Let It Happen: The three Dutch dancing sisters

Do you like dancing? Watch Rosa, Yarah and Norah, three amazing dancing sisters, in this video.

Tasks

Do the preparation task first. Then watch the video and do the exercises. Remember you can read the transcript at any time.

Preparation task

Match the definitions (a–h) with the vocabulary (1–8).

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<th>Vocabulary</th>
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<td>1. ...... a career</td>
<td>a. two children born to the same mother on the same day</td>
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<td>2. ...... a highlight</td>
<td>b. a mix of two or more things</td>
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<td>3. ...... a combination</td>
<td>c. the best part of something</td>
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<td>4. ...... a celebrity</td>
<td>d. the job or series of jobs that you do in your life</td>
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<td>5. ...... twins</td>
<td>e. someone who is famous, usually in films, on television, etc.</td>
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<td>6. ...... moves</td>
<td>f. to be kind to someone</td>
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<td>7. ...... to treat someone well</td>
<td>g. to dance, sing, act, etc. in front of other people</td>
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<td>8. ...... to perform</td>
<td>h. the way you move your arms, legs, etc. to do a particular dance</td>
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Task 1

Circle the best answer.

1. How old are Rosa, Yarah and Norah?
   a. 12, 12 and 14   b. 12, 13 and 14   c. 12, 14 and 14

2. Which country are the sisters from?
   a. the UK   b. the Netherlands   c. the USA

3. How long have the sisters been dancing together?
   a. for the last two years   b. for the last five years   c. all their lives
4. What is their favourite type of music to dance to?
   a. a mix of different styles  
   b. mainly hip-hop  
   c. mainly Latino music

5. What was the best moment of their career so far?
   a. dancing in their hometown  
   b. performing on the television show *ellen*  
   c. going viral on YouTube

6. Which famous person would they love to dance with?
   a. Ellen  
   b. a top TikToker  
   c. Beyoncé

**Task 2**
Complete the sentences.

1. I ................................ also 14 years old. We ................................ twins.
2. How long ................................ you been dancing for?
3. We’ve ................................ dancing for as long as we can remember.
4. Our parents just ................................ music.
5. What ................................ your favourite kind of music to dance to?
6. We ................................ in a really small town.
7. ................................ there a celebrity that you ................................ love to dance with?
8. ................................ you teach me some moves?

**Discussion**
What’s your favourite style of music to dance to?
Transcript

Hi, my name is Rosa and I’m 12 years old.
Hi, my name is Yarah and I’m 14 years old.
Hi, my name is Norah. I’m also 14 years old. We are twins.
And we are Let It Happen from the Netherlands.
How long have you been dancing for?
We have been dancing our whole lives because our parents just love music and we really
grew up with it at home, and as long as I can remember we were dancing, so for a very long
time now.
What’s your favourite kind of music to dance to?
We really love to mix things up, because we love sometimes to dance on soul music, but the
other day we liked, like, African music and then hip-hop music, so we really love, like, the
combination of different styles.
Yeah.
What would be the highlight of your dance career so far?
We live, like, really in a small town and we would never imagine we’d be noticed, like, in the US,
yeah, like on ellen, and that was so cool.
It was like, I really felt like a celebrity, because she treated us, like, so well. So they picked us
up from the hotel and then get, like, this very fancy car. Yeah, and it was like, for a moment
before we had to perform I was super nervous, but, you know, when we danced there, yeah, it
was so nice.
Is there a celebrity that you would love to dance with?
We would love to dance with Beyoncé. Yeah.
Beyoncé isn’t here right now, but you have me instead. So, can you teach me some moves?
Bye, Newsround.
Answers

Preparation task
1. d
2. c
3. b
4. e
5. a
6. h
7. f
8. g

Task 1
1. c
2. b
3. c
4. a
5. b
6. c

Task 2
1. ’m / am, ’re / are
2. have
3. been
4. love
5. ’s / is
6. live
7. Is, ’d / would
8. Can / Could / Will / Would