Getting To Know

THE DARK SIDE OF BEING A CELEBRITY

In 30 seconds, answer the following question:

• What makes a person famous?
Speak Up

Answer the following question in 60 seconds.

What are the benefits of being famous?

Suggestions:
✓ be rich
✓ get special treatment wherever they go
✓ have fans
✓ etc.
Listen and repeat. Then, choose a word to define.

1. **Celebrity (n)** /səˈlebrəti/
2. **Stalker (n)** /ˈstɔːkər/
3. **Judge (v)** /dʒʌdʒ/
4. **Genuine (adj)** /ˈdʒenjuɪn/
5. **Privacy (n)** /ˈpraɪvəsi/
6. **Obsess (v)** /əbˈses/

Make a sentence using that word.

**Example:** She complained that the photographs were an invasion of her privacy.
Wear Your Words

Explanation of useful idiom/collocation.

To be in the limelight (collocation)
- to be the centre of public attention

Stars in your eyes (idiom)
- if somebody has stars in their eyes, they have dreams of becoming famous, especially as an entertainer

Example:
✓ She wants to **be in the limelight**.
✓ Anne has **stars in her eyes**, she wants to go to Hollywood.

Make a sentence using the given idiom/collocation.
Essential Structures

Make a sentence using the given structure.

Structure:

S + was/ were + V-ing + O when S + V (past simple) + O.

Example: She **was having** a meeting with her fans **when** I **called** her.
Pair Work: Discuss the disadvantages of being a celebrity with your partner in 180 seconds.

Suggestions:
- lack time with the family
- be obsessed by stalkers
- have no privacy
- suffer from stress
- find hard to have genuine friends
- usually be judged by others
- etc.
Assessment Form

Here are some comments on your performance

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Feel free to ask if you have any questions!
What We Gained

- Vocabulary related to the dark side of being a celebrity
- **To be in the limelight**
- **Stars in your eyes**
- **Structure:**
  
  $S + was/\ were + V-ing + O$ when $S + V$ (past simple) + $O$.
- Discussions about the disadvantages of being a celebrity

Please do your homework in the downloadable outline from the website!
### Homework

Complete your mission and find more in related lessons

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