apparently adv. 1.Apparently, you have done a lot of work. 2.He was apparently much surprised at the news.

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apparent adj.

1.It's apparent that you can't be trusted.

It is apparent that the fitness center has serious financial problems

Time Subtitle n & vt 1.A rumor went through the town

12s So, a few years ago I heard an interesting rumor

.I heard a rumor that the headmaster is leaving.

- 16s Apparently, the head of a large pet food company
- 18s would go into the annual shareholder's meeting
- 20s with can of dog food.
- 22s And he would eat the can of dog food.
- 24s And this was his way of convincing them that if it was good enough for him,
- 28s it was good enough for their pets.
- 29s This strategy is now known as "dogfooding,"
- 32s and it's a common strategy in the business world.
- 34s It doesn't mean everyone goes in and eats dog food,
- 37s but businesspeople will use their own products
- 39s to demonstrate that they feel --
- 40s that they're confident in them.
- 42s Now, this is a widespread practice,
- 44s but I think what's really interesting is when you find exceptions
- 47s to this rule.
- 48s when you find cases of businesses or people in businesses
- 51s who don't use their own products.
- 53s Turns out there's one industry where this happens in a common way,
- 56s in a pretty regular way,
- 57s and that is the screen-based tech industry.
- 1:00 So, in 2010, Steve Jobs, when he was releasing the iPad,
- 1:04 described the iPad as a device that was "extraordinary."
- 1:08 "The best browsing experience you've ever had;
- 1:10 way better than a laptop, way better than a smartphone.
- 1:13 lt's an incredible experience."
- 1:15 A couple of months later, he was approached by a journalist
- 1:17 from the New York Times,
- 1:19 and they had a long phone call.
- 1:20 At the end of the call.
- 1:21 the journalist threw in a question that seemed like a sort of softball.
- 1:25 He said to him, "Your kids must love the iPad."
- 1:28 There's an obvious answer to this,
- 1:30 but what Jobs said really staggered the journalist.
- 1:32 He was very surprised,
- 1:34 because he said, "They haven't used it.
- 1:36 We limit how much technology our kids use at home."