1 WHAT ARE YOU WATCHING?

VOCABULARY

TV shows

1 **Complete the words with the missing vowels.**

1 *o*n-d*e*m*a*nd s*e*r*i*_*e*s
2 sp_rts sh_w
3 d_c_m_nt_ry
4 dr_m_
5 g_m_ sh_w
6 ch_t sh_w
7 s_p_p_r_
8 th_n_ws
9 c_m_dy
10 c_k_ry sh_w
11 c_rt_n
12 r_l_ty sh_w

2 **Circle the correct options.**

1 What is the first prize on the TV *drama* / *game show* this week?
2 Dan loves food, so he watches all the *sports* / *cookery* shows.
3 Adele is talking to some other guests on tonight's *soap opera* / *chat show*.
4 We always laugh a lot at the new *drama* / *comedy* on Channel 4 because it's really funny.
5 Sam watches *the news* / *an on-demand series* to learn about world events.
6 Now they use computers to make *documentaries* / *cartoons*. They don't draw them by hand.

3 **Match the definitions with TV shows in Exercise 1.**

1 a programme about a subject, like history or nature *documentary*
2 information about real world events _____
3 information about tennis, football, basketball, etc. _____
4 an animated story, usually for younger people _____
5 a programme in which you answer questions and win a prize _____
6 a programme about real people in their ordinary lives _____

4 **Complete the text about Elena's family with the words in the box.**

chat shows comedies cookery shows ~~dramas~~ on-demand series soap operas



My parents enjoy watching TV [1] *dramas*, especially when they are true stories from history. They both like [2] _____ with famous chefs, too. My dad also enjoys [3] _____ on late-night TV. They make him laugh, but I don't think his favourite shows are funny at all! My mum watches [4] _____ with interesting celebrities talking about their latest films, and I sometimes watch them with her. My grandma enjoys her favourite [5] _____ because she knows all the characters and is interested in their lives. I usually prefer [6] _____ to regular TV programmes because I can watch them when I want to. I love that!

Explore it!



Guess the correct answer.

Blue Peter, the oldest children's TV show in the world, is about *40* / *60* / *80* years old.

Find an interesting fact about a TV show in your country. Then send a question in an email to a classmate or ask them it in the next class.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

READING

Tweets

1 ★ **Read the tweets. Which tweeter isn't very happy?**

2 ★★ **Read the tweets again and check the meaning of these words in a dictionary. Then complete the sentences.**

billion ~~competitor~~ fact live support

1 Gina's not a *competitor*, she's watching the event on TV today.
2 There's an interesting _____ about on-demand series in this article.
3 More than 2 _____ people watch the World Cup Final on TV. That's more than 2,000 million people!
4 The game's on _____ – all the action is happening now.
5 Which team on tonight's game show do you _____?

3 ★★ **Read the tweets again and answer the questions.**

1 At what time can people watch the UEFA Champions League Final live?
at eight o'clock
2 What doesn't Mehmet want to watch?
3 Where is Amy today?
4 What sport does Amy like playing?
5 What can people watch on Channel 1 at the moment?
6 Where is Antonio today?

4 ★★★ **Answer the questions with your own ideas.**

1 Do you prefer doing sport or watching it on TV? Why?
2 Do you ever watch sports live? Which ones?

Channel1 Sport @channel1sport
It's the day of the UEFA Champions League Final, and you can see it live on our sports show from eight o'clock tonight or later on demand from 11! More than 4 billion people watch football on TV. Are you one of them? Tweet us and tell us: are you watching or doing sport right now?



Mehmet Ersoy @MErsoy
I want to watch basketball on TV today, but my sister's here with her friend. They're sitting in the living room and watching a really bad comedy show! So I'm watching my series in the kitchen on a tiny tablet!



Amy Mount @aMount
I'm sitting in my friend's house and we're waiting for the big final to begin on Channel 1. We love watching sport on TV. We often play football too, but today we're eating snacks and supporting our team.

Channel1 Sport @channel1sport
Right now on Channel 1, we're looking at the Olympics with a documentary about its history. Here's an interesting fact: around 3.5 billion people watched the Rio Olympics! But what do you think – do more people watch the Olympics or the World Cup Final? Which other sports are good to watch on TV?



Antonio González @toni2020
I think cycling's a great sport to watch on TV, but today I'm standing at the side of the road watching the competitors in my country's famous three-week event: the *Vuelta a España*! They're doing a very long part of the race today: over 200 km in one day!

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