



LESSON SUMMARY

Vocabulary



Word/Phrase	Meaning	Example
yacht (n) /jɑ:t/	a boat with sails and maybe an engine that people use for racing or leisure travel	It's a great experience to spend a holiday on a luxury yacht .
helicopter (n) /ˈhelɪkɑːptər/	a kind of airplane without wings that features one or two rows of huge fans on top	They looked for the missing man using a boat and a helicopter .
sports car (n) /ˈspɔːrts kɑːr/	a quick, low vehicle, usually for two people only	A lot of rich and famous people drive expensive sports cars .
mansion (n) /ˈmænjən/	a very big and expensive house	They lived in a beautiful mansion .
jet (n) /dʒet/	an kind of fast aircraft with a jet engine	Traveling by jet is enjoyable.
home theater (n) /ˈhoʊm ˈθiːətər/	television and video equipment with special designs that can give you a similar experience to being in a movie theater	He has an outside pool and a home theater in his mansion.
celebrity (n) /səˈleɪbrəti/	someone who is well-known, usually in the entertainment industry	He became a celebrity after winning the singing contest.
millionaire (n) /ˈmɪljəˈner/	a very rich person with at least one million pounds or dollars	He became a millionaire at the age of 27.

Grammar

Reported speech for statements

We use **reported speech** to repeat what someone said before the time of speaking.

To change a sentence to **reported speech**, we

- use reporting verbs such as **say**, **tell**, etc. and change the Present Simple to the Past Simple
Anne said, "The mansion **has** ten rooms." → Anna said (that) the mansion **had** ten rooms.
- change **can** to **could**
Mike said to me, "I **can** play the guitar." → Mike **told** me (that) he **could** play the guitar.
- change pronouns and possessive adjectives
"I like **my** new sports car," he said. → He said (that) **he** liked **his** new sports car.

Pronunciation

Pronouncing -ed verb ending



/t/, /d/	• wanted /'wɒntɪd/	• needed /'niːdɪd/	
/p/, /k/, /t/, /s/, /ʃ/, /tʃ/	• hoped /həʊpt/ UK	• coughed /kɒft/	• washed /wɒʃt/ UK
	• asked /ɑːskt/ UK	• fixed /fɪkst/	• watched /wɑːtʃt/ UK
Other sounds	• allowed /ə'laʊd/	• cried /kraɪd/	• owned /oʊnd/
	• played /pleɪd/	• lived /lɪvd/	• solved /sɒlvɪd/ UK

PRACTICE



Pronunciation

Circle the word that has the underlined part pronounced differently from the others.

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|---------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| 1 A loved <u>ed</u> | B wait <u>ed</u> | C wast <u>ed</u> | D text <u>ed</u> |
| 2 A add <u>ed</u> | B paint <u>ed</u> | C stay <u>ed</u> | D post <u>ed</u> |
| 3 A wash <u>ed</u> | B dress <u>ed</u> | C fix <u>ed</u> | D turn <u>ed</u> |
| 4 A play <u>ed</u> | B stop <u>ed</u> | C dream <u>ed</u> | D plan <u>ed</u> |
| 5 A wish <u>ed</u> | B hand <u>ed</u> | C want <u>ed</u> | D need <u>ed</u> |

Vocabulary

a. Complete the sentences using the words or phrases in the box.

- She is now a sporting _____ after her success at the tournament.
- Andrew dreams of being a _____ when he is eighteen years old.
- His new house has the latest equipment for stereo and _____.
- The local council plans to turn this old _____ into a hospital.
- The famous teenage model sails her _____ to the island every Sunday.

millionaire
yacht
celebrity
mansion
home theater

b. Circle the correct options.

- This is a type of aircraft that can travel really fast.
A van B jet C ship D train
- This is a type of aircraft that has no wings, but it has one or more very large fans on top.
A train B motorbike C helicopter D hot-air balloon
- This is a type of boat that people use for racing or leisure travel that has sails and possibly an engine.
A yacht B jet C helicopter D plane
- A lot of rich and famous young people drive this sporty vehicle.
A bus B taxi C lorry D sports car
- This type of housing is large and beautiful. Building it is expensive.
A mansion B houseboat C mobile home D tent

Grammar

a. Circle the correct options.

- John: I have a special gaming room and a home theater.
Ann: _____ said that _____ had a special gaming room and a home theater.
A He / he B She / she C He / she D She / he
- Kim: I think I can't live without music.
Me: She _____ me that she _____ live without music.
A tells / can't B said / couldn't C says / can't D told / couldn't
- Ann: I spend every summer vacation with my family on a luxury yacht.
David: She said that she _____ every summer vacation with _____ family on a luxury yacht.
A spent / hers B spend / her C spent / her D spent / their
- Anthony: I travel to Hawaii by helicopter to visit my grandparents every year.
Rose: He told me he _____ to the islands by helicopter to visit _____ grandparents every year.
A travels / his B traveled / his C traveled / my D traveled / their
- Ben: I want to build my own mansion to live with my family.
Alex: He told _____ he wanted to build _____ own mansion to live with his family.
A me / my B me / his C her / her D her / his

b. Circle ONE mistake in each sentence.

- 6 He say to me he had a lizard pet in his house.
A B C D
- 7 She said that she doesn't want to have a sports car.
A B C D
- 8 She told me hers sister was a famous actor in her country.
A B C D
- 9 My father told his friends that he doesn't like the mansion.
A B C D
- 10 They said that they wanted to travel on us yacht around the island.
A B C D



Reading

a. Read the text about an interview with Judy Smith. Circle the correct options.

Last weekend, I had a chance to interview Judy Smith, a famous 15-year-old teen model. She shared a lot of interesting things 1) _____ her everyday life with me.

How did you become a model?

She told me that she was very interested in fashion. She said that her mother was also a famous model, and she taught her how to 2) _____ a model.

Do you go to school?

She 3) _____ that she couldn't go to school every day because she was too busy with her jobs. She usually had to go to the fashion shows in other countries.

Where does your family live?

She said that she had two mansions. One was in Miami, and the other was in New York. She also told me that 4) _____ mansion in Miami had more than fifteen rooms, a home theater and a big fancy ballroom.

How do you celebrate your birthday?

She said that she loved to invite some friends to her party on a yacht and watch fireworks.

What can't you live without?

She said she couldn't live without fashion and music. She 5) _____ to say that being a fashion model was her dream.



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| 1 A at | B in | C on | D about |
| 2 A become | B becomes | C became | D becoming |
| 3 A told | B said | C say | D tell |
| 4 A she | B his | C her | D their |
| 5 A continues | B continue | C continued | D continuing |

b. Read the text about becoming famous at a young age. Write T (true), F (false) or DS (doesn't say).

CELEBRITY AT A YOUNG AGE



Becoming famous, especially at a young age, can be challenging. It requires hard work, planning and time. As a teenager, you probably know what you're good at. You may already have talents such as singing, acting, sports, art, gaming or modeling that can help you gain recognition. These could help you become famous. Some teenagers, for example, have become famous as vloggers. These young people are very good at creating videos that others enjoy watching on a daily basis. But that's just the start. There are things to consider before you start your journey to becoming a star. It's important to consider if you're willing to put in the effort and if you pursue becoming a celebrity as a career. Keep in mind that attaining fame requires effort, action and time.

- 6 It seems difficult to become well-known when you are young. _____
- 7 You can become a celebrity when you have talent and work hard. _____
- 8 People are very good at making videos nowadays. _____
- 9 It isn't a serious decision to pursue a career as a celebrity. _____
- 10 It takes a lot of effort, action and time to become famous. _____

Speaking

You had an interview with Leandro, a famous teenage singer. Talk about what Leandro shared with you in the interview. Use the information from the note.



I was so lucky to interview the famous teenage singer, Leandro.

- ✿ First, I asked him if he went to school. He told me he was at grade 8 at the moment.
- ✿ After that, I asked him how ...
- ✿ Then, I wondered what ...
- ✿ Next, I asked if ...
- ✿ And then I asked what ...
- ✿ Finally, I wondered what ...

Name: Leandro

Grade: 8

Go to school: by car

Dream job: doctor

Pets: a Welsh corgi and a parrot

Can't live without: playing basketball

Hobbies: read comics, write songs



Writing

a. Put the words in the correct order to make complete sentences.

- 1 told / his / that / he / He / mother / didn't / like / mansion. / their / new

- 2 went / told / us / that / to / another / country / month. / He / he / every

- 3 me / that / didn't / she / told / like / to / visit / the / sister /museum. / My

- 4 said / She / that / father / wanted / to / a /smartwatch. / new / her / buy / her

- 5 parents / My / said / they / could / that / come / not / to / the / concert / me. / with

b. Complete the sentences using **reported speech**.

- 6 Lily said to me, "My father takes me to school in his sports car."
Lily said that _____
- 7 "My uncle is a famous musician and vlogger," said Ben.
Ben told me that _____
- 8 Sarah said to him, "My mother doesn't like to live in a mansion."
Sarah told him that _____
- 9 Adrian told her, "I can't live without playing soccer."
Adrian said that _____
- 10 "I like to have a new smartphone for my birthday," said John.
John said that _____



Answer key



- Pronunciation ____/10 pts.
- Vocabulary ____/20 pts.
- Grammar ____/20 pts.
- Reading ____/20 pts.
- Speaking ____/10 pts.
- Writing ____/20 pts.

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Total ____ / 100 pts.