

Stories for speaking practice 7. Level 1.

Bert needs glasses. (Part A)



1) Put the sentences in order. The first one is done for you.

- A "Yes", says a man. "I think you're right."
- B Bert Blind answers, "Yes, that's a good idea."
- C Bert is a writer. He writes books about learning languages.
- D Bert Blind is married and he lives with his wife in a small flat outside London.
- E But Bert reads and writes a lot so now his eyes aren't very good.
- F He's got a headache and he can't see very well. "Good morning, doctor", he says. "I think I need glasses."
- G His books can teach you French, German or English.
- H One day, Bert's wife says to him, "I think you need glasses. Your eyes hurt and you get headaches. Why don't you go and see the doctor".
- I So, that morning, at 10 o'clock, he goes to look for the doctor's surgery.
- J The doctor's surgery is next door. This is a Chinese restaurant!"

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Bert needs glasses. (Part B)



2) Now tell the story. Use the first letters of the words to help you.

- A** Bert Blind is m< and he l< w< his w< in a s< flat o< London.
- B** Bert i< a w<. He w< b< about l< languages.
- C** H< b< can t< you F<, German or E<.
- D** B< Bert r< and w< a l< so now h< e< aren't v< good.
- E** O< day, B< wife s< to h<, "I t< you n< g<. Y< eyes h< and you g< h<." W< don't you g< and s< the d<".
- F** Bert Blind a<, "Yes, t< a good i<."
- G** So, t< m<, at 10 o<, he g< to look f< the d< surgery.
- H** H< got a h< and he c< see v< w<. "G< morning, d<", he s<. "I t< I n< g<."
- I** "Yes", s< a man. "I t< you're r<."
- J** The doctor's s< is n< d<. T< is a C< r<!"

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