

LESSON 3 GOAL Describe your reading habits

BEFORE YOU LISTEN

VOCABULARY • Some ways to enjoy reading

Read and listen. Then listen again and repeat.


curl up with [a book]


read aloud [to someone]


listen to audio books


do puzzles


read [articles] online


skim through [a newspaper]


read e-books / read electronic books

PAIR WORK Discuss which activities from the Vocabulary match each situation below. Explain your reasons.

- Is convenient when you are driving
- Helps pass the time during a bus or train commute
- Is a good way to relax
- Is a way to keep up with the news

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

LISTEN TO TAKE NOTES Listen and take notes to answer these questions about each speaker. Listen again if necessary.

- What kinds of reading material does he or she like?
- When does he or she like to read?
- Where does he or she like to read?

Betty Song • Taiwan



Silvio Ferrante • Argentina



Melissa White • U.S.A.



HOW YOU CAN Describe your reading habits

FRAME YOUR IDEAS Complete the questionnaire.

What are your reading habits?

- Do you consider yourself to be a big reader? Why or why not?
- Do you spend a lot of time reading online? Why or why not?
- Do you listen to audio books? If so, when and where?
- When and where do you prefer to read the most?
- Do you have any favorite authors? Who are they?
- Do you prefer any particular genres of books? Which ones? Why?
- Are you a big newspaper reader? Why or why not?
- Do you read a lot of magazines? Why or why not? What kinds do you prefer?
- Have you ever read aloud to someone? Has anyone ever read aloud to you? When?
- Is there anything else to add here about your reading habits?



PAIR WORK Compare questionnaires with your partner. Discuss your reading habits. Ask and answer questions, and take notes about your partner's habits.

GROUP WORK Now tell your classmates about your partner's reading habits.

RECYCLE THIS LANGUAGE.

I think / guess / believe / feel that ...
 I hear / understand / see that ...
 It's [interesting / surprising] that ...
 I'm [sure / surprised] that ...
 Could you tell me if ... ?
 I'd like to know if ...

Ellen thinks the best place to read is in bed before she goes to sleep. She also likes ...

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