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World Food Prize awarded to fish expert

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Please try Levels 4 and 6. They are (a little) harder.

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THE READING

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A nutrition expert has won the World Food Prize for her innovative work on fish. Dr Shakuntala Thilsted got the coveted prize for her pioneering methods of raising nutrient-rich fish. She also campaigned to add fish to diets in developing countries. The U.S. Secretary of State praised Dr Thilsted for her work. He said she "figured out how these nutrient-rich small fish can be raised locally and inexpensively". He added that, "millions of low-income families...are eating small fish regularly...in everything....The key nutrients in the fish will protect children for a lifetime."

A Nobel Peace Prize winner created the prize. He wanted to recognise scientists who improved the quality of food. The winner of the award gets a \$250,000 prize. Dr Thilsted grew up on the island of Trinidad. She understood the nutritional value of fish. She conducted research on malnutrition and fish diets in Bangladesh. She said: "I was able to assess the nutritional composition of small fish species and realized that they were extremely rich in multiple vitamins and minerals." She hopes her award will get more women in developing countries to continue this research.

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PHRASE MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. her innovative | a. regularly |
| 2. Thilsted got the coveted | b. out how |
| 3. She also campaigned to | c. a lifetime |
| 4. she figured | d. work on fish |
| 5. millions of low- | e. in the fish |
| 6. eating small fish | f. add fish to diets |
| 7. The key nutrients | g. income families |
| 8. protect children for | h. prize |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------|
| 1. He wanted to recognise | a. on malnutrition |
| 2. improved the quality | b. island of Trinidad |
| 3. The winner | c. fish |
| 4. Thilsted grew up on the | d. of food |
| 5. the nutritional value of | e. in multiple vitamins |
| 6. She conducted research | f. scientists |
| 7. extremely rich | g. research |
| 8. continue this | h. of the award |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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A nutrition (1) _____ the World Food Prize for her innovative work on fish. Dr Shakuntala Thilsted got the coveted prize for (2) _____ of raising nutrient-rich fish. She also campaigned to add fish (3) _____ developing countries. The U.S. Secretary of State praised Dr Thilsted for her work. He said she "(4) _____ these nutrient-rich small fish can (5) _____ and inexpensively". He added that, "millions of low-income families...are eating small fish regularly...in everything....The (6) _____ the fish will protect children for a lifetime."

A Nobel Peace Prize winner (7) _____. He wanted to recognise scientists who (8) _____ of food. The winner of the award gets a \$250,000 prize. Dr Thilsted grew up on the island of Trinidad. She understood (9) _____ of fish. She conducted research on malnutrition and fish diets in Bangladesh. She said: "I was (10) _____ the nutritional composition of small fish species and realized that they were extremely (11) _____ vitamins and minerals." She hopes her award will get more women in developing countries to (12) _____.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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FOOD SURVEY

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Write five GOOD questions about food 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) _____

