

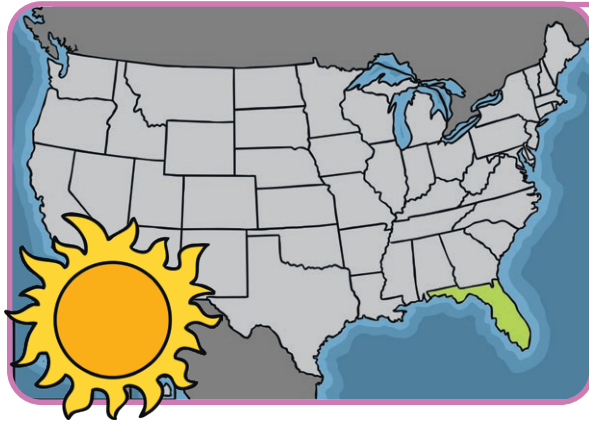
Ariana Grande

Who Is She?

Ariana Grande is an American singer and actress. She was born on 26th June 1993. Her mum is called Joan and her dad is called Edward. She has a big brother named Frankie.

What Has She Done?

- acted in plays and stage shows
- acted on TV shows
- sang live on TV
- recorded 5 albums
- toured the world



Did You Know...?

Ariana lives in Florida, where it is very warm and sunny.

Did You Know...?

Ariana's five albums are called:

- Yours Truly
- My Everything
- Dangerous Woman
- Sweetener
- Thank U, Next



Questions

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- ☐ 1997

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- ☐ singer
- ☐ vet

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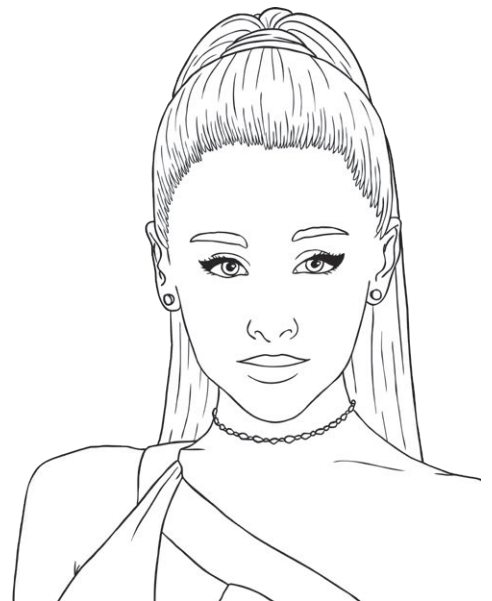
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Ariana's Childhood

Ariana loved to act and sing when she was young. She spent lots of time acting at a children's theatre group. Ariana was so good that she was given the main part of Annie in a stage show when she was just 8 years old!

Did You Know...?

When Ariana was in 'Victorious' she had to dye her hair red every two weeks!

When Did Ariana Become Famous?

In 2009, Ariana got the role of Cat Valentine in the TV show 'Victorious'. Many people watched the show and Ariana became famous around the world.

Ariana enjoyed acting but really wanted to make her own music. She told her managers that she wanted to make an album. Her managers thought that it would be hard to do because she was so young, but because they believed in her, they started working on her music.

Did You Know...?

Ariana has made five albums so far:

- Her first album was called 'Yours Truly';
- Her second album was called 'My Everything';
- Her third album was called 'Dangerous Woman';
- Her fourth album was called 'Sweetener';
- Her fifth album was called 'Thank U, Next'.



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- ☐ New York
- ☐ Florida
- ☐ London

2. Draw lines to match these sentence about Ariana.

Young Ariana loved •

Ariana played •

Ariana really wanted •

• to make an album.

• to act and sing.

• Cat Valentine on TV.

3. Number Ariana's albums in the order they were made.

- ☐ My Everything
- ☐ Dangerous Woman
- ☐ Yours Truly
- ☐ Thank U, Next
- ☐ Sweetener

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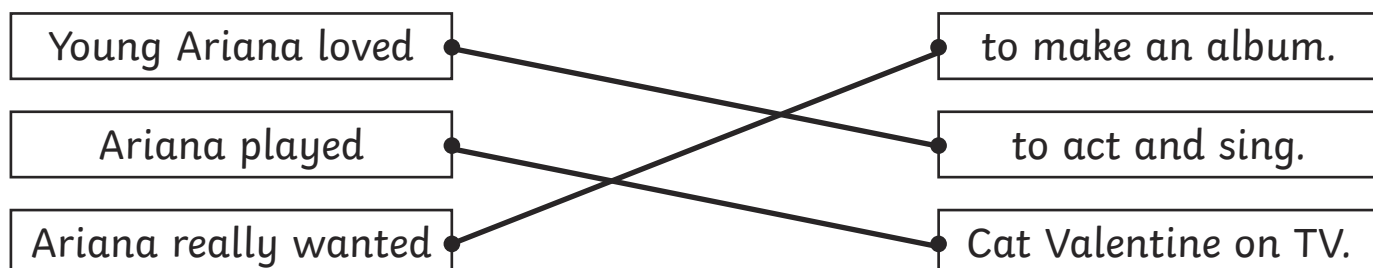


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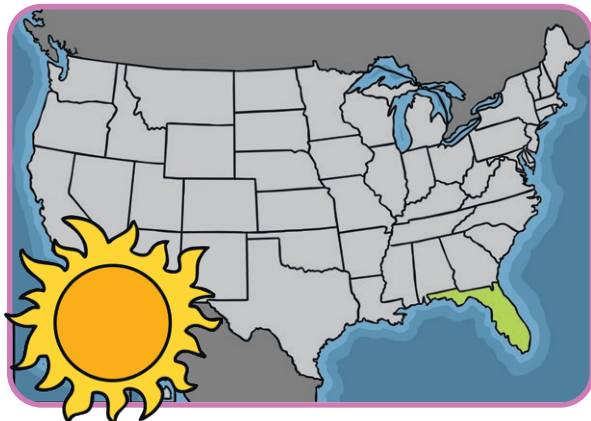
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Did You Know...?

- Ariana's first two albums went straight to number one.
- When Ariana was in 'Victorious', she had to dye her hair red every two weeks!
- Ariana's favourite singers are Mariah Carey and Whitney Houston.



When Did Ariana Become Famous?

Ariana's singing was so good that a local ice hockey team asked her to sing the national anthem at one of their games. It was shown on television across America.



In 2009, Ariana got the role of Cat Valentine in the popular TV show 'Victorious'. The show was very successful. Almost 6 million people watched the show and Ariana became famous around the world.

Even though she was enjoying acting, Ariana knew that she really wanted to make music. She told her managers that she wanted to make her own album. Her managers thought that it would be difficult because she was so young but they believed in her and started working on her music.

Did You Know...?

Ariana has made five albums so far:

- Her first album, 'Yours Truly', was released on 30th August 2013;
- 'My Everything' was released on 25th August 2014;
- 'Dangerous Woman', was released on 20th May 2016;
- Her fourth album, 'Sweetener' was released on 17th August 2018;
- Her last album, 'Thank U, Next', was released on 8th February 2019.



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From a young age Ariana loved to _____.

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Accept any answer along the lines of: Because it is surprising that she has sang on a cruise ship.

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Accept any answer along the lines of: popular, famous, well-known, celebrated.

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Child's own response. Accept any answer as long as it references one thing from the text and the child provides two reasons, e.g. I think the best thing she has done is released five albums because she is very young to have made this much music and two of them went straight to number one.

