

UNIT 2 – READING EXTRA



- 1 ★ Read the profile. Is this sentence *T* (true) or *F* (false)?

Dylan has got 25 hours of classes a week. _____

A day in the life of a child actor

Dylan Roberts is 14, and he's a child actor. He makes films and doesn't go to school. He always has classes with special teachers called film tutors. Child actors usually have 15 hours of classes a week (schools have 25), but it isn't easy! Dylan often has lots of work to do.

Dylan talks about his typical day:

'I get up at six in the morning and get dressed. At 6.15, a car takes me to filming. I have breakfast at work and then I practise the day's filming for an hour. At 8.00, they do my hair and make-up and I get dressed in my film clothes. Filming starts at 9.00. Then, at 11.00, I have a break for half an hour. After that, I go to the tutor's room for classes. I don't have any homework. At 6.00 in the evening, I go home or to a hotel. I have a shower, have dinner, read my part of the film for tomorrow, and go to bed. It's a busy day!'

- 2 Find these words in the text and then complete the sentences below.

break busy filming
make-up tutor

- Here's the green make-up for your eyes.
- After three classes, we've got a _____ to have lunch.
- All the actors are ready for _____ today.
- I've got a _____ for extra English classes.
- Our weekends are very _____ with lots of things to do!

- 3 ★★ Read the profile again. Circle the correct answer.

- Dylan is a child actor. He *goes* / *doesn't go* to school.
- Dylan's special teacher is a film *tutor* / *actor*.
- A child actor *has* / *hasn't* got a lot of work to do.
- Dylan has breakfast at *home* / *work*.
- Dylan's first classes are *before* / *after* filming.
- He hasn't got any *homework* / *breaks*.

- 4 ★★ What's your opinion? Read the statements and write *Yes* or *No*.

- It's easy to be a child actor. _____
- Fifteen hours of classes a week is a good idea. _____
- Dylan's day is fun. _____
- Not having homework is great. _____