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TEXTBOOK 2

H/V 4





Text Sheet 7 - Battered and bruised

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A Geef een in de context passende vertaling van de volgende woorden:

1. pervasive (1)

13. for disposal (38)

2. to occupy (1)

14. leaflet (42)

3. despair (4)

15. shelter (44)

4. to wield (6)

16. to take advantage of (46)

5. assault (10)

17. generosity (47)

6. security guard (11)

18. available (51)

7. to escalate (11)

19. to designate (55)

8. efforts (12)

20. affordable (60)

9. custody (16)

21. shabby (62)

10. abandoned (28)

22. general relief payment (64)

11. precious (30)

23. employment (66)

12. shopping carts (36)

24. vulnerable (73)

B Beantwoord de volgende vragen:

“A pervasive fear occupies the corners of Los Angeles’ skid row” (first sentence)

- Who are the homeless of skid row afraid of, according to paragraph 1?
 - “heaps of human despair”
 - “men wielding baseball bats”
 - “police and private security guards”
 - “the homeless who are arrested”
- Welke smoes gebruiken politie en veiligheidsdiensten om daklozen van de straat te kunnen sturen?
- Citeer een zinsdeel van niet meer dan 6 woorden uit alinea 1 dat sarcastisch bedoeld is.
- Waarnaar verwijst het woord “their” (14)? Citeer!
- Waarnaar verwijst het woord “they” (26)? Citeer!
- Voor welke vervelende keuze worden de daklozen in alinea 2 gesteld?
- What is the aim of paragraph 2?
 - To analyse what makes the Los Angeles fight against homelessness successful.
 - To illustrate how life is being made difficult for the homeless in Los Angeles.
 - To prove that the Los Angeles police need more manpower to control the homeless.
 - To stress that Los Angeles is right to remove the homeless from its streets.
- Een “self-appointed action group” (39) bezoekt de sloppenwijk elke maand. Wat is hun uiteindelijke doel?



9. Waarom zijn er volgens alinea 4 maar zo weinig bedden in daklozenopvangcentra beschikbaar voor daklozen die een bed voor de nacht zoeken?
10. Maak de volgende zin af: ook al zou een dakloze een baan tegen het minimumloon hebben, dan zou hij nog steeds geen dak boven zijn hoofd hebben omdat....
11. What is the point made with respect to the homeless of Los Angeles in paragraphs 4 and 5?
- A The city lacks the financial means to take proper care of them.
 - B The city refuses to help them find ways to make a living.
 - C They have little chance of ever getting decent accommodation.
 - D They should learn to spend their money more sensibly.
12. How can the tone of this article be characterised?
- A As critical.
 - B As neutral.
 - C As sarcastic.
13. Als je kijkt naar de titel van de tekst, wie zijn dan “battered and bruised”?



CONTINUE WITH THE VOCABULARY ASSIGNMENT ON THE NEXT PAGE

C Vul het juiste woord in de juiste zin in:

a. sentence	d. appropriate	g. minority	j. cheerful
b. inmates	e. precious	h. persistent	k. fine
c. conscience	f. accomplish	i. emerge	l. opposite

1. You shouldn't have parked your car here! Small wonder they gave you a £60 _____ .
2. Only a _____ of the MP's, 32%, voted in favour of the new law.
3. I don't think it will be easy to find an _____ punishment for these little hooligans.
4. If you really want to _____ something, you will have to work harder.
5. If you punish prisoners too hard to reform them, it will only have the _____ effect and you'll make them return to their criminal activities again.
6. After 12 years, his _____ got the better of him and he decided to confess the murder.
7. This prison is a really big prison: it has over 2,000 _____ .
8. Only few criminals _____ from the prison as a better man.
9. The diamond was extremely _____ and that's why it was guarded by five armed men.
10. He is a very _____ thief. This is the seventh time we've arrested him.
11. The murderer was given the death _____ for having robbed and killed an elderly couple.
12. He has just won a lot of money in the lottery and that's why he looks so _____ .

A Geef een in de context passende vertaling van de volgende woorden:

1. annual (2)

13. increased (26)

2. tougher (4)

14. fee (27)

3. measures (4)

15. to limit (30)

4. curfew (8)

16. experience (37)

5. to attend (10)

17. constraint (39)

6. jollity (13)

18. retailer (42)

7. menace (14)

19. vigorous (52)

8. pillar box (19)

20. loath (57)

9. target (21)

21. port (64)

10. habit (22)

22. car boot (66)

11. domestic (23)

23. to store (69)

12. to establish (24)

24. to fine (76)

B Beantwoord de volgende vragen:

1. Wie of wat wordt bedoeld met de "you" in de titel van deze tekst?

2. "tougher measures" (regel 4)

In welke alinea worden deze strengere maatregelen in nader detail besproken?

Noteer het nummer van deze alinea.

3. Ook particulieren worden slachtoffer van vuurwerkvandalisme (alinea 3). Op welke 3 manieren?

1

2

3

4. Naar welk zinsdeel verwijst het woord "This" (31)? Citeer!

5. Which unwanted side-effect will "an increased licence fee" have according to paragraphs 4 and 5?

A Certain types of fireworks will not be available any more.

B Fewer shopkeepers will be willing to sell fireworks.

C Fireworks dealers will put their prices up.

D Illegal trading in fireworks will become even more attractive.

6. What is the function of the examples in paragraph 5?

A To condemn the course of action the police have taken so far.

B To emphasise the urgent need for the tougher fireworks laws.

C To explain the difficulties in upholding the new fireworks laws.

D To show why the competition among fireworks dealers corrupts the trade.

7. Waarom staan agenten er vaak niet om te springen om mensen die de openbare orde verstoren op te pakken? (alinea 6)
8. Met welk doel heeft de politie "hidden cameras" (74) ingezet?
9. Geef voor elk van de onderstaande uitspraken aan of de schrijver deze wel of niet noemt als zinvolle maatregel bij het aanpakken van vuurwerkoverlast.
- 1 Betere ordehandhaving door de politie. *wel / niet*
- 2 Douane meer arrestatiebevoegdheden geven. *wel / niet*
- 3 Hogere boetes opleggen. *wel / niet*
- 4 Strenger optreden tegen de verkoop van vuurwerk aan minderjarigen. *wel / niet*
10. Which of the following reflects the writer's opinion on the new fireworks laws as a whole?
- A They are too complicated to work effectively.
- B They are unlikely to make much difference.
- C They could help change people's attitudes.
- D They will give the police more authority.
11. Waarnaar verwijst het woord "them" (76)? Citeer!



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C Vul het juiste woord in de juiste zin in:

a. shelter	d. precious	g. vulnerable	j. efforts
b. leaflets	e. affordable	h. despair	k. abandoned
c. generosity	f. employment	i. occupy	l. advantage

1. This man is known for his _____. He's willing to donate some money to anyone who needs it.
2. He tried to impress the girl by buying her a _____ ring.
3. In spite of all his _____ to finish the book before the deadline, he failed.
4. The homeless people saw the _____ building and decided to spend the night there.
5. It's really a beautiful car, but I don't think it's _____.
6. When we entered the theatre, a man was handing out _____ for a new show.
7. He's such a good man, so good that many people take _____ of him.
8. The demonstrators were furious and they decided to _____ the square in front of the king's palace.
9. The weather was very bad and that's why every bed in the _____ was taken.
10. The thought that he would never be able to finish all his exams in time filled him with _____.
11. Hundreds of thousands of people were out of work and the demand for _____ was high.
12. The deep economic crises makes the citizens of our country feel very _____, financially speaking.

A Geef een in de context passende vertaling van de volgende woorden:

1. reassuring (1)

13. to conform with (28)

2. obviously (2)

14. prohibition (28)

3. faculties (2)

15. opponent (31)

4. abolition (3)

16. mob (33)

5. conspiracy (6)

17. to bay (33)

6. defeat (12)

7. dreadful (15)

8. to encourage (19)

9. volunteer (20)

10. to decline (24)

11. to provide (26)

12. predecessor (28)

B Beantwoord de volgende vragen:

1. 'It must have been reassuring for many' (line 1). What did they find reassuring?
They thought
 - A Cooper's appearance brought some life to an otherwise dull show.
 - B Cooper was living proof that there was nothing wrong with professional boxing.
 - C support from Cooper was just what the BMA needed.
 - D the arguments put forward by Cooper were quite convincing.

2. In par. 1 the BMA is accused of (what? Quote no more than 8 words from lines 4-7)

3. Waarnaar verwijst het woord "they" (8)? Citeer!

4. 'Even ... shape.' (lines 8-9) What is the function of this observation?
 - A It goes to show that boxing is, indeed, one of the so-called blood sports.
 - B It goes to show that the present rules of boxing should be altered.
 - C It might be used to point out the unfair tactics of some boxers.
 - D It would seem to support the case of those in favour of boxing.

5. Henry Cooper can't be compared with an ordinary boxer as far as health risks are concerned, because

6. What point does Mr Cooper make about 'professional boxers' (line 20)?
 - A They always obey the directions of the referee.
 - B They do not really run risks, provided they are fit.
 - C They know and accept the risks they take.
 - D They never intend to cause serious harm to their opponent.

7. What does the writer think of Cooper's 'point' (line 20)?
 - A Cooper forgets that people may have to be protected against themselves.
 - B Cooper forgets that rules are an essential element in all sports.
 - C Cooper is right to the extent that motoring is more dangerous than boxing.
 - D There is no denying that Cooper is right in every respect.

8. Waarnaar verwijst het woord "them" (23)? Citeer!

9. 'Boxing, though, is not in good shape.' (line 22)
Why not?
- A An increasing number of people worry about the dangers it involves
 - B Boxing no longer attracts the large crowds it used to do.
 - C The risks involved for older boxers are unacceptably high.
 - D Today there are no truly great boxers, like those in the past.
10. Is the writer's opinion about boxing positive or negative? Motivate your answer by quoting no more than 10 words from the last paragraph.
11. Which of the following explains the title of this text?
- A Cooper has avoided a sorry end to his career.
 - B Money will eventually decide the fate of boxing.
 - C The BMA have given the boxing federation a last warning.
 - D The days of professional boxing are numbered.



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C Vul het juiste woord in de juiste zin in:

a. annual	d. limit	g. port	j. attend
b. fine	e. increased	h. habit	k. measures
c. experience	f. store	i. target	l. retailer

1. The hitman was paid \$700 and he was told that the president was his _____ .
2. In order to get out of the recession we will have to _____ our expenditure as much as possible.
3. This is an extremely tricky operation and I really need an assistant with _____ .
4. When you smoke you have an _____ chance of getting cancer.
5. In 1999 Bol.com got its start as an online book _____ , nowadays they sell almost anything.
6. The problem of truancy is really getting out of hand and that's why we must take tougher _____ .
7. The police officer decided to _____ the motorist for speeding.
8. If you want to finish your education within five years, you'll have to _____ school every day.
9. We received so many goods that we didn't know where to _____ them anymore.
10. Stop biting your nails! That's a filthy _____ !
11. It took a few hours for the ship to reach the _____ .
12. Christmas is the _____ celebration of the birth of Jesus Christ.

A Geef een in de context passende vertaling van de volgende woorden:

1. coin (title)

13. value (25)

2. change (title)

14. invention (28)

3. durability (1)

15. to wither away (29)

4. note (1)

16. to remind (30)

5. stock (6)

6. virtually (9)

7. to devise (13)

8. convenient (14)

9. to persuade (17)

10. germ (20)

11. to wean away (22)

12. irrationality (25)

B Beantwoord de volgende vragen:

1. Hoe kun je de £1-munt onderscheiden van de 5p.-munt?

2. What is the advantage of the new coin as suggested in the first paragraph?
 - A It completes the present range of British coins
 - B It is convenient to handle because of its size.
 - C It is easier to manufacture than bank notes.
 - D It will last longer than the £1 note.

3. What does the second paragraph serve to make clear?
 - A For big financial deals banks are changing to other currencies.
 - B The £1 note is ill-suited to its present role of small change.
 - C The rate of inflation has hit Britain's economy particularly hard.
 - D With the present rate of inflation people hesitate to put their money in the bank.

4. Wat hebben munten, heteluchtverwarming en schoenveters met elkaar gemeen?

5. Waarnaar verwijst het woord "it" (22)? Citeer!

6. What question is 'worth asking' (line 13)?
 - A Why are coins so expensive to manufacture?
 - B Why do coins have to be so unattractive?
 - C Why do we not replace all our coins by notes?
 - D Why have we stuck to coins at all?

7. Noem twee concrete voorbeelden van voordelen van plastic betaalkaarten als je kijkt naar hygiëne en veiligheid.
 - 1.

 - 2.

8. Waarnaar verwijst het woord "us" (17)? Citeer!
9. Waarom zal geen enkel land zijn munten afschaffen?
10. 'But metal coins stand out' (line 27). What is meant?
- A Coins often prove to be an even better investment than diamonds and gold.
 - B People are even less reasonable about coins than about diamonds and gold.
 - C The value of metal coins is less subject to change than that of diamonds and gold.
 - D Unlike diamonds and gold, metal coins can be used for everyday payments.
11. '... as the new £1 coin serves to remind us' (lines 29-30). Of what?
- Of the fact that
- A people have little influence on the policy of banks.
 - B people will continue to use metal coins.
 - C the financial world is in constant movement.
 - D the financial world will continue its attacks on metal coinage.



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C Vul het juiste woord in de juiste zin in:

a. opponent	d. decline	g. dreadful	j. abolition
b. predecessor	e. volunteer	h. defeat	k. obviously
c. provide	f. encourage	i. conspiracy	l. reassuring

1. 1865 was the year of the _____ of slavery in the United States.
2. There was a thick fog and it was quite _____ for him to see that the plane had safely landed.
3. We cannot blame this crisis on Barack Obama, it was his _____, George W. Bush, that spent too much money on warfare.
4. Do you know if there's a shop around that can _____ us with camping gear?
5. People _____ use their cars for longer trips and their bicycles for short distances.
6. He won easily since his _____ was very weak.
7. It was a close call, but after a recount of votes all the candidate could do was admit his _____.
8. In order to reduce carbon dioxide emissions we have to _____ the use of solar energy.
9. The three men got killed in a _____ accident on the farm.
10. Anybody else who would like to join me? I need one more _____.
11. The four men planned a _____ to overthrow the government.
12. Many boxers seem to _____ rapidly after their career because of the many blows they took.

A Geef een in de context passende vertaling van de volgende woorden:

1. faint-hearted (1)

13. strains (20)

2. random (1)

14. performance (25)

3. nuclear-waste (3)

15. suggestion (28)

4. to endure (5)

16. thoroughly (31)

5. to cope with (6)

17. to adjust to (34)

6. event (6)

18. to argue with (38)

7. to cover (7)

19. to dull (39)

8. challenge (9)

20. compassionate (40)

9. involved (11)

10. child abuse (13)

11. intrusiveness (14)

12. policy (16)

B Beantwoord de volgende vragen:

1. Met het gedeelte "*In a random week ... cancer scare*" (regels 1-3) wil de schrijfster van dit artikel aantonen dat het nieuws op TV

2. Waarnaar verwijst het woord "it" (10)? Citeer!

3. How does Carol Barnes cope emotionally with reporting for ITN, judging from the second paragraph?
 - A She concentrates on the practical aspects of the work.
 - B She finds comfort in her role of wife and mother.
 - C She receives a lot of support from her family.
 - D She takes care not to put too much time into her work.

4. What is the point of lines 11-13 ('Naturally ...those')?
They describe the sort of items
 - A which are a real challenge to Carol.
 - B which Carol is usually asked to report on because she is a mother.
 - C which Carol thinks it most worthwhile reporting on.
 - D which make it difficult for Carol to maintain her usual approach.

5. "If there's any doubt...." (r.17) Twijfel over wat?

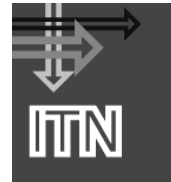
6. Wat is volgens Carol Barnes het grootste verschil tussen het beroep van verslaggever en nieuwslezer?
(*alinea 4*)

7. What does Carol 'like' (line 24) about reading the news?
 - A She likes the challenge of doing a good job under great pressure.
 - B She likes working with others in close cooperation.
 - C She loves the prestige that comes with being a TV personality.
 - D She welcomes the fact that it breaks the monotony of her other work.

8. What does presenting *News At One* involve for Carol, according to lines 26—31?

Having to

- A compete frequently with the political staff of the programme.
- B find out which politicians should be invited for an interview.
- C prepare well for the political interviews she has to do.
- D tackle all sorts of political subjects that do not really interest her.



9. What is meant by Carol's 'worst boob' (line 32)?

- A Her greatest fear.
- B Her most difficult task.
- C Her most impressive performance.
- D Her silliest mistake.



10. Welke plaats bedoelt Carol met "the place" (36)?

11. What is a problem for Carol, judging from lines 34-38?

- A Being satisfied with an ordinary life event again.
- B Having so little time for a private life.
- C Having to adopt a TV personality she actually dislikes.
- D The constant changing from one role to the other.

12. Which of these statements sums up lines 38—41 ('But. . . sights.')

- A As a reporter, you must be prepared to deal with quite shocking events.
- B There are quite a few jobs that require just as great a sense of responsibility as TV journalism.
- C There is no reason why being a reporter should make you any more unfeeling than many other occupations.
- D TV journalism is like many other professions in that it has its nice sides as well as unpleasant ones.

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C Vul het juiste woord in de juiste zin in:

a. remind	d. germs	g. devise	j. notes
b. invention	e. persuade	h. change	k. durability
c. value	f. convenient	i. stock	l. coin

1. If you pay more money than necessary, you will get some _____ .
2. Have you got any idea what the _____ of this antique vase is?
3. It was very _____ that a taxi was waiting for us outside the airport.
4. After you've been to the toilet you will have to wash your hands to get rid of the _____ .
5. Think of it yourself, will you? Why do I have to _____ you every day to put your dirty underwear in the laundry bin?
6. We will have to order these staplers. We don't have them in _____ at the moment.
7. In terms of communication, the internet was an extremely important _____ .
8. The robbers lost their bag containing the loot and the wind blew the stolen _____ through the streets.
9. He doesn't think he can _____ him to go back to school again.
10. I don't think it's fair to question the _____ of French cars, they're better than one might expect.
11. He was digging in the garden when he suddenly found an ancient Roman _____ .
12. The inventor tried to _____ a machine that could transform humans into bowling balls.

Text Sheet 12 – “Hanging around”

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A Geef een in de context passende vertaling voor de volgende woorden:

- | | | | |
|----|------------------------------|----|-------------------------------|
| 1 | To rack their brains (par 1) | 13 | To deter (par 6) |
| 2 | Threat (par 1) | 14 | A state of siege (par 7) |
| 3 | Raft (par 2) | 15 | Inadequates (par 7) |
| 4 | Curfew (par 2) | 16 | Misdemeanours (par 8) |
| 5 | Dispersal orders (par 2) | 17 | A clip around the ear (par 8) |
| 6 | To compile (par 3) | 18 | Assorted (par 8) |
| 7 | Naff songs (par 3) | 19 | To engage in (par 8) |
| 8 | To deploy (par 3) | 20 | Annoyances (par 8) |
| 9 | High-pitched (par 3) | 21 | Hopscotch (par 8) |
| 10 | Device (par 3) | 22 | Chalk markings (par 8) |
| 11 | Sanction (par 4) | | |
| 12 | To prod (par 4) | | |

B Beantwoord de volgende vragen:

1. What conclusion do paragraphs 1 and 2 lead up to?
 - A. The actions undertaken against youngsters hanging around might be over the top?
 - B. The authorities must cooperate to solve the problem of disorderly youths.
 - C. The measures taken will not prevent young people from becoming criminals.
 - D. The number of teenagers committing crimes has grown enormously.
 - E. The troubles caused by juvenile crime cost society a lot of money.

2. Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 3?
 - A. Alert
 - B. Away
 - C. Happy
 - D. Together

3. What does "this policy" refer to in paragraph 3, line 3? Write down the first and last **two** words of your quote.

4. What becomes clear in paragraph 3 about the music of Lionel Richie, Manilow and Mozart?
 - A. It can be used to put listeners in a good mood.
 - B. It is applied to influence people's behaviour.
 - C. It is full of high notes only heard by youngsters.
 - D. It is generally felt to be relaxing.

5. Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 4?
 - A. Aware of
 - B. Formed by
 - C. Immune to
 - D. Longing for

6. Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 5?
 - A. As a result
 - B. Furthermore
 - C. Likewise
 - D. Of course

7. What is the main function of paragraph 6 with regard to "the problem" caused by youths?
 - A. To defend the methods used to tackle it.
 - B. To give more examples of how it is tackled.
 - C. To protest against the way in which it is tackled.
 - D. To stress why it has to be tackled.

8. Which of the following fits the gap in paragraph 7?
 - A. Bore
 - B. Correct
 - C. Encourage
 - D. Victimise

9. Give an example in paragraph 8 which shows most clearly that the measures taken against so-called “anti-social behaviour” have gone too far.
10. How can the tone of paragraph 8 (“Even ... pavement”) be characterised?
- A. As objective
 - B. As optimistic
 - C. As sarcastic
 - D. As worried

CONTINUE WITH THE VOCABULARY ASSIGNMENT ON THE NEXT PAGE

C Vul het juiste woord in de juiste zin in:

a. event	d. policy	g. thoroughly	j. cover
b. challenge	e. compassionate	h. random	k. argue with
c. involved	f. adjust	i. intrusiveness	l. cope with

1. The BBC is going to _____ the World Cup this summer.
2. The Olympic Games is the biggest sports _____ in the world.
3. We will have to _____ the brakes a little and then your car will be in a fine shape again.
4. It is government _____ to crack down hard on drugs.
5. He has lost his job and his wife. I wonder if he's able to _____ all this misery.
6. It's hard to predict what that serial killer's next move will be, since he chooses his victims in a _____ way.
7. The elderly man saw it as a _____ to finish the marathon in his wheelchair.
8. We will have to analyse the figures _____ in order to find out what has led these losses.
9. Don't _____ me! When I tell you to go to bed, you go to bed.
10. My neighbour is a very _____ man. My wife is in hospital and he drops by every day to ask how she is.
11. I really didn't know that your mother was _____ in that drugs deal.
12. What I hate most about the tabloids is their _____ when they interview somebody.