

Student A



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Read the information about YouTube. You have some details missing from your text. Ask your partner questions using the hints in brackets to find out the missing information and write this in the gaps.

- 1 YouTube is the world's most popular video-sharing website, on which users can _____. (What do?)
- 2 YouTube was founded by Steve Chen, Jawed Karim and Chad Hurley, when they were in their twenties.
- 3 YouTube was launched on _____. (When?)
- 4 The first YouTube video was called *Me at the zoo*, and shows Jawed Karim at the San Diego Zoo.
- 5 YouTube's slogan is _____. (What?)
- 6 YouTube is available in 34 languages.
- 7 In November 2006, Google Inc. bought YouTube for _____. (How much?)
- 8 YouTube is the third most visited website on the Internet, after Google and Facebook.
- 9 People watch _____ videos a day on YouTube. (How many?)
- 10 Thirty-five hours of new video are uploaded to the YouTube site every minute.



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Read the information about YouTube. You have some details missing from your text. Ask your partner questions using the hints in brackets to find out the missing information and write this in the gaps.

- 1 YouTube is the world's most popular video-sharing website, on which users can upload, share, and view videos.
- 2 YouTube was founded by Steve Chen, Jawed Karim and Chad Hurley, when they were _____. (How old?)
- 3 YouTube was launched on 14th February 2005.
- 4 The first YouTube video was called _____ and shows Jawed Karim at the San Diego Zoo. (Video name?)
- 5 YouTube's slogan is 'Broadcast yourself'.
- 6 YouTube is available in _____ languages. (How many?)
- 7 In November 2006, Google Inc. bought YouTube for \$1.65 billion.
- 8 YouTube is the third most visited website on the Internet, after _____ and _____. (Which websites?)
- 9 People watch 2 billion videos a day on YouTube.
- 10 _____ hours of new video are uploaded to the YouTube site every minute. (How many?)



Discussion questions

- 1 Which information from above did you find most surprising or interesting?
- 2 How often do you view videos on YouTube? What types of videos do you usually watch?
- 3 Have you ever uploaded a video to YouTube?
- 4 For what different reasons do you think people might upload videos to YouTube?