

D. NEWSPAPER STORIES - PAST CONTINUOUS.

1. Listening comprehension.

Listen to the newspaper stories « Hands up, I've got a burger! » & « Teenage party ends in tears ». Complete the vocabulary first and answer the questions.

"Hands up, I've got a burger"



⇒ Listen to that story and answer the following questions in French:

"Hands up, I've got a burger"

Last Tuesday a man armed with just a hot hamburger in a bag stole \$1,000 from a bank in Danville, California. Police Detective Bill McGinnis said that the robber, who was wearing a mask, entered the Mount Diablo National Bank at about 1.30 p.m. and gave the teller a note demanding \$1,000. He claimed that he had a bomb in the bag. The teller said she could smell a distinct odour of hamburger coming from the bag. Even so, she handed the money to the man. As he was running out of the bank, he dropped the bag with the hamburger. He escaped in a car that was waiting for him outside.

- When? **last Tuesday**
- Who? **a man armed with just a hot hamburger in a bag.**
- What? **He stole \$1,000 from a bank.**
- Where? **in Danville, California**

More details:

- What time did it happen? **It happened at about 1.30 p.m.**
- Physical description of the robber? **He was wearing a mask.**
- How did it happen ?
 - ➔ - Le voleur **est entré dans la banque nationale Mount Diablo et a donné une note à la guichetière exigeant \$1,000.**
 - Il prétendait **qu'il avait une bombe dans son sac.**
 - La guichetière **a dit qu'elle pouvait sentir une odeur distincte d'hamburger venant du sac** mais elle a quand-même **tendu l'argent au voleur.**
 - A la fin, le voleur **a laissé tomber le sac avec l'hamburger** et il **s'est échappé dans une voiture.**



"Teenage party ends in tears"

⇒ Listen to that story and summarize it in French! What happened?



"Teenage party ends in tears"

When Jack and Kelly Harman went away on holiday, they left their teenage daughter alone in the house. Zoë, aged 16, wanted to stay at home because she was revising for exams. Her parents said she could have some friends to stay. However, Zoë decided to have a party. Everyone was having a good time when suddenly things started to go wrong. Forty uninvited guests arrived, and some of them were carrying knives. They broke furniture, smashed windows, and stole jewellery. When Mr and Mrs Harman heard the news, they came home immediately.

Jack & Kelly Harman sont partis en vacances et ont laissé leur fille, Zoë, à la maison. Zoë, âgée de 16 ans, voulait rester chez elle car elle voulait réviser pour ses exams. Ses parents lui permirent d'inviter des amis à loger. Zoë organisa une soirée à la place. Tout le monde s'amusait bien quand soudainement, cela a mal tourné. 40 personnes qui n'étaient pas invitées sont arrivées et certaines avaient des couteaux. Ils ont cassé les meubles, fracassé les vitres et ont volé des bijoux. Quand Mr et Mme Harman ont appris la nouvelle, ils sont rentrés chez eux immédiatement.

