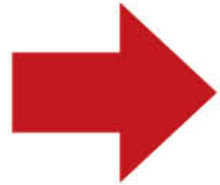




Are You Ready?

Listen to me.



Eyes on me.





FAST READING

Classic English Junior Level 6 - Unit 8 Work and Jobs

Lesson

2

A Special Day as an Artist



Lesson Structure

1	Learning Objective
2	Warm-up
3	Reading Preparation—Vocabulary
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5	Fast Reading
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You are going to read an article called
“A Special Day as an Artist”.
In the article you will learn:



Genre

Narrative fiction



Key words

exhibition, ceremony, gallery, crowd, artist, weird,
honor, canvas



Have you visited an art gallery before?
If yes, which art gallery have you visited?





Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.



ex•hi•bi•tion *n*



I went to see a famous **exhibition** today.



cer•e•mo•ny *n*



Tomorrow will be the day of our graduation **ceremony**.

Use a **key word** to ask a question:

Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.



gal•le•ry *n*



There are a lot of people
in the **gallery** today.



crowd *n*



You will see a big **crowd**
if you go to a Taipei night
market at midnight.

Use a **key word** to
make a sentence:

Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.

**art•ist** *n*

Adam is a talented **artist**.

**weird** *adj*

Compared to the others, this red mushroom looks very **weird**.

Use your own words
to explain the **key**
words:

Reading Preparation—Vocabulary

02:00

Learn and say.

**hon•or** *n*

She received the highest **honor** from the King due to her bravery in battle.

**can•vas** *n*

Artists usually paint on **canvas**.

Use a **key word** to make a sentence:



Let's Read!



A Special Day as an Artist

A narrative fiction story
Written by Timmy

Genre—Narrative Fiction:

Narrative fiction involves connected events told through scene-by-scene narration. It has **character**, **setting**, and **plot**.

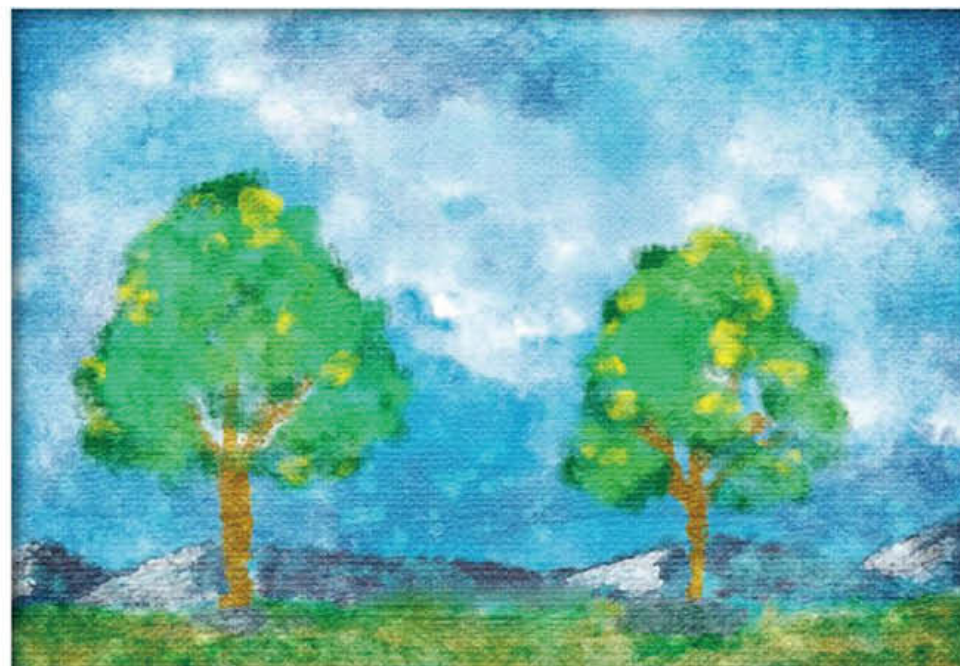
Elements:

- **Character:** Who is in the story?
- **Setting:** When and where does the story happen?
- **Plot:** What happens in the story?

This morning, a really **weird** thing happened to me.

At 7:30 a.m., when I left my house and walked toward the school bus stop, a man rushed up to me. He gave me some cool sunglasses and pushed me into an expensive car!!!

I was totally shocked and kept yelling
“What’s happening?”
“Who are you?” I kept asking.



When and where did the weird thing happen?

“Sir, you are already late for your art **exhibition ceremony**. All of the guests are waiting for you.”

“What? I have an art ex...?”

Before I could finish my words, the car shot out like an arrow. Then we stopped in front of an art **gallery**. Several big men ran over and helped me out of the car. They put a fancy coat on me and pushed me onto a huge stage surrounded by **crowds** of people.



Why were the guests waiting for Timmy?

“Finally, here is our great **artist**, Timmy Smith!” said a beautiful presenter, “We all know that he is too shy to speak to the public, but he uses all of these fantastic drawings to express the words he wants to say to the world! Let’s give him a round of applause for all his great work!”



What did the presenter say about Timmy?

“So I am an artist?” I said, confused. The beautiful presenter, who I could now see was Cindy, said, “Yes, this is my best friend, Timmy. I don’t know anyone who loves drawing like him. He could keep drawing for months without going anywhere. He would even forget to eat. He never stops drawing, even on our way to church every Sunday. He deserves lots of **honors** for being so diligent!”



Was Timmy a good artist? Why?

I couldn't believe what I heard. "Wow, I am SO diligent!" As I was wondering, I heard Cindy say, "Yes, Mr. Smith draws almost everything: from nature to people, buildings to animals. And he draws on everything: walls, paper, **canvas**, wood, glass, and even leaves."

When I was still smiling about what she said, suddenly, something soft hit my head. "You are already late for school, Timmy! Hurry up!"

Oh my, it was all just a dream.



**Is Timmy a real artist?
Why or why not?**

Today we learned a narrative fiction story.

CSP CHART

C Character

Who is the main character?

S Setting

When and where does the story happen?

P Plot

What happens?



Wrap-up**02:00**

I Can Do It

We also learned about the following key words.

Key Words

exhibition, ceremony,
gallery, crowd, artist,
weird, honor, canvas





Goodbye!

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