

## Listening: Fill in the blanks

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## Highlight Incorrect Words

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- There are fewer Great White sharks in Australian waters than was once believed. This is because tagging has shown that sharks travel considerable distances, and a shark recorded east of Bass Strait one week is often recorded west of Bass Strait the next. However, sharks always return to their place of origin to breed.
- A recent research study has shown that Australian Great White shark populations have remained surprisingly distinct as, despite travelling long distances, these sharks do not breed away from their original areas. This means that local shark habitats may have a greater effect on shark than has been believed up to now.
- There is a greater variety in the Great White shark populations in Australian waters than was previously thought to be the case. This means that some types of shark are actually more endangered than was believed. Scientists are therefore developing conservation programs which will help to protect these threatened species.
- An investigation of Great White sharks in Australian waters has come up with some unexpected conclusions, as it found that the genetic make-up of sharks in one area was quite distinct from those found elsewhere. This made scientists realize that sharks do not swim as far away from their home areas as used to be thought.

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- The speaker believes that drug and alcohol laws need to be tighter as around 25 percent of accidents are related to these two causes. This situation prevails despite religions warning us of the dangers.
- The speaker's purpose is to tell us that she was involved in an accident. In her case, it was the fault of the driver in front who stopped on the highway for no apparent reason. He was going 65 kilometers per hour and just stopped.
- The speaker is focusing on safety and what we need to do to reduce the death rate in people aged 16 to 19.
- The speaker's purpose is to tell us about the seriousness and the randomness of accidents and it is likely she is going to suggest a solution.

## Read Aloud

### 7. Record your voice and submit the audio file to your trainers on WhatsApp

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## Summarize Written Text

8. Write the summary of the above passage in 5-75 words in one sentence and submit the response to your trainer.

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## Summarize Spoken Text

10. Write the summary of the above passage in 50-70 words and submit the response to your trainer.

**Answer Key**

1. investigation, species, coastal, continent, interbreeding, marine
2. dangerous, dashboards, nineteen, highway, slammed, deploys
3. revealed, about, definitely, different, study
4. images, coincidences, nobody, recall, reducing, luckily
5. A recent research study has shown that Australian Great White shark populations have remained surprisingly distinct as, despite travelling long distances, these sharks do not breed away from their original areas. This means that local shark habitats may have a greater effect on shark than has been believed up to now.
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