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You are going to learn:



Topic: School Life – Join the Drama Club



Grammar: Superlative forms of adjectives



Reading skill: Identifying main idea
and key details



Are You Ready?

Listen to me.



Look at me.



JOIN THE DRAMA CLUB



Classic English Junior Level 6 - Unit 1 - Lesson 7

INTENSIVE READING

WARM-UP

Which of these roles would you like to play?



• LET'S PREPARE! •

VOCABULARY



play



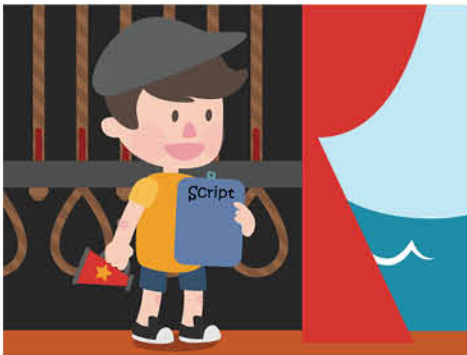
tryout



role



stagehand



script



scene



performance



skill

GRAMMAR

Superlative forms of adjectives

Superlative forms of adjectives are used to describe something which is at the upper or lower limit of a quality. They are used in sentences where a subject is compared to a group of objects.

We form superlatives by adding *-st* or *-est* to the adjective:

longest

nicest

For adjectives ending in *y*, we form superlatives by changing *y* to *i* and adding *-est*:

busiest

scariest

GRAMMAR

For some adjectives, we form superlatives by putting the word **most** before the adjective:

most unforgettable **most** fun

The word **the** is also commonly used before the superlative adjective.

Making costumes is **the hardest** part of being a member of a drama club.

Complete the sentences with the superlative forms of the given adjectives.



1. Being part of the play Cinderella was my (unforgettable) experience.
2. That play is the (scary) play I've ever watched.
3. She is the (nice) member of the music club.

READING SKILL

Identifying the main idea and key details help a reader understand a text better.

The main idea is the most important thought about the topic of a text. It may be recognized by asking, “What is the text saying about the topic?”

The key details are important information that support the main idea. They can be descriptions, explanations, examples, or facts.

Read the passage. Circle the main idea and underline the key details.



Being the star of a school play can be really difficult. First, he or she needs to memorize many lines. Second, he or she needs to prepare for many scenes. Finally, the star has to work hard to give a perfect performance. He or she must not make any mistakes. Being the star of a play may be hard, but it is really fun, too.

• LET'S READ! •

Who do you think is a member of a drama club?



INTENSIVE READING

JOIN THE DRAMA CLUB

Are you thinking of joining our Drama Club? Here are some things you need to know before you make your decision.

Being part of the Drama Club can be fun and challenging. You'll be involved in many different activities throughout the school year.



In September, members of the Drama Club hold meetings. They talk about the schedule of the **tryouts** for the musical **play** they will present at the end of the year. They also learn the **skills** needed for the main and supporting **roles** in the play.



In October, members of the club prepare for the tryouts. They memorize the **script** and practice their singing, dancing, and acting skills. Then, they show the skills they practiced in a series of tryouts. The results are given on the last week of November. Those who will not perform on stage may choose to help make the costumes or work as **stagehands**.



The club prepares for the play from December to March. This is considered **the busiest** period for the members of the club. They meet at least three times a week to practice. The actors practice their **performance**. The stagehands make the props for each **scene** in the play. On the last week of March, the club starts selling tickets for the play.



The Drama Club presents their play in April. On the day of the performance, every member of the Drama Club works together to give the audience a perfect play.

So, do you think you're ready to be part of our Drama Club? If yes, then go to the school auditorium now and register!

Say if the statement is the main idea of the passage or a key detail.



1. Being a member of the Drama Club can be fun and challenging because one has to be involved in many different activities throughout the school year.
2. A member of the Drama Club has to attend meetings.

WRITING PREPARATION

You are a member of your school's drama club. Talk about what you do.

As a member of the Drama Club, I attend meetings _____.
_____. I always practice really hard to _____.
I go to tryouts to _____. On the day of the school play,
_____.

HINTS

- role
- school year
- show my skills
- work together
- show

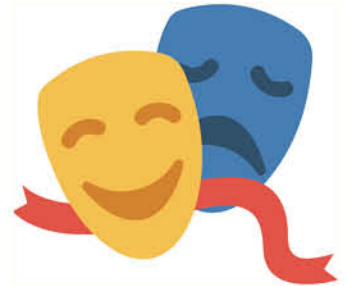
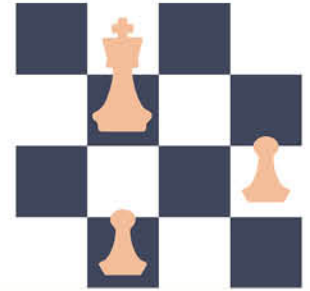
WRITING PROJECT

If you are a member of a club at school please answer the questions below:

1. Which school club are you a member of?
2. What do you do as a member of that club?
3. What makes being a member of that club fun?

If you are not a member of any clubs at school, what club would you like to join or start?

Write a passage about this after class.



Today we learned:

TOPIC

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GRAMMAR

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