



Macmillan English 4

Unit 12 worksheet

Teaching notes

Skills and language practised

| | Skill | Language |
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| Activity 1 | Spelling | silent letters within words |
| Activity 2 | Writing | writing a biography (using notes) |

Follow-up activity

Play *Amazing Weather* with the children. Tell the class to suggest some amazing weather and write their suggestions on the board: e.g. *hurricane, drought, tornado, flood, snow*. Get pairs to choose one of the 'amazing weathers' and imagine it is happening. They should take turns to make a present perfect statement about the weather outside: e.g. *The water has covered the roads. The flood has washed away the houses.*

Answers

1 Find the words. Write the words and the silent letter. 10 marks

Answers in any order:

| | word | silent letter | |
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| 1 | Wednesday | d | [1 mark] |
| 2 | sign | g | [1 mark] |
| 3 | listen | t | [1 mark] |
| 4 | biscuit | u | [1 mark] |
| 5 | building | u | [1 mark] |
| 6 | daughter | g | [1 mark] |
| 7 | sandwich | d | [1 mark] |
| 8 | walk | l | [1 mark] |
| 9 | would | l | [1 mark] |
| 10 | tongue | g | [1 mark] |



2 Write five sentences about Farouk El-Baz. Use the notes. **10 marks**

Example sentences:

- 1 Farouk El-Baz was born in 1938.
- 2 He was born Zagazig in Egypt.
- 3 Between 1958 and 1965, he taught in universities in Egypt and Germany.
- 4 He discovered the first oil field in the Suez Canal.
- 5 He found underground water in Egypt, Oman and Sudan.

For each sentence, give 1 mark for correct word order and 1 mark for correct punctuation (capital letter and full stop).