

Unit 7

Reading Documentaries



Look at the above pictures. Do you know them? Why do many people talk about them?



What is a biography?

A biography ชีวประวัติบางครั้งเรียก **bio** เป็นการบรรยายชีวิตของบุคคลที่เป็นมากกว่าความจริง เช่น การศึกษา การทำงาน ความสัมพันธ์และความตาย ชีวประวัติแสดงถึงประสบการณ์ของบุคคลในช่วงชีวิต ดังนั้นจึงมักนำเสนอเรื่องราวของบุคคล แง่คิดในการดำรงชีวิต รวมทั้งประสบการณ์ของเขา และอาจวิเคราะห์ถึงบุคลิกภาพของเขา



Tara Marsh

Tara Marsh was born and raised in rural Ontario, instilling in her a love for the outdoors and nature.

Her success in the Sheridan Institute of Technology and Advanced Learning, Art Fundamentals program encouraged her curiosity in the exploration of a new art form in the Glass

Studio. After completing three years in the glass program at Sheridan College in 2004, Tara joined a co-operative studio called Glen Williams Glass.

The creative process in her art pieces begins by brainstorming, using the textures, colours and forms of nature. There is a saying by John Opie that states "Art is more godlike than science. Science discovers; art creates". Working with glass is a science, you never stop discovering the intricate characteristics of glass. In spite of being better able to understand and control it, the art pieces are often unique and unpredictable. Tara has developed a love for the medium of glass and continually strives to improve her skills.



TEXT 1

- 1.1 Read the biography of O. Henry below, then answer the questions in complete sentences.
- 1.2 Underline the information that you think is correct about O. Henry. Use the dictionary to check the words in bold.
- 1.3 Answer the following questions in complete sentences.
- 1.4 Read the text quickly and put the keywords into the correct spaces.
- 1.5 Use the following common words in bold in the text in new ways.





TEXT 2

Text 2.1

Read the following paragraph about Starbucks Coffee.

Text 2.2

Complete the following sentences with the words in bold in the text.

Text 2.3

Put a tick ✓ in the box if the following sentences are True (T) or False (F).





TEXT 3

Text 3.1

Underline the information that you think is correct about the golfer Michelle Wie. Use the dictionary to check the words in bold.

Text 3.2

Find the appropriate words appeared in the text to complete the sentences.

Text 3.3

Read the text quickly and put the key nouns into the correct spaces.

Text 3.4

Put a tick ✓ in the box if the following sentences are True (T), False (F) or the text doesn't say DS.

Text 3.5

Use the following common verbs in new ways.





Language Focus

1. Present Simple Tense

Michelle Wie **is** the youngest golfer who has won many rewards.
Starbuck **is** very popular coffee shop and **has** a number of chains.

2. Past Simple Tense

Shakespeare **wrote** Romeo and Juliet to play on stage.
Roger Moore **acted** as James Bond in the famous film 007.

3. Passive Voice

Subject + Verb to be + Verb 3 (Past Participle)





Practice

Practice A

Directions : The first sentence is in the **ACTIVE VOICE**.
Choose the most correct way of saying the same thing in the **PASSIVE VOICE** :

Practice B

Change from the active to the passive voice.



Q & A
Time

