

Unit 8: Dream of the Stars

Grammar Reported Speech

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2 My whole family watched it yesterday and we all liked it.

3 I've never seen it and I don't want to.

4 I'm going to watch it next week.

5 I can't wait for the next episode because I'm really enjoying it.

6 I've only seen one episode and it was a bit boring but I might watch it again.

2 Reporting Verbs

A/

D promise

G recommend

B warn

E announce

C complain

F admit

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1/

2 the food tasted disgusting.

3 she would give the money back the next day.

4 he was going to live in Brazil.

5 I/we (should) watch the new James Bond film.

6 the city centre could be dangerous at night.

7 she had told a lie.

Vocabulary Entertainment

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Across:

- | | | |
|--------------|-------------|-------------|
| 1 play | 5 scene | 13 location |
| 2 public | 7 privacy | 14 acting |
| 3 producer | 10 stage | 15 series |
| 4 contestant | 12 audience | |

Down:

- | | | |
|---------------|-------------|--------------|
| 1 presenter | 6 celebrity | 9 spectators |
| 2 performance | 8 studios | 11 tabloid |

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- 1/ (*fulfill an ambition*)
- 2 C (*lack experience*)
- 3 B (*pursue a career in + professional field*)
- 4 A (*get experience in something*)
- 5 D (*turn something down = reject*)

Listening Part 3

- 1 B (*"It's only half the length of the other two films. It started well but didn't get a chance to develop properly".*)
- 2 E (*"the only problem was that there were five or six different storylines which made it very difficult to follow"*).
- 3 A (*"there's not much else to do and, to be honest, I couldn't wait for it to finish"*).
- 4 H (*"I didn't think any of the actors did a very good job"*).
- 5 F (*"it could have been quite funny but was actually rather depressing"*).

Reading and use of English Part 4

1

I had an invitation from Miranda to join her ice skating tomorrow.

GO

Miranda invited me to go ice skating with her and her friends the next day.

2

Lee told us he was sorry that he hadn't come to our party.

FOR

Lee apologized for not coming/ having come to our party.

3

Alice told Tom she thought he had scratched the car.

OF

Alice accused Tom of scratching/ having scratched the car.

4

In the end I got my sister to agree that I could borrow her dress.

LEND

I finally persuaded my sister to lend me her dress.

5

I told the hotel receptionist that my room was too small.

ABOUT

I complained about my room being too small to the hotel receptionist.

6

We were warned by the policeman about the traffic jam ahead.

THERE

The policeman warned us (that) there was a traffic jam ahead.

Reading and use of English Part 6

- 1 E (link between 'celebrities - their'; 'advertising - commercial element').
- 2 C (link between 'some stylists prefer to... - I work differently; 'support London designers and your contacts are important').
- 3 G (link between 'the best thing - apart from that, it's the social aspect which is important to me - I work with a big list o people...)
- 4 A (link between 'It's important to have a balance - you could let styling take over your life').
- 5 B (link between 'it's not enough to have an artistic eye - you should try to find inspiration in...' and 'for example, if you go to... it will inform your work')
- 6 F (link between 'get a qualification- that will give you useful a range of skills')

Writing Part 2

1 Introduction A

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1/

2 Incredibly popular

3 a chance

4 for their dream of fame

5 but not everyone's convinced

3

1 B

2 A

4

1 2A

2 1B

Sounds and spelling

2 four

6 walk

10 board

3 all

7 poor

11 law

4 bought

8 exhausting

12 war

5 before

9 taught

6

1 course/ cause

5 talk

9 brought

2 fought

6 dormitory

10 door

3 bored

7 score

11 sauce

4 tall

8 raw

12 claw

**Please, ask your teacher if you have
made a mistake and would like it
explained.**