

## LESSON PLAN

**LESSON:** Reading Comprehension

**OBJECTIVES:** a. Reading comprehension b. Build vocabulary

**LEVEL:** Intermediate- Upper Intermediate

Article: <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1903/190324-balloons-m.pdf>

Play the [Kahoot for the Lesson](#)

**TIME:** 30-40 minutes

**PRE-READING:** Preview vocabulary (8-10 minutes)

- **Use the cards** attached to this lesson and do a synonym match. Look for the words in context first, (if they can't, they can use their phones or a dictionary).
- Do the **synonym match** on Breaking News English
- Students choose 2 or 3 NEW words and write an example sentence with them.

**READING:** Read for Comprehension (15-25 minutes)

- Read and answer the **True/False questions** (6 minutes)
- **Underline** in the text where they found the answer.
- **Check the answers.** Listen to students' pronunciation as they read the question.
- Add some **discussion questions** if you have time
- Play **KAHOOT** about this article and vocabulary

**TIPS to share:**

- Don't read the text first for the T/F questions.
- Read the question, and search for the information and the answer. (The questions are in order)

Good luck! **Let me know how it works** for you and if you have any special touches that I can try in my classes:



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**ADVANCED CLASSES**

- Focus on the discussion questions and new vocabulary or expressions from the article.
- Work with more practical language and speaking with open guided discussion
- Find a partner, one partner is Discussion A, the other partner is Discussion B.
- Choose 2-3 discussion questions to ask your partner. Write down their partner's answer.

**VOCABULARY**

<b>ALARMING</b>	<b>PROBABLE</b>
<b>HARMFUL</b>	<b>LOOK LIKE</b>
<b>LIKELY</b>	<b>CONSUMED</b>
<b>INGESTED</b>	<b>DAMAGING</b>
<b>ATTRIBUTED TO</b>	<b>DEATHS</b>
<b>INCREASING</b>	<b>GLOBALLY</b>
<b>MORTALITIES</b>	<b>WORRYING</b>
<b>WORLDWIDE</b>	<b>PINNED ON</b>
<b>RESEMBLE</b>	<b>DEADLY</b>
<b>FATAL</b>	<b>GROWING</b>