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Level 0 – 28th October, 2021

Squid Game clothes in high demand worldwide

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

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THE READING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2110/211028-squid-game-0.html>

People are trying to buy the green tracksuits and pink jumpsuits from the popular South Korean TV series "Squid Game". They want to wear them as Halloween costumes. Clothes factories in Korea are trying to make enough clothes. One factory owner said her business is better because of Squid Game and Halloween.

Squid Game is helping South Korean culture becoming popular worldwide. It is now Netflix's most watched series ever. Around 142 million people watched it in the 28 days after its release. The series is a contest between players who are in debt. They play children's games to try to win money to get out of debt.

Sources: <https://www.reuters.com/world/asia-pacific/high-demand-squid-game-tracksuits-cheers-skoreas-struggling-garment-sector-2021-10-22/>
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PHRASE MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|-----------------------------|---------------|
| 1. trying to buy the green | a. in Korea |
| 2. the popular South Korean | b. them |
| 3. They want to wear | c. owner |
| 4. Halloween | d. TV series |
| 5. Clothes factories | e. better |
| 6. trying to make enough | f. costumes |
| 7. One factory | g. tracksuits |
| 8. her business is | h. clothes |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. helping South Korean | a. series ever |
| 2. becoming popular | b. debt |
| 3. Netflix's most watched | c. of debt |
| 4. Around 142 million people | d. worldwide |
| 5. in the 28 days | e. money |
| 6. players who are in | f. after its release |
| 7. try to win | g. culture |
| 8. get out | h. watched it |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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People are (1) _____ the green tracksuits and pink jumpsuits (2) _____ South Korean TV series "Squid Game". They (3) _____ them as Halloween costumes. (4) _____ Korea are trying to make enough clothes. One (5) _____ her business is (6) _____ Squid Game and Halloween.

Squid Game is helping South Korean (7) _____ worldwide. (8) _____ Netflix's most watched series ever. Around 142 million (9) _____ in the 28 days (10) _____. The series is a contest between players who (11) _____. They play children's games to try to win (12) _____ out of debt.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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SQUID GAME SURVEY

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Write five GOOD questions about Squid Game 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) _____

