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## **Level 0**

### **Woman had to go on honeymoon without husband**

**14th July, 2016**

<http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1607/160714-honeymoon-0.html>

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**Please try Levels 1, 2 and 3. They are (a little) harder.**

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# THE READING

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1607/160714-honeymoon-0.html>

A woman went on honeymoon to Greece alone. Newlyweds Huma Mobin and Arsalaan Sever from Pakistan wanted to go to Greece for their second honeymoon. The Greek embassy did not give Arsalaan a visa. Huma decided to go alone. She had paid for the trip. A few weeks later, Arsalaan's parents decided to go with her.

Huma's honeymoon photos went viral. In each picture, she had a sad face and an arm around her missing husband. Huma said she was sad Arsalaan was not there. She said: "He's the life of the party." Arsalaan's mother told her to have a good time. Huma and Arsalaan want to go somewhere for their wedding anniversary.

Sources: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/world-asia-36777060>  
<http://www.huffingtonpost.in/2016/07/11/this-newlywed-pakistani-bride-went-on-her-honeymoon-alone/>  
<http://www.indiatimes.com/lifestyle/self/after-her-husband-was-denied-a-visa-this-lady-pulled-off-a-queen-went-on-a-vacation-anyway-258180.html>

# PHRASE MATCHING

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1607/160714-honeymoon-0.html>

## PARAGRAPH ONE:

- |                                  |                 |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. A woman went                  | a. to go alone  |
| 2. second                        | b. the trip     |
| 3. The Greek                     | c. weeks later  |
| 4. give Arsalaan                 | d. honeymoon    |
| 5. Huma decided                  | e. on honeymoon |
| 6. She had paid for              | f. embassy      |
| 7. A few                         | g. go with her  |
| 8. Arsalaan's parents decided to | h. a visa       |

## PARAGRAPH TWO:

- |                                  |                        |
|----------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Huma's honeymoon photos went  | a. her missing husband |
| 2. In each                       | b. have a good time    |
| 3. she had                       | c. picture             |
| 4. an arm around                 | d. of the party        |
| 5. she was sad Arsalaan          | e. viral               |
| 6. He's the life                 | f. anniversary         |
| 7. Arsalaan's mother told her to | g. a sad face          |
| 8. wedding                       | h. was not there       |

# LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1607/160714-honeymoon-0.html>

A woman (1) \_\_\_\_\_ to Greece alone. Newlyweds

Huma Mobin and Arsalaan Sever (2) \_\_\_\_\_

wanted to go to Greece (3) \_\_\_\_\_ honeymoon.

The Greek embassy (4) \_\_\_\_\_ Arsalaan a visa.

Huma decided (5) \_\_\_\_\_. She had paid for the

trip. A few weeks later, Arsalaan's parents (6) \_\_\_\_\_

with her.

Huma's honeymoon (7) \_\_\_\_\_. In each picture,

she had a sad face (8) \_\_\_\_\_ around her

missing husband. Huma said (9) \_\_\_\_\_ Arsalaan

was not there. She said: "He's the (10) \_\_\_\_\_."

Arsalaan's mother (11) \_\_\_\_\_ a good time.

Huma and Arsalaan want to go somewhere for their

(12) \_\_\_\_\_.

# PUT A SLASH ( / ) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1607/160714-honeymoon-0.html>

AwomanwentonhoneymoontoGreecealone.NewlywedsHumaMobin  
andArsalaanSeverfromPakistanwantedtogotoGreecefortheirsecond  
honeymoon.TheGreekembassydidnotgiveArsalaanavisa.Humadeci  
dedtogoalone.Shehadpaidforthetrip.Afewweekslater,Arsalaan'sp  
arentsdecidedtogowithher.Huma'shoneymoonphotoswentviral.Ine  
achpicture,shehadasadfaceandanarmaroundhermissinghusband.H  
umasaidshewassadArsalaanwasnotthere.Shesaid:"He'sthelifeofthe  
party."Arsalaan'smothertoldhertohaveagoodtime.HumaandArsalaa  
nwanttogosomewherefortheirweddinganniversary.

# HONEYMOONS SURVEY

From <http://www.breakingnewsenglish.com/1607/160714-honeymoon-4.html>

Write five GOOD questions about honeymoons 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) \_\_\_\_\_

