

Read the text and choose the right options.

THELMA LEVETT IS NO ORDINARY BALLOON LADY!

Thelma Levett can twist a balloon into a masterpiece. Over the years, she (1) _____ life-sized tricycles, Barbie dolls and even a pink Cadillac that she "drove" around town much (2) _____ the disappointment of the local authorities. Now, she has (3) _____ with something even more incredible - a real-life wedding dress complete with lace sleeves. The wedding gown was inspired by the one Kate Middleton had (4) _____ at her wedding.

As you can (5) _____, it was not an easy task. She had (6) _____ the dress in a record four days - during which time she blew and twisted the 5,000 balloons.

Vicky, her 21-year-old daughter for whom the dress was made, says that wearing it is a bit challenging. She is always afraid of popping a balloon or two. However, the dress is extremely (7) _____ once she has it (8) _____. Ms. Levett, who works as a party entertainer, began playing around with balloons about 15 years ago and never (9) _____ back since.

Her (10) _____ desire is to create an ensemble for American pop star, Lady Gaga!

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| 1. 1. makes | 2. has made | 3. is making | 4. made |
| 2. 1. to | 2. for | 3. of | 4. with |
| 3. 1. appeared | 2. come in | 3. come on | 4. come up |
| 4. 1. dressed | 2. put | 3. worn | 4. showed |
| 5. 1. imagine | 2. brainstorm | 3. fantasize | 4. feature |
| 6. 1. complete | 2. completed | 3. to complete | 4. completing |
| 7. 1. comfort | 2. convenient | 3. convenience | 4. comfortable |
| 8. 1. on | 2. off | 3. for | 4. around |
| 9. 1. looked | 2. looks | 3. has looked | 4. had looked |
| 10. 1. hugest | 2. gigantic | 3. most | 4. biggest |

After finishing the task, enjoy the view of the Moskva-river embankment in Kolomna (December 2020):

