bringing laughter and smiles to everyone's faces.

Watch the video and answer the questions

1. Where are they at the beginning of the video?
A) In a grocery store
B) In a parking lot
C) In a restaurant
D) In a park

2. What is the person about to do with the banana?
A) Eat it
B) Peel it
C) Hold it
D) Throw it away

3. How does the person feel about holding a banana?
A) Excited
B) Indifferent
C) Terrified
D) Angry

4. What happens when someone brings a pot of bananas around the person?
A) They eat them
B) They leave
C) They buy them
D) They ignore them

5. What would happen if someone locked the door and brought bananas around the person?
A) They would eat them
B) They would gag and freak out
C) They would ignore them
D) They would leave

6. What does the person compare holding a banana to?
A) Being in a jungle
B) Cooking food
C) Going to the hospital
D) Taking a shower

7. What does the person say about the bananas having eyes?
A) They are scared of them
B) They are watching them
C) They are alive
D) They are hallucinating

8. What does the other person suggest the person do with the banana?
A) Eat it
B) Throw it away
C) Hold it and smile
D) Ignore it

9. How does the person feel after holding the banana?
A) Proud
B) Excited
C) Disgusted
D) Angry

10. What does the other person ask the person at the end of the video?
A) If they are proud of themselves
B) If they want to go home
C) If they want to buy more bananas
D) If they want to eat the banana

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