



Movie Worksheet



A. Introduction:

1. Do you like speaking in public? How do you feel when you have to speak in front of a crowd?
2. When was the first time you had to speak in public? How did you feel? How did it go?
3. How do you prepare for speaking in public?
4. What advice would you give to someone who has to speak in public for the first time?
5. Do you know anyone who is a really good public speaker? What makes them such a good speaker?
6. What politician do you consider is a good public speaker and why?
7. How would you prepare if you had to speak English in front of other people?

B. Film's summary:

Complete the summary of the plot with the words in the box.

Speech therapist - assumes – abdicates – unexpected – techniques – a dreaded stammer – war

The film tells the story of a man who became King George VI, the father of Queen Elizabeth II. After his brother _____, George "Bertie" reluctantly _____ the throne. Plagued by _____ and considered unfit to be king, Bertie engages the help of an unorthodox _____ named Lionel Logue. Through a set of _____, and as a result of an unlikely friendship, Bertie is able to find his voice and boldly lead the country through _____.

C. Write the name of the character under the picture. Use one adjective to describe the character.

Myrtle Logue

Lionel
Logue

King George
V

Bertie, the
Duke of York

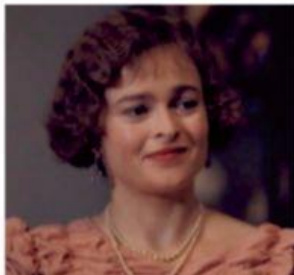
Lady
Elizabeth

The Archbishop













Who were these people?

1. Wallis Simpson
2. Prince David
3. Winston Churchill



D.Video: Watch this scene of the conversation between the Queen Mother and Lionel Logue. And Answer the questions.

1. Who did Lionel think the appointment was for?
2. Who is Johnson?
3. Who recommended Lionel to Elizabeth?
4. How does the Queen Mother describe Lionel's methods?
5. What does Lionel need for his method to work?

D. Grammar

We can use **should** and **shouldn't** to give positive and negative advice respectively.

EXAMPLE: *I think a public speaker shouldn't be shy. (negative advice)*
You should practice before you give a speech before a crowd. (positive advice)

Now is your turn. Write 4 pieces of advice to someone who has to speak English in public.

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

