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Trump and Kim Jong-un could get the Nobel Peace Prize

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Please try Levels 0, 1 and 3. They are (a little) harder.

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THE READING

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Donald Trump and Kim Jong-un could get a Nobel Peace Prize. The two leaders could win the award after their historic meeting in Singapore. Betting companies cut their odds on one or both of them getting the prize. President Trump is now 2/1 to get it, either alone or as part of a team. North Korea giving up its nuclear weapons and the USA stopping "war games" with South Korea would definitely make the world a safer place. A Nobel Prize historian said: "If [there was] real disarmament on the Korean peninsula, it would be very difficult to not award them the prize."

The historic meeting between the leaders is a key event of the early twenty-first century. It was the first time ever that leaders from the U.S. and North Korea have met. The two men shook hands, met in private, had lunch together, and signed an agreement for a better future. Some people say they do not deserve the prize. They say the world is less secure because Mr Trump withdrew from the Paris Climate Agreement and upset the Iran nuclear deal. Critics also point to human rights issues in North Korea. Other people say South Korea's President Moon Jae-in deserves the prize.

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PHRASE MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. after their historic | a. part of a team |
| 2. Betting companies cut | b. a safer place |
| 3. one or both of them | c. award them the prize |
| 4. either alone or as | d. getting the prize |
| 5. North Korea giving | e. the Korean peninsula |
| 6. make the world | f. their odds |
| 7. real disarmament on | g. up its nuclear weapons |
| 8. difficult to not | h. meeting in Singapore |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. a key event of the early | a. deal |
| 2. It was the first time | b. private |
| 3. The two men shook | c. deserves the prize |
| 4. met in | d. twenty-first century |
| 5. They say the world is less | e. issues |
| 6. upset the Iran nuclear | f. ever |
| 7. human rights | g. secure |
| 8. President Moon Jae-in | h. hands |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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Donald Trump and Kim Jong-un (1) _____ Nobel Peace Prize. The two leaders could win the award after their historic meeting in Singapore. Betting companies (2) _____ on one or both of them getting the prize. President Trump is now 2/1 to get it, either alone (3) _____ of a team. North Korea (4) _____ nuclear weapons and the USA stopping "war games" with South Korea would definitely make (5) _____ safer place. A Nobel Prize historian said: "If [there was] real disarmament on the Korean peninsula, it would be very difficult to not (6) _____ prize."

The historic meeting between the leaders (7) _____ event of the early twenty-first century. It was the first time ever that (8) _____ U.S. and North Korea have met. The two men shook hands, met in private, (9) _____, and signed an agreement for a better future. Some people say they do not deserve the prize. They say the world (10) _____ because Mr Trump withdrew from the Paris Climate Agreement and upset the Iran nuclear deal. Critics also (11) _____ rights issues in North Korea. Other people say South Korea's President Moon Jae-in (12) _____.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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NOBEL PEACE PRIZE SURVEY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1806/180615-nobel-peace-prize-4.html>

Write five GOOD questions about Nobel Peace Prize in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

