



Listening text 1: The most common type of crime among boys 1

Words you might need:



to flatten	<i>platt machen</i>	eyewitness	<i>Augenzeuge</i>
joyride	<i>Spritztour</i>	pylon	<i>Strommast</i>
to handcuff	<i>Handschellen anlegen</i>	to amount to	<i>sich belaufen auf</i>
to charge sb with theft	<i>jdn anklagen wegen Diebstahl</i>	burglary	<i>Einbruch</i>
		to participate in	<i>teilnehmen an</i>

- Listen to the text and fill in the missing figures.
 - On _____ October, 2011 around _____ o'clock, the police received a call.
 - A boy of about _____ years was sitting on a _____-foot fence.
 - He was motoring along at about _____ miles per hour.
 - The damage amounted to _____ dollars.
 - Joyriding is the most common type of crime among boys under _____.

2. Listen again. Are these statements true or false? Correct them if necessary.

	true	false
a) The boy crossed the front yard of an eyewitness.		
b) He crashed into a house.		
c) The house was damaged on the outside.		
d) The police know where the boy got the keys from.		
e) They know where he learned to drive.		

3. Answer the questions in complete sentences.

- How did the boy learn to drive?

- How will the boy be punished?

- Why is joyriding a common crime among boys?



Listening text 2: The School of the Air 2

Words you might need:



outback	<i>australisches Hinterland</i>	to spread	<i>verteilen, ausbreiten</i>
square kilometre	<i>Quadratkilometer</i>	sunrise	<i>Sonnenaufgang</i>
coop	<i>Hühnerstall</i>	to sign off	<i>sich abmelden</i>
to receive	<i>bekommen, empfangen</i>	field team	<i>Außendienst</i>
boarding school	<i>Internat</i>		

1. Listen to the text and complete the facts about Alice Springs School of the Air (ASSA).

Number of students: _____ Number of staff: _____ teachers
 Size of area: _____ million sq km Age of students: _____ to _____ years
 Farthest students: _____ km from Alice Class size: _____ to _____ students
 Springs

2. Listen again and answer the questions with short sentences.

a) What equipment is used in the Classroom of the Air?

b) Why can Anne's brother help her with her homework?

c) What does Anne receive by post several times a year?

d) What's the job of the field team?

e) When will Anne go to a boarding school?

3. Are these statements true or false? Correct them if necessary.

		true	false
a)	Anne has seven half-hour lessons every week.		
b)	She has a personal ten-minute lesson with her teacher every day.		
c)	She has to study five hours every day.		
d)	Students are spread over a region twice as large as Germany.		
e)	The field service takes about 14 weeks to visit all students.		



Listening text 3: The first teenager to fly around the world 3

Words you might need:



commercial licence	<i>Berufspiloten-Lizenz</i>	single-engine	<i>einmotorig</i>
aircraft	<i>Flugzeug</i>	to achieve	<i>vollbringen, leisten</i>
space	<i>Weltraum</i>	stopover	<i>Zwischenlandung</i>
leg	<i>Etappe</i>	glacier	<i>Gletscher</i>
permission	<i>Erlaubnis</i>	exhausted	<i>erschöpft</i>

1. Listen to the text and complete the fact sheet about Ryan Campbell.

- a) First time in a cockpit: at the age of _____
- b) First flying lesson: at the age of _____
- c) First solo flight: at the age of _____
- d) Private pilot's licence: at the age of _____
- e) Commercial pilot's licence: at the age of _____
- f) World record: at the age of _____



2. Listen again. Are these statements true, false or not mentioned in the text? Correct the false statements.

		true	false	not mentioned
a)	Ryan's first flight was to an island in the Pacific.			
b)	He got his driving licence at the age of 17.			
c)	He planned his route around the world on the Internet.			
d)	He had no helpers.			
e)	He saw the pyramids from the air.			

3. Complete the sentences with information from the text.

- a) Ryan took off from Wollongong on _____.
- b) He flew his plane over _____ countries.
- c) He made more than _____ stopovers.
- d) He took _____ days to fly around the world.
- e) He returned to Australia on _____.
- f) All in all he did about _____ kilometres.