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WATCHING – KILL BILL VOLUME 2 – Sandwich Scene

Focus: Grammar (Non-gradable adjectives or Extreme Adjectives, Comparative, Superlative, Equative and Non-Equative Forms of Adjectives; Conditionals); Listening (Comprehension), Writing (Comprehension, Free writing).

PRE-WATCHING

The characters in this scene are:

Beatrix

Bill

B.B.

WATCHING

Watch the scene below. Then, complete the activities.

POST-WATCHING

1) Bill says a compliment about Beatrix. What is the compliment? In which way does B.B. help him to improve his compliment?

2) Bill criticizes himself. What does he say?

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3) Bill says that B.B. has learned something. What did she learn?

4) Why does Bill use the expression 'the plot thickens'?

5) Bill also compliments B.B. and tells he is proud of her. Why is he proud? What would be a good adjective to describe B.B. in this case?

6) When B.B. helps Bill to find a better adjective to describe Beatrix's hair, they are switching a regular adjective to an extreme (non-gradable) one.

Complete the table below adding **(i)** a regular adjective, **(ii)** the related non-gradable adjective and **(iii)** a sentence using the adjective in its comparative, superlative, equative **or** non-equative form.

Adjective	Extreme adjective	Sentence
funny	hilarious	I couldn't stop laughing at the comedian's latest show - it was even **more hilarious** than his previous one!

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7) When following the conversation, we see that Bill keeps talking with B.B. and Beatrix. Put their conversation to understand what happened between them.

Bill: I love Mommy, but I did to Mommy what you did to Emilio.	
	Bill: Worse. I shot Mommy. Not pretend shoot, like we were just doing. I shot her for real.
	B.B.: Did you want to see what would happen?
	Bill: Why don't you ask Mommy.
	Beatrix: No sweety, it doesn't hurt anymore.
	B.B.: What happened?
	Bill: I was very sad. And that was when I learned, some things once you do, they can never be undone.
	B.B.: You stomped on Mommy?
	Bill: I don't know.
	B.B.: Are you okay Mommy. Does it hurt?
	B.B.: Why?
	B.B.: What happened to Mommy?
	Bill: No, I knew what would happen to Mommy if I shot her. What I didn't know, is when I shot Mommy, what would happen to me.

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8) Bill used conditional sentence to explain he knew what he had done. Let's review the conditionals. Match the clauses; complete them with the verbs in brackets or an adjective from the box; then, choose the conditional used in each case.

delicious	euphoric	frightening	furious
peppery	stunning	sweltering	tiny

☐ a) If the weather is _____,

☐ b) If the movie is _____,

☐ c) If I _____ (have) more time,

☐ d) If my neighbor _____ (play) loud music all night

☐ e) If I had enough money,

☐ f) If the food is _____,

☐ g) If I _____ (win) the lottery,

☐ h) If we had bought the _____ house

☐ 1) I _____ (not be able to eat) it.

☐ 2) I would have been absolutely _____.

☐ 3) we _____ (regret) it now.

☐ 4) we _____ (have to stay) indoors to avoid heatstroke

☐ 5) I _____ (not watch) it alone at night.

☐ 6) I would be _____ and call the police.

☐ 7) I'd cook a _____ dinner for us.

☐ 8) I _____ (buy) that _____ diamond necklace for my wife.

9) Now, it is your turn. Write three conditional sentences (zero, first, second or third) using extreme/non-gradable adjectives.

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