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Vocabulary

Unit10 – Lesson2

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WOULD YOU WANT TO WRITE A MEMOIR—A STORY ABOUT SPECIAL EVENTS IN YOUR LIFE? WHAT MIGHT INSPIRE OTHERS TO WRITE THEIR MEMOIRS?
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Have your Ss do the task for a couple of minutes. Then check the answers in class.

Match the words with the definitions.

contemporary-an orphanage-an orphan-flee-harrowing
glittering-devastating-a passage-interweave-grief

1. a home for children whose parents are dead
2. a child whose parents are dead
3. a harrowing sight or experience is one that frightens, shocks, or upsets you very much
4. a short piece of writing or music, that is taken from a longer piece
5. causing tremendous damage or suffering to someone or something
6. to combine two or more ideas or things so that they cannot be easily separated
7. great sadness
8. shining with shimmering light
9. contemporary art, music, dance, or literature belongs to the present time
10. to leave a place very quickly in order to escape from danger

Teach the challenging words to your Ss. Then play the audio to practice the pronunciation.



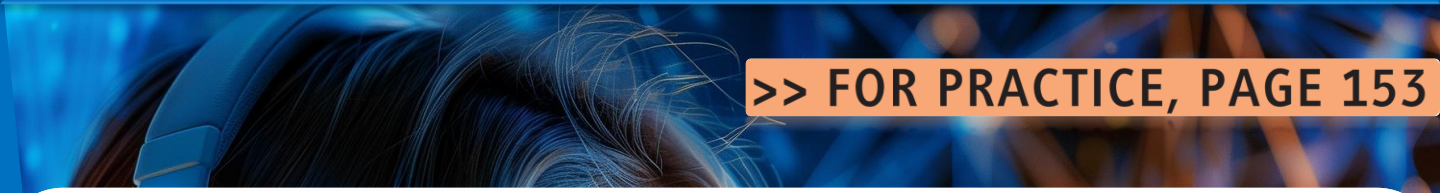
B ▶10-07 **VOCABULARY** Look at the words and listen to the sentences. Do you know these words?

contemporary	flee	devastating	interweave
an orphanage	harrowing	a passage	grief
an orphan	glittering		

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Have the Ss do the task in class. Nominate the Ss for their answers.



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VOCABULARY PRACTICE Complete the sentences with the correct form of the words in the box.

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1. The teacher asked them to memorize their favorite _____ from the book.
2. There were children of all different ages living at the _____ .
3. She didn't cry at the funeral, but her _____ was easy to see.
4. The streets were crowded with people trying to _____ from the fire.
5. The journey was long and _____ , but we all survived it.
6. The hotel was old-fashioned but they redecorated in a more _____ style.
7. The ice on the trees was _____ in the bright morning sun.
8. A lot of children became _____ during the war.
9. The loss of their coach was _____ for the team's performance.
10. The movie _____ the stories of two young girls, one who grows up in a wealthy family in the city, and another who lives her entire life on a farm.

Practise all the new words with your students. Ask and answer questions using the words.

Talk together

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Tell me a sentence with “contemporary” about memoir.

Her memoir shows a contemporary view of life today.





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