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# Blended Learning Lesson A Dinosaur Zoo?

## Vocabulary Preview

- Match the words on the left with the meanings on the right.

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|--------------------|----------|---|
| 1. wonder          | <u>E</u> | A. to get away from something dangerous   |
| 2. extinct         | _____    | B. images in movies that are not real     |
| 3. scary           | _____    | C. frightening                            |
| 4. escape          | _____    | D. to make a very loud, deep sound        |
| 5. roar            | _____    | E. to be curious                          |
| 6. smash           | _____    | F. a prize for something someone has done |
| 7. special effects | _____    | G. to break into many small pieces        |
| 8. award           | _____    | H. no longer existing; all dead           |

- Use the above words to complete the sentences. Use plural forms and past tense if necessary.

1. All the large dinosaurs went extinct millions of years ago.
2. I watched a \_\_\_\_\_ movie last week. I was really afraid.
3. Sarah won an \_\_\_\_\_ for best student.
4. Yesterday I \_\_\_\_\_ from a big angry dog that chased me.
5. Was that a real UFO, or just movie \_\_\_\_\_?
6. Did you hear the lion \_\_\_\_\_ at the zoo?
7. Sometimes I \_\_\_\_\_ what the future will be like.
8. I accidentally dropped a cup on the floor and it \_\_\_\_\_.

- Choose any two of the above words and write your own sentences.

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_

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# A Dinosaur Zoo?

Topics: Movies / Dinosaurs

Have you ever **wondered**<sup>1</sup> what might happen if dinosaurs were alive today? *Jurassic Park* is a movie that asks if it's a good idea to bring back animals that went **extinct**<sup>2</sup>, even if they are big, **scary**<sup>3</sup> dinosaurs. Sometimes, however, playing with nature can be dangerous!



Directed by Steven Spielberg, *Jurassic Park* is an exciting dinosaur movie that came out on June 11, 1993. The movie is about a man named John Hammond who makes a dinosaur zoo on an island called Isla Nublar, near Costa Rica. He uses science to bring back real dinosaurs like T. rex, Velociraptor, and Triceratops. He invites Dr. Alan Grant, Dr. Ellie Sattler, and Dr. Ian Malcolm to see the park.

Everything goes wrong when a big storm hits the island, and the computers stop working. Then, when a bad guy named Dennis Nedry tries to steal some dinosaur eggs, all the dinosaurs **escape**<sup>4</sup>! The T. rex **roars**<sup>5</sup> and **smashes**<sup>6</sup> cars, and the Velociraptors chase people around and try to eat them!

Alan, Ellie, and the two kids—Tim and Lex—have to be very brave to escape the dinosaurs. The movie shows a lot of amazing dinosaur scenes with fantastic **special effects**<sup>7</sup>, making it look real! *Jurassic Park* was a huge hit, making over \$1 billion and winning three big **awards**<sup>8</sup> for sound and visual effects.

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## Listening and Spelling Practice

### A Dinosaur Zoo?

- *Listen to the article and fill in each space with a missing vowel (a, e, i, o, u).*

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### Grammar Practice

# A Dinosaur Zoo?

- **Choose the best words to complete the sentences.**

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- 1.**  
(A) wonderful  
(B) wonder  
(C) wondered

- 2.**  
(A) bring  
(B) brought  
(C) brings

- 3.**  
(A) dangerous  
(B) danger  
(C) dangers

- 4.**  
(A) names  
(B) named  
(C) name

- 5.**  
(A) scenes  
(B) scientific  
(C) science

- 6.**  
(A) saw  
(B) see  
(C) sees

- 7.**  
(A) where  
(B) when  
(C) which

- 8.**  
(A) tries  
(B) try  
(C) trying

- 9.**  
(A) try  
(B) tries  
(C) trying

- 10.**  
(A) their  
(B) there  
(C) the

- 11.**  
(A) amaze  
(B) amazed  
(C) amazing

- 12.**  
(A) but  
(B) and  
(C) or

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# Blended Learning Lesson A Dinosaur Zoo?

## How Much Do You Understand?

● *According to the article, write 'T' (True) or 'F' (False) next to each statement.*

1. \_\_\_\_\_ *Jurassic Park* is a dangerous movie.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ The movie is about a dinosaur zoo on an island.
3. \_\_\_\_\_ The name of the island is Costa Rica.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Dennis Nedry tries to eat some of the dinosaur eggs.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Two children are in the movie.
6. \_\_\_\_\_ The movie made a lot of money.

## Discuss

● *Discuss the following questions with your classmates.*

1. What three questions would you like to ask John Hammond?
2. Would you like to visit a dinosaur zoo if it was safe? Why? / Why not?
3. Do you think it is ever a good idea to bring back extinct animals?  
Why? / Why not?

## Write

● *Choose one of the above discussion questions. Write a short paragraph to answer it.*

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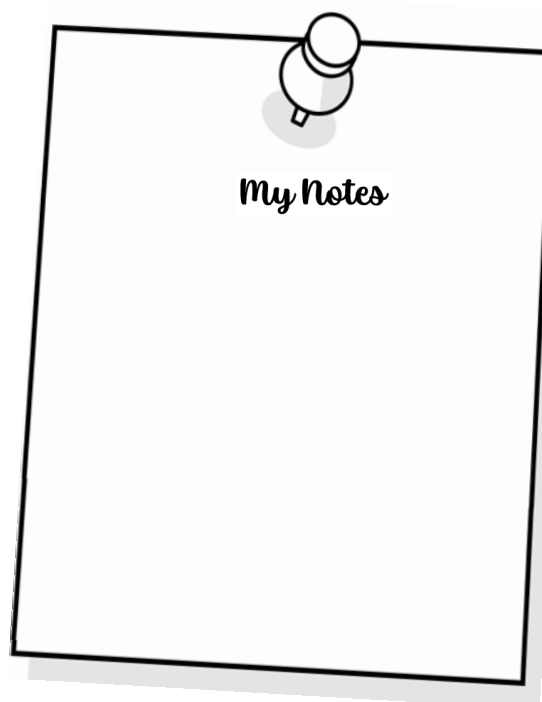
## Lesson "A Dinosaur Zoo?"

**Grammar Focus** Mixed (focus on present tense)**Vocabulary** 233 words**A1** words-56% / **A2** words-21% / **B1** words-5% / **B2** words-3%**Off-List**-13%

Vocabulary Analysis by: vocabkitchen.com

**Level** Elementary to Pre-Intermediate (CEFR A2)**ANSWER KEY** Page 1● **Vocabulary Preview**

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|------|-------------------------|
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| 2. H | 2. scary                |
| 3. C | 3. award                |
| 4. A | 4. escaped <sup>d</sup> |
| 5. D | 5. special effects      |
| 6. G | 6. roar                 |
| 7. B | 7. wonder               |
| 8. F | 8. smashed <sup>d</sup> |

**ANSWER KEY** Page 4● **Grammar (Article)**

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|------|-------|
| 1. C | 7. B  |
| 2. A | 8. A  |
| 3. A | 9. A  |
| 4. B | 10. C |
| 5. C | 11. C |
| 6. B | 12. C |

**ANSWER KEY** Page 5● **How Much Do You Understand?**

- |      |      |
|------|------|
| 1. F | 4. F |
| 2. T | 5. T |
| 3. F | 6. T |

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