

Can Richard save Mia?



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TEEN EXPRESS

ALL ABOARD FOR GREAT ADVENTURES!

BOOK 1 • UNIT 1

Express Yourself!



GO GRAMMAR!

Grammar File page 7 • Adjectives with Linking Verbs

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EXPRESS YOURSELF

Add **adjectives** after the **linking verbs** and also complete the sentences according to what is true for you.

- a) I am _____ because _____.
- b) I have been _____ all my life.
- c) My friends are _____ when we _____.
- d) Lemons taste _____ and I _____.
- e) When I listen to music, I feel _____.
- f) When I eat ice cream, I feel _____.
- g) When I look at the ocean, I feel _____.
- h) When I wake up in the morning, I look _____.
- i) I get _____ from _____.
- j) I remain _____ even when _____.
- k) I keep _____ so _____.
- l) When _____, I become _____.
- m) When _____, I get _____.
- n) The ocean during a storm sounds _____ and I _____.
- o) When _____, I will be _____.



2 Choose the correct linking verb.

e.g. **Be** Become quiet! The children are sleeping.

- a) Tabatha **is/was** very charming at the party last night.
- b) Eva **looks/is** good in that dress.
- c) Sharon **looked/smelt** tired at school because she was studying all night.
- d) The fresh bread **smells/feels** delicious; I'll buy some.

- e) It **looks/seems** Stephan is upset; I'll go and talk to him.
- f) Ian **has become/has smelt** very witty since I first met him.
- g) The music **is/smells** low, so don't worry about waking the neighbours.
- h) When I **stay/get** excited, my voice **becomes/keeps** very loud.



1 Create the path to the word and write it. All of the words are from the story.

s	c	k
h	h	o
o	o	l
l		

s	e	a
h	c	r
e	d	e
d		

g	l	a
a	c	n
w	e	t
	d	

a	s	s
t	s	i
a	n	c
		e

e.g. school

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

m	q	s
o	v	e
a	s	m
r	n	e
	t	

m	e	d
e	a	n
r	a	o
f	n	u
		r

o	d	i
s	i	l
t	a	y
s	n	g
	t	

w	o	r
r	e	r
i	s	i
a	t	e
		d

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

g) _____



2 Can you solve this puzzle from Episode 1 of the story and discover what the sentence is? The letters will help you. Some letters appear more than once in the list and in the puzzle.

		U								r
			E							Y
	P			S					E	
	A				N	T				
		L				O				.

P • S • A • R • E • R • L • F • N • F • E • N • E • D • E • O • T
 • O • L • E • P • U • O • M • O • N • N • T • R • C • R • A • N
 • S • E • D • N • E • T • G • Y • H • M • Y

Brain JOG

I mostly express myself through...

Discussion:

What is the first thing you judge someone by when you see them for the first time?

Idiom of the week**To go to pieces.**

This idiom means: For a person to fall apart and be unable to function properly.

Example: Phil will go to pieces if his football team loses the championship game.

1 Check the correct box based on who said what in the Listening Comprehension recording.

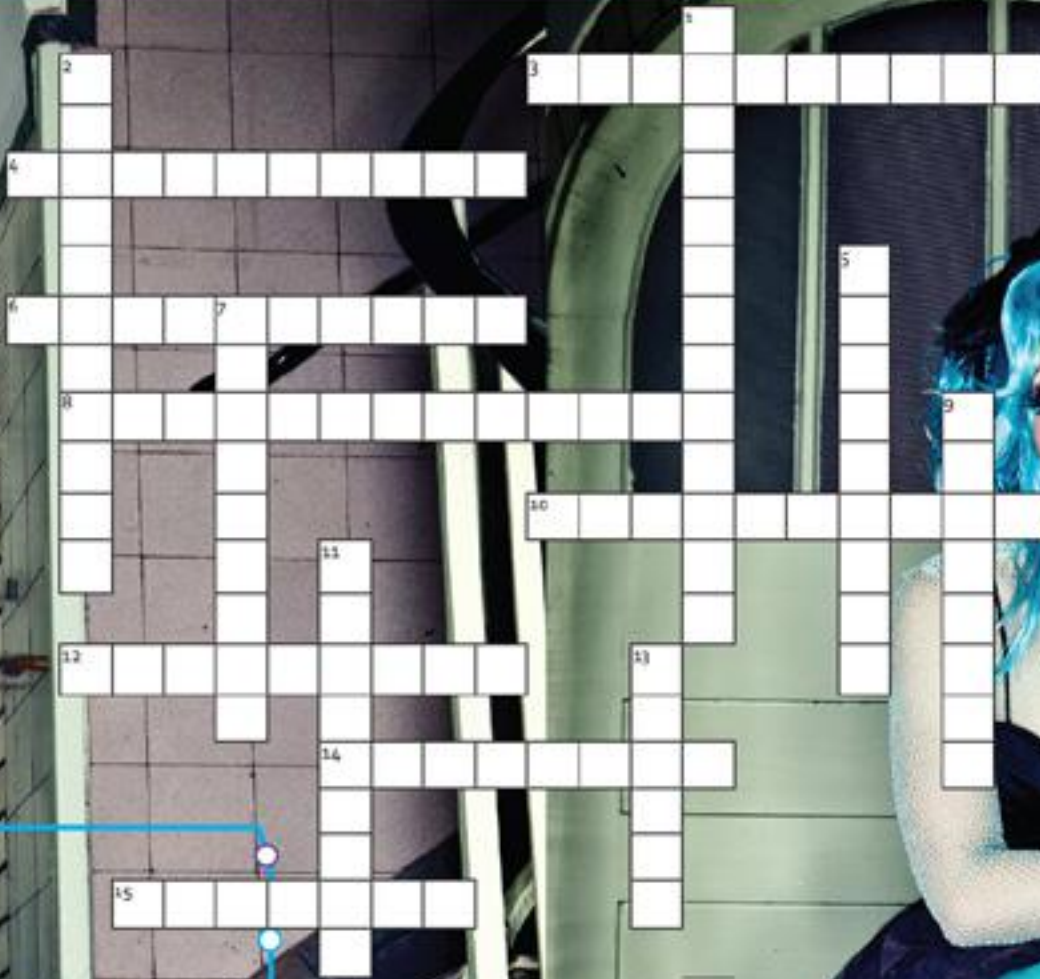
	William	Suzanne
e.g. We're always late because of you.	e.g. ✓	
a) Do you know how important what I wear on any given day is?		
b) I'm too shy to always say what I'm feeling.		
c) A lot of people express themselves through the arts, for example.		
d) Other people express themselves through music; playing an instrument, singing, dancing.		
e) Playing my violin really helps me release a lot of emotion and stress.		
f) You can easily express yourself through social networking, a private blog or e-mails.		
g) I could call it <i>Apparel for Attitude</i> and post pictures of what I'm wearing so everyone knows what mood I'm in.		
h) There are probably as many different ways of expressing ourselves as there are people in the world.		

2 Check True or False based on the Listening Comprehension recording.

	True	False
e.g. Suzanne would like William to hurry.		e.g. ✓
a) Suzanne thinks what she wears is significant because it reflects her mood.		
b) Body language and speech are the only two reliable ways of expressing yourself.		
c) Many people express themselves through art.		
d) Suzanne plays the violin.		
e) Suzanne feels comfortable speaking in public.		
f) According to William, Suzanne's favourite place is in front of the computer.		
g) Suzanne might start a blog entitled <i>Apparel for Attitude</i> .		
h) William thinks how we express ourselves shouldn't be a personal choice.		

1 CROSSWORD

Fill in the crossword with words from Episode 2.
The clues are in the order of events. (A=Across, D=Down)



- D.11 "It's my chia," Richard ____.
- D.1 Onslow leaned in closer, clearly not ____ Richard.
- A.14 Onslow stared at Richard as if he had quite ____ lost his mind.
- D.13 Paddington Station had never been as ____ as at that moment.
- A.15 It's my class ____ for extra credit.
- A.10 I never wanted to take part in this ____ project in the first place.
- A.6 ... imagined with his woefully ____ explanation.
- A.3 If only I could make myself seem ____.
- D.7 The two ____ workers looked stunned beyond words.
- A.12 Is this some kind of ____ joke?
- A.4 Someone could be in need of actual ____.
- D.5 ... he handed the growbag of chia back to him with a mixture of ____ and fury.
- D.2 They don't consider me ____ enough to venture out on my own.
- D.9 I would be ____ the minutes before you left for Italy.
- A.8 ... until there was a thorough ____ carried out.

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