

THE READING

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Ocean explorers filmed the deepest known shipwreck for the first time. The Japanese Navy sunk the World War II battleship in 1944. It is now on the ocean floor, 6,456 metres deep. The film crew went down to that depth in a special submarine that can work in the deep-sea pressure. The filming happened in two eight-hour dives.

The lead explorer was in the US Navy. He is an adventurer. He is the first person ever to get to the top of all the world's continents, both poles, and the bottom of all the world's oceans. He said: "As a US Navy officer, I'm proud to have helped bring clarity and closure to the [battleship]."

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PHRASE MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

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|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. the deepest known | a. eight-hour dives |
| 2. for the first | b. shipwreck |
| 3. the World War II | c. down to that depth |
| 4. It is now on the ocean | d. battleship |
| 5. The film crew went | e. pressure |
| 6. in a special | f. floor |
| 7. work in the deep-sea | g. submarine |
| 8. filming happened in two | h. time |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

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|------------------------------|------------------|
| 1. The lead explorer was in | a. ever |
| 2. He is | b. helped |
| 3. He is the first person | c. oceans |
| 4. top of all the world's | d. and closure |
| 5. bottom of all the world's | e. continents |
| 6. a US Navy | f. an adventurer |
| 7. I'm proud to have | g. officer |
| 8. bring clarity | h. the US Navy |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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Ocean explorers (1) _____ known shipwreck for (2) _____. The Japanese Navy sunk the World War II battleship in 1944. It is now on (3) _____, 6,456 metres deep. The film (4) _____ to that depth in a special submarine that (5) _____ the deep-sea pressure. The filming (6) _____ eight-hour dives.

The lead (7) _____ the US Navy. He is an adventurer. He is the (8) _____ to get to the top of all the world's continents, (9) _____ the bottom of all (10) _____. He said: "As a US Navy officer, I'm (11) _____ helped bring clarity and closure (12) _____."

WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____
- d) _____
- e) _____
- f) _____

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Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

- a) _____
- b) _____
- c) _____
- d) _____
- e) _____
- f) _____