

Listening and Speaking Level 2



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Match each word with the correct definition. You do not need to use all the words.

1. to make something	produce
2. a period of ten years	decade
3. difficult to understand	complicated
4. someone you work with	colleague
5. a large public event to show things	fair
6. to be active in something	get involved
7. to fix something	repair

fair



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Listen to the class discussion. Choose the correct words or phrases to complete the sentences.



1. Self-reliance is when you don't **depend on others** .
2. **Past explorers** had no way to ask for help.
3. Teddy Seymour and **Zac Sunderland** are modern-day explorers.
4. Zac Sunderland is the **youngest** American ever to sail around the world alone.
5. Zac made **no** stops on land.
6. One student thinks that Zac's voyage was **safer than** the voyages of Columbus.
7. Zac was able to **communicate** with people all over the world.
8. One student says that **Teddy's** trip was similar to those of early explorers.
9. Teddy **was not able to** communicate with people on shore.
10. Teddy's trip was **longer** than Zac's.

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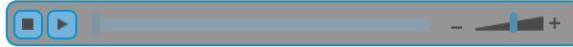


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Read the questions. Then listen to the class discussion again and focus on the words in bold. Choose the best answer for each question.



1. Which **explorers** did the class discuss yesterday?
 Christopher Columbus and Zac Sunderland
✓ Christopher Columbus and Sir Francis Drake
 Zac Sunderland and Teddy Seymour
2. Who was the first **Englishman** to sail around the world?
✓ Sir Francis Drake
 Christopher Columbus
 Teddy Seymour
3. What did **Zac Sunderland** write?
✓ a blog
 letters to his family
 travel articles
4. How **old** was Zac Sunderland when he sailed around the world?
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4. How **old** was Zac Sunderland when he sailed around the world?

18

19

✓ 17

5. Where did Zac start his **voyage**?

New York

✓ California

England

6. What is **SatCom**?

✓ a satellite communication system

a special kind of cell phone

a GPS system

7. What did Teddy Seymour use to **guide his trip**?



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a GPS system

7. What did Teddy Seymour use to **guide his trip**?

a GPS system

SatCom

✓ the stars

8. What **technology** did Teddy have?

✓ a radio direction finder

the stars

a GPS system

9. When did Teddy **return** from his voyage?

1985

✓ 1987

1997



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Complete the paragraphs with the correct words from the word bank. You do not need to use all the words.

consumers market self-sufficient reviews crafts advisor publish

1. I have a friend who makes jewelry as a hobby. Now she wants to turn her hobby into a business. I have some business experience so she asked me to be her advisor. I said she should try to market her jewelry online. There are many sites on the Internet where people can sell their crafts.

2. We want to publish a new magazine for people who want to be more self-sufficient. It will give advice about things like growing your own food and producing your own electricity. There are a lot of magazines that give advice to consumers about how to buy things. We want to give advice about how to make things.

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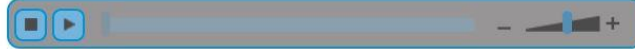


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Listen to each sentence. Then listen to the word that goes in the blank. Write the word. Use a dictionary to help you spell the word correctly.



1. Zac started and ended his voyage in California.
2. He used a satellite communication system to send messages to his family and friends.
3. He received reports about the weather every day.
4. You definitely have to be self-reliant to sail around the world alone.
5. Beatrice started her own business making jewelry and selling it online.
6. Some people sell their products through an online site like Etsy.com.
7. He has a degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.
8. I'd recommend that you learn to fix things yourself.

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Complete each sentence with the comparative or superlative form of the word in parentheses as needed.

1. That show was the most ridiculous (ridiculous) thing we ever saw.
2. Do you think that family members are more critical (critical) than friends?
3. Zac Sunderland was younger (young) than Teddy Seymour when he started his voyage.
4. Zac's communications equipment was better (good) than Teddy's.
5. Christopher Columbus is probably the most famous (famous) explorer in history.
6. Was Jake's behavior worse (bad) than Jessie's? They were both pretty rude.

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Click **READ** to read about the order of adjectives. Then choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

READ

1. I went to the **big new** bookstore on Main Street today.
2. We saw a **strange green** insect in our garden.
3. My friend gave me this **beautiful Mexican** doll for my birthday.
4. I used a **long gray** thread to sew my shirt.
5. The **small French** cake was easy to bake.
6. The **ugly blue** chair looked better after we painted it.
7. My friend can cook **delicious Chinese** food.
8. My sister brushes her **pretty long** hair every day.
9. The winner was a **small young** boy from India.
10. I made my own kite instead of buying **an expensive new** one.

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11. I can't believe you fixed my broken old computer.
12. I painted my room with bright yellow paint.

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Complete the sentences with the words you hear.



1. His sister told him to check the website for more information.
2. She read a news story about starting a business.
3. I did not take your books.
4. Can you help me with the homework?
5. I learned how to cook a good dish .
6. I think cars should be more energy-efficient.
7. She never read the book we were talking about.
8. My father taught me to drive very well.

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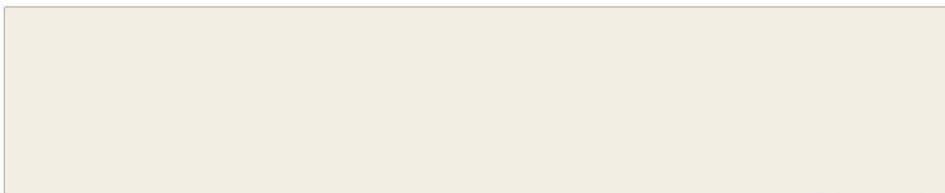
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Match the shortened notes using symbols and abbreviations with the complete version of what the notes say.

1. 1 success bus. = Google	One successful business is Google.
2. Gg gives workers + of opport. to create products	Google gives its workers lots of opportunities to create products.
3. e.g. cafes at work = workers share ideas re: products	For example, cafes at work help workers share ideas about new products.
4. & all workers can email the bus. leads. = leaders get new ideas fst	And all workers can email the business leaders so they get new ideas fast.
5. Mngs receive coaching and spprt	Managers receive coaching and support.



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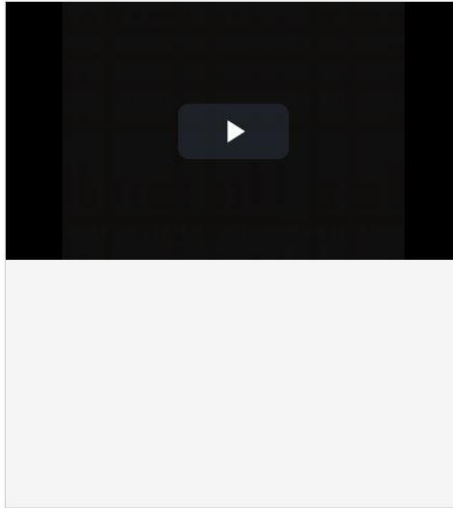


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Watch the video. Check the words or phrases that you hear.



- 135 million users
- 32 billion dollars
- toys, cameras, children's books
- fifty-dollar item locally
- \$15,000
- every 34 minutes
- 10 billion dollars
- 4,300 categories

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