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THE ARTICLE

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World leaders have congratulated Donald Trump on his surprise win in the U.S. Presidential election on Tuesday. Other leaders were a little less warm. Mr Trump defeated his rival Hillary Clinton to become the USA's 45th President. He will take office on January 20, 2017. He will then be aged 70 years, 7 months and 6 days. This means he will be the oldest person to become President. In his victory speech, Mr Trump told Americans: "Working together, we will begin the urgent task of rebuilding our nation and renewing the American dream. [We will] have the strongest economy anywhere in the world. At the same time, we will get along with all other nations willing to get along with us."

Russia's president Vladimir Putin was among the first to congratulate Mr Trump. He said: "We are ready to do our part to return Russian-American relations to a stable path of development." China said it looked forward to working, "in a constructive way that avoided conflict and confrontation". Mexican President Pena Nieto said: "Mexico and the United States are friends, partners and allies and we should keep collaborating." France's President Francois Hollande said the result, "opens a period of uncertainty". Germany's Justice Minister tweeted: "The world won't end, but things will get more crazy." Japan's Prime Minister Shinzo Abe said: "Hand in hand with Mr Trump, we will try to work together."

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WARM-UPS

1. DONALD TRUMP: Students walk around the class and talk to other students about Donald Trump. Change partners often and share your findings.

2. CHAT: In pairs / groups, talk about these topics or words from the article. What will the article say about them? What can you say about these words and your life?

world leaders / surprise / rival / take office / President / victory speech / dream / ready / relations / development / constructive / conflict / collaborating / crazy

Have a chat about the topics you liked. Change topics and partners frequently.

3. MAKE AMERICA GREAT AGAIN: Students A **strongly** believe Donald Trump will make America great again; Students B **strongly** believe he won't. Change partners again and talk about your conversations.

4. WORLD LEADERS: What are the good and bad things about these world leaders? Complete this table with your partner(s). Change partners often and share what you wrote.

| | Good | Bad |
|-------------------------|------|-----|
| Barack Obama (USA) | | |
| Bashar al-Assad (Syria) | | |
| Vladimir Putin (Russia) | | |
| Xi Jinping (China) | | |
| Narendra Modi (India) | | |
| Angela Merkel (Germany) | | |

5. PRESIDENT: Spend one minute writing down all of the different words you associate with the word "president". Share your words with your partner(s) and talk about them. Together, put the words into different categories.

6. AMERICA: Rank these with your partner. Put the best things about the USA at the top. Change partners often and share your rankings.

- democracy
- freedom
- Hollywood
- sports
- food
- people
- free speech
- nature

BEFORE READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

1. TRUE / FALSE: Read the headline. Guess if a-h below are true (T) or false (F).

- a. The article says Donald Trump's win was no surprise. **T / F**
- b. Donald Trump will become the USA's 45th President. **T / F**
- c. Donald Trump will be the oldest person to become U.S. President. **T / F**
- d. Mr Trump says he will make America the world's strongest economy. **T / F**
- e. Vladimir Putin was the first person to congratulate Donald Trump. **T / F**
- f. Mexico's president said the US and Mexico should stop collaborating. **T / F**
- g. France's leader said he was happy the future is now more certain. **T / F**
- h. Japan's leader said he would work hand in hand with Mr Trump. **T / F**

2. SYNONYM MATCH:

Match the following synonyms. The words in **bold** are from the news article.

- | | |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1. win | a. secure |
| 2. a little | b. beat |
| 3. defeated | c. time |
| 4. speech | d. slightly |
| 5. willing | e. one of |
| 6. among | f. prepared |
| 7. stable | g. victory |
| 8. avoid | h. mad |
| 9. period | i. stay away from |
| 10. crazy | j. talk |

3. PHRASE MATCH: (Sometimes more than one choice is possible.)

- | | |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. World leaders have | a. speech |
| 2. take | b. uncertainty |
| 3. victory | c. dream |
| 4. renewing the American | d. the first |
| 5. nations willing to get | e. and allies |
| 6. Putin was among | f. office |
| 7. We are ready to do | g. more crazy |
| 8. friends, partners | h. our part |
| 9. a period of | i. along with us |
| 10. things will get | j. congratulated Donald Trump |

GAP FILL

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office
surprise
dream
victory
rival
willing
means
urgent

Russia's president Vladimir Putin was (9) _____ the first to congratulate Mr Trump. He said: "We are ready to do our (10) _____ to return Russian-American relations to a stable path of development." China said it looked (11) _____ to working, "in a constructive way that (12) _____ conflict and confrontation". Mexican President Pena Nieto said: "Mexico and the United States are friends, (13) _____ and allies and we should keep collaborating." France's President Francois Hollande said the result, "opens a (14) _____ of uncertainty". Germany's Justice Minister tweeted: "The world won't end, but things will get more (15) _____." Japan's Prime Minister Shinzo Abe said: "Hand in hand with Mr Trump, we will try to work (16) _____."

forward
among
together
partners
part
crazy
period
avoided

LISTENING – Guess the answers. Listen to check.

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

- 1) Other leaders were a little _____
 - a. lesser warm
 - b. less warm
 - c. lest warm
 - d. less warmly
- 2) ...to become the USA's 45th President. He will _____ January 20
 - a. take office in
 - b. take official on
 - c. take office on
 - d. takes office on
- 3) This means he will be the oldest person _____
 - a. too become President
 - b. to becomes President
 - c. to become President
 - d. to becoming President
- 4) we will begin the urgent task of rebuilding our nation and renewing _____
 - a. the America dream
 - b. the American dreamer
 - c. the America dreaming
 - d. the American dream
- 5) we will get along with all other nations willing to get _____
 - a. a long with us
 - b. all long with us
 - c. a lone with us
 - d. along with us
- 6) Russia's president Vladimir Putin was among the first _____ Mr Trump
 - a. too congratulates
 - b. to congratulate
 - c. two congratulate
 - d. to congratulates
- 7) do our part to return Russian-American relations to a _____ development
 - a. stable path of
 - b. staple path of
 - c. stay bull path of
 - d. stray bull path of
- 8) it looked forward to working in a constructive way that _____ confrontation
 - a. avoid it conflict and
 - b. avoided conflict and
 - c. avoided conflicts and
 - d. avoid conflict and
- 9) Francois Hollande said the result, "opens a period _____"
 - a. of uncertainty
 - b. if uncertain tea
 - c. of a certain tea
 - d. of non-certain tea
- 10) The world won't end, but things will _____
 - a. get more crazies
 - b. get more crazy
 - c. get more crazily
 - d. get more crazier

LISTENING – Listen and fill in the gaps

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COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

1. What did world leaders do to Donald Trump after his election win?
2. How many U.S. Presidents were there before Donald Trump?
3. How old will Donald Trump be when he takes office?
4. What did Mr Trump say he would renew?
5. What kind of economy does Mr Trump want to create for America?
6. Who did the article say was one of the first to congratulate Mr Trump?
7. What does China want to avoid?
8. What did Mexico say the USA and Mexico should keep doing?
9. What kind of period did France's president say the world was entering?
10. Who said he would work hand in hand with Mr Trump?

MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

- 1) What did world leaders do to Donald Trump after his election win?
 - a) congratulate him
 - b) applaud him
 - c) thank him
 - d) e-mail him
- 2) How many U.S. Presidents were there before Donald Trump?
 - a) 46
 - b) 45
 - c) 44
 - d) 43
- 3) How old will Donald Trump be when he takes office?
 - a) 60
 - b) 70
 - c) 65
 - d) 75
- 4) What did Mr Trump say he would renew?
 - a) his Washington Post subscription
 - b) his driving license
 - c) relations with Iran
 - d) the American dream
- 5) What kind of economy does Mr Trump want to create for America?
 - a) the world's strongest
 - b) an IT economy
 - c) a beautiful one
 - d) a green economy
- 6) Who did the article say was one of the first to congratulate Mr Trump?
 - a) Mexico's president
 - b) Barack Obama
 - c) his wife
 - d) Vladimir Putin
- 7) What does China want to avoid?
 - a) Russia
 - b) conflict
 - c) meetings
 - d) embarrassment
- 8) What did Mexico say the USA and Mexico should keep doing?
 - a) trading
 - b) building bridges
 - c) playing soccer
 - d) collaborating
- 9) What kind of period did France's president say the world was entering?
 - a) one filled with optimism
 - b) a happy one
 - c) an uncertain one
 - d) a more secure one
- 10) Who said he would work hand in hand with Mr Trump?
 - a) Germany's Justice Minister
 - b) Shinzo Abe
 - c) Pena Nieto
 - d) Francois Hollande

ROLE PLAY

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Role A – Democracy

You think democracy is the best thing about America. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their things aren't as great. Also, tell the others which is the least great of these (and why): free speech, people or nature.

Role B – Free Speech

You think free speech is the best thing about America. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their things aren't as great. Also, tell the others which is the least great of these (and why): democracy, people or nature.

Role C – People

You think people are the best things about America. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their things aren't as great. Also, tell the others which is the least great of these (and why): free speech, democracy or nature.

Role D – Nature

You think nature is the best thing about America. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them why their things aren't as great. Also, tell the others which is the least great of these (and why): free speech, people or democracy.

AFTER READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

1. WORD SEARCH: Look in your dictionary / computer to find collocates, other meanings, information, synonyms ... for the words 'American' and 'dream'.

| | |
|-----------------|--------------|
| American | dream |
|-----------------|--------------|

- Share your findings with your partners.
- Make questions using the words you found.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

2. ARTICLE QUESTIONS: Look back at the article and write down some questions you would like to ask the class about the text.

- Share your questions with other classmates / groups.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

3. GAP FILL: In pairs / groups, compare your answers to this exercise. Check your answers. Talk about the words from the activity. Were they new, interesting, worth learning...?

4. VOCABULARY: Circle any words you do not understand. In groups, pool unknown words and use dictionaries to find their meanings.

5. TEST EACH OTHER: Look at the words below. With your partner, try to recall how they were used in the text:

| | |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none">• surprise• rival• office• speech• dream• willing | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• first• path• way• friends• opens• hand |
|--|---|

DONALD TRUMP SURVEY

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Write five GOOD questions about Donald Trump 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.

DONALD TRUMP DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. What did you think when you read the headline?
2. What springs to mind when you hear the word 'election'?
3. What did you think of the US election result?
4. What do you know about Donald Trump?
5. Do you think Donald Trump will be a good president?
6. What do you think of a country's leader being 70 years old?
7. What is the American dream?
8. What does Mr Trump need to do to make America great again?
9. How does your country get along with America?
10. What advice do you have for Donald Trump?

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DONALD TRUMP DISCUSSION

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

11. Did you like reading this article? Why/not?
12. What do you know about Hillary Clinton?
13. What did you think of the election campaign?
14. What will Donald Trump do as president?
15. How will the USA get along with other countries from now?
16. How important is it to be friends with the USA?
17. In what way might things 'get more crazy'?
18. What do you think of Donald Trump?
19. How will the USA be different in four years from now?
20. What questions would you like to ask Donald Trump?

DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

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DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

LANGUAGE - CLOZE

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Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

- | | | | | |
|-----|---------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|
| 1. | (a) surprises | (b) surprise | (c) surprised | (d) surprisingly |
| 2. | (a) fewer | (b) less | (c) small | (d) smaller |
| 3. | (a) revel | (b) rebel | (c) libel | (d) rival |
| 4. | (a) old | (b) aged | (c) age | (d) birthday |
| 5. | (a) talking | (b) speech | (c) conversation | (d) voice |
| 6. | (a) wailing | (b) welling | (c) willing | (d) walling |
| 7. | (a) one | (b) between | (c) among | (d) on |
| 8. | (a) stability | (b) staple | (c) stable | (d) stubble |
| 9. | (a) so | (b) just | (c) what | (d) that |
| 10. | (a) have | (b) do | (c) make | (d) keep |
| 11. | (a) crazy | (b) crazies | (c) crazily | (d) craze |
| 12. | (a) arm | (b) head | (c) hand | (d) foot |

SPELLING

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Paragraph 1

1. leaders have ucrnaalotedtg Donald Trump
2. Mr Trump eetddaef his rival Hillary Clinton
3. He will take fcoefi on January 20
4. In his ycvoitr speech
5. begin the ruetgn task of rebuilding our nation
6. We will have the strongest oeyomcn anywhere

Paragraph 2

7. Vladimir Putin was manog the first
8. Russian-American isoaltre
9. a constructive way that avoided nfciclot
10. friends, partners and laseil
11. opens a pdrioe of uncertainty
12. things will get more raycz

PUT THE TEXT BACK TOGETHER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

Number these lines in the correct order.

- () crazy." Japan's Prime Minister Shinzo Abe said: "Hand in hand with Mr Trump, we will try to work together."
- () 6 days. This means he will be the oldest person to become President. In his victory speech, Mr Trump told
- () Russia's president Vladimir Putin was among the first to congratulate Mr Trump. He said: "We are ready to do our
- () said: "Mexico and the United States are friends, partners and allies and we should keep
- () dream. [We will] have the strongest economy anywhere in the world. At the same time, we will get
- () USA's 45th President. He will take office on January 20, 2017. He will then be aged 70 years, 7 months and
- () forward to working, "in a constructive way that avoided conflict and confrontation". Mexican President Pena Nieto
- () collaborating." France's President Francois Hollande said the result, "opens a period of uncertainty". Germany's
- () Justice Minister tweeted: "The world won't end, but things will get more
- () along with all other nations willing to get along with us."
- (**1**) World leaders have congratulated Donald Trump on his surprise win in the U.S. Presidential election
- () Americans: "Working together, we will begin the urgent task of rebuilding our nation and renewing the American
- () part to return Russian-American relations to a stable path of development." China said it looked
- () on Tuesday. Other leaders were a little less warm. Mr Trump defeated his rival Hillary Clinton to become the

PUT THE WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

1. win his Trump congratulated Leaders surprise on Donald have .
2. President This the be will he means to person oldest become .
3. rebuilding We the of nation begin task our will urgent .
4. will strongest in We the anywhere world have economy the .
5. nations other all with along Get us with along get to willing .
6. Russia's first the among was Putin Vladimir president .
7. said: part are He our "We . do return" to to ready
8. to way working It in looked a forward constructive .
9. period the of result uncertainty opens Hollande a said .
10. get more crazy The world won't end , but things will .

CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORD (20 PAIRS)

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1611/161111-president-donald-trump.html>

World leaders have *congratulated / congratulations* Donald Trump on his surprise *win / winning* in the U.S. Presidential election on Tuesday. Other leaders were a little *fewer / less* warm. Mr Trump defeated his *rival / rivalry* Hillary Clinton to become the USA's 45th President. He will take office on January 20, 2017. He will then be *aged / old* 70 years, 7 months and 6 days. This means he will be the oldest *people / person* to become President. In his victory speech, Mr Trump told Americans: "Working together, we will begin the *urgent / urgency* task of rebuilding our nation and renewing the American *dreaming / dream*. [We will] have the strongest *economy / economical* anywhere in the world. At the same time, we will get along with all other nations *wailing / willing* to get along with us."

Russia's president Vladimir Putin was among the first *to / for* congratulate Mr Trump. He said: "We are ready to do our part to *return / returns* Russian-American relations to a *stable / stability* path of development." China said it *looked / watched* forward to working, "in a constructive way that avoided conflict and confrontation". Mexican President Pena Nieto said: "Mexico and the United States *are / be* friends, partners and allies and *we / he* should keep collaborating." France's President Francois Hollande said the result, "opens a *full stop / period* of uncertainty". Germany's Justice Minister tweeted: "The world won't end, but things will get more *crazily / crazy*." Japan's Prime Minister Shinzo Abe said: "Hand in *hand / foot* with Mr Trump, we will *trial / try* to work together."

Talk about the connection between each pair of words in italics, and why the correct word is correct.

INSERT THE VOWELS (a, e, i, o, u)

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W_rld l__d_rs h_v_ c_ngr_t_l_t_d D_n_ld Tr_mp _n h_s
s_rpr_s_ w_n _n th_ _ .S. Pr_s_d_nt_l_ l_ct__n _n
T__sd_y. _th_r l__d_rs w_r_ _ lttl_ l_ss w_rm. Mr
Tr_mp d_f__t_d h_s r_v_l H_ll_ry Cl_nt_n t_ b_c_m_
th_ _S_'s 45th Pr_s_d_nt. H_ w_ll t_k_ _ff_c_ _n
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t_m_, w_ w_ll g_t_l_ng w_th _ll _th_r n_t__ns w_ll_ng
t_g_t_l_ng w_th _s."

R_ss__'s pr_s_d_nt Vl_d_m_r P_t_n w_s _m_ng th_
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w_y th_t _v__d_d c_nfl_ct _nd c_nfr_nt_t__n".
M_x_c_n Pr_s_d_nt P_n_ N__t_s__d: "M_x_c_ _nd th_
_n_t_d St_t_s _r_fr__nds, p_rtn_rs _nd _ll__s _nd w_
sh__ld k__p c_ll_b_r_t_ng." Fr_nc_'s Pr_s_d_nt
Fr_nc__s H_ll_nd_s__d th_r_s_l_t, "_p_ns _p_r_d_f
_nc_r_t__nty". G_rm_ny's J_st_c_ M_n_st_r tw__t_d:
"Th_ w_rld w_n't _nd, b_t th_ngs w_ll g_t m_r_ cr_zy."
J_p_n's Pr_m_ M_n_st_r Sh_nz_ _b_ s__d: "H_nd _n
h_nd w_th Mr Tr_mp, w_ w_ll try t_ w_rk t_g_th_r."

PUNCTUATE THE TEXT AND ADD CAPITALS

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PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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HOMework

1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION: Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.

2. INTERNET: Search the Internet and find out more about Donald Trump. Share what you discover with your partner(s) in the next lesson.

3. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Make a poster about three different U.S. Presidents. Show how they made America great (or better). Show your work to your classmates in the next lesson. Did you all have similar things?

4. MAKE AMERICA GREAT AGAIN: Write a magazine article about Donald Trump and whether or not he will make America great again. Include imaginary interviews with people who think he will and with those who think he won't.

Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Write down any new words and expressions you hear from your partner(s).

5. WHAT HAPPENED NEXT? Write a newspaper article about the next stage in this news story. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your articles.

6. LETTER: Write a letter to an expert on Donald Trump. Ask him/her three questions about him. Give him/her three of your ideas on how he can make America great again. Read your letter to your partner(s) in your next lesson. Your partner(s) will answer your questions.

ANSWERS

TRUE / FALSE (p.4)

a F b T c T d T e F f F g F h T

SYNONYM MATCH (p.4)

- | | |
|-------------|-------------------|
| 1. win | a. victory |
| 2. a little | b. slightly |
| 3. defeated | c. beat |
| 4. speech | d. talk |
| 5. willing | e. prepared |
| 6. among | f. one of |
| 7. stable | g. secure |
| 8. avoid | h. stay away from |
| 9. period | i. time |
| 10. crazy | j. mad |

COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS (p.8)

1. Congratulate him
2. 44
3. 70
4. The American dream
5. The world's strongest
6. Vladimir Putin
7. Conflict and Confrontation
8. Collaborating
9. An uncertain one
10. Japan's Prime Minister Shinzo Abe

MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ (p.9)

1. a 2. c 3. b 4. d 5. a 6. d 7. b 8. d 9. c 10. b

ALL OTHER EXERCISES

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