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**Level 0 – 9th May, 2019**

## **Garbage collectors start library with abandoned books**

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<https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1905/190509-library-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 <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1905/190509-library-0.html>

Garbage collectors (1) \_\_\_\_\_ recycling books.

They started (2) \_\_\_\_\_. It has over 9,000

books. There (3) \_\_\_\_\_ politics, romance,

history, (4) \_\_\_\_\_. The library is in a truck. It

(5) \_\_\_\_\_ Ankara. The library wants to make

children passionate (6) \_\_\_\_\_.

More people know (7) \_\_\_\_\_. They want it to

grow. The library said: "(8) \_\_\_\_\_ have guests

coming (9) \_\_\_\_\_ books." It has books for

younger (10) \_\_\_\_\_. Turkey has one public

(11) \_\_\_\_\_ 70,000 people; the European Union

has one public library for (12) \_\_\_\_\_.

Sources: <https://edition.cnn.com/2018/01/15/europe/garbage-collectors-open-library-with-abandoned-books/index.html>  
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# PHRASE MATCHING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1905/190509-library-0.html>

## PARAGRAPH ONE:

- |                                     |                   |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Garbage collectors in Turkey are | a. passionate     |
| 2. They started a mobile            | b. economics      |
| 3. There are books on               | c. library        |
| 4. literature and                   | d. books          |
| 5. The library is in                | e. in Ankara      |
| 6. It tours schools                 | f. politics       |
| 7. make children                    | g. recycling book |
| 8. paper                            | h. a truck        |

## PARAGRAPH TWO:

- |                          |                      |
|--------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. More people know      | a. has one           |
| 2. They want it          | b. older children    |
| 3. Each                  | c. to grow           |
| 4. we have guests        | d. library           |
| 5. borrow                | e. about the library |
| 6. for younger and       | f. coming            |
| 7. Turkey has one public | g. day               |
| 8. the European Union    | h. books             |

# LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1905/190509-library-0.html>

Garbage (1) \_\_\_\_\_ are recycling books. They started (2) \_\_\_\_\_. It has over 9,000 books. There (3) \_\_\_\_\_ politics, romance, history, literature and economics. The (4) \_\_\_\_\_ a truck. It tours schools in Ankara. The (5) \_\_\_\_\_ make children passionate (6) \_\_\_\_\_.

More (7) \_\_\_\_\_ the library. They want it to grow.

The library said: "(8) \_\_\_\_\_ have guests coming (9) \_\_\_\_\_ books." It has books (10) \_\_\_\_\_ older children. Turkey has one public (11) \_\_\_\_\_ 70,000 people; the European Union (12) \_\_\_\_\_ library for every 6,200 people.

# PUT A SLASH ( / ) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1905/190509-library-0.html>

Garbage collectors in Turkey are recycling books. They started a mobile library. It has over 9,000 books. There are books on politics, romance, history, literature and economics. The library is in a truck. It tours schools in Ankara. The library wants to make children passionate about paper books. More people know about the library. They want it to grow. The library said: "Each day we have guests coming here to borrow books." It has books for younger and older children. Turkey has one public library for every 70,000 people; the European Union has one public library for every 6,200 people.

# LIBRARIES SURVEY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1905/190509-library-4.html>

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

