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Level 0

Putin warns Turkey after shooting of warplane

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THE READING

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Russia warned Turkey it would pay for shooting one of its warplanes. Turkey said Russia's plane was flying over Turkey.

Moscow said it was above Syria. Turkey warned Russia before about this. Turkish pilots said they warned the Russian pilots.

A Russian pilot said he got no warnings. He said he was flying over Syria.

Putin asked millions of Russians not to go to Turkey. Russian holiday firms will stop tours to Turkey. It will also be more difficult for Turkish companies to trade in Russia. Turkey's energy might be hit. It gets most of its oil and gas from Russia. Russia might also stop plans to build Turkey's nuclear power station.

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VOCABULARY MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Russia warned | a. the Russian pilots |
| 2. it would pay for shooting one | b. Turkey |
| 3. Turkey said Russia's plane was | c. warnings |
| 4. Turkey warned Russia | d. of its warplanes |
| 5. Turkish pilots said they warned | e. over Syria |
| 6. A Russian | f. flying over Turkey |
| 7. he got no | g. pilot |
| 8. He said he was flying | h. before about this |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|---|--------------------------|
| 1. Putin asked millions of Russians not | a. for Turkish companies |
| 2. stop tours | b. and gas from Russia |
| 3. It will also be more difficult | c. plans |
| 4. trade in | d. to Turkey |
| 5. Turkey's energy might be | e. station |
| 6. It gets most of its oil | f. to go to Turkey |
| 7. Russia might also stop | g. hit |
| 8. nuclear power | h. Russia |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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Russia warned Turkey (1) _____ for shooting one (2) _____. Turkey said Russia's plane was flying over Turkey. Moscow said (3) _____ Syria. Turkey warned Russia (4) _____. Turkish pilots said they (5) _____ Russian pilots. A Russian pilot said he got no warnings. He said (6) _____ over Syria.

Putin asked millions of Russians (7) _____ Turkey. Russian holiday firms will (8) _____ Turkey. It (9) _____ more difficult for Turkish companies (10) _____ Russia. Turkey's energy might be hit. It gets (11) _____ and gas from Russia. Russia (12) _____ plans to build Turkey's nuclear power station.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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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) _____

