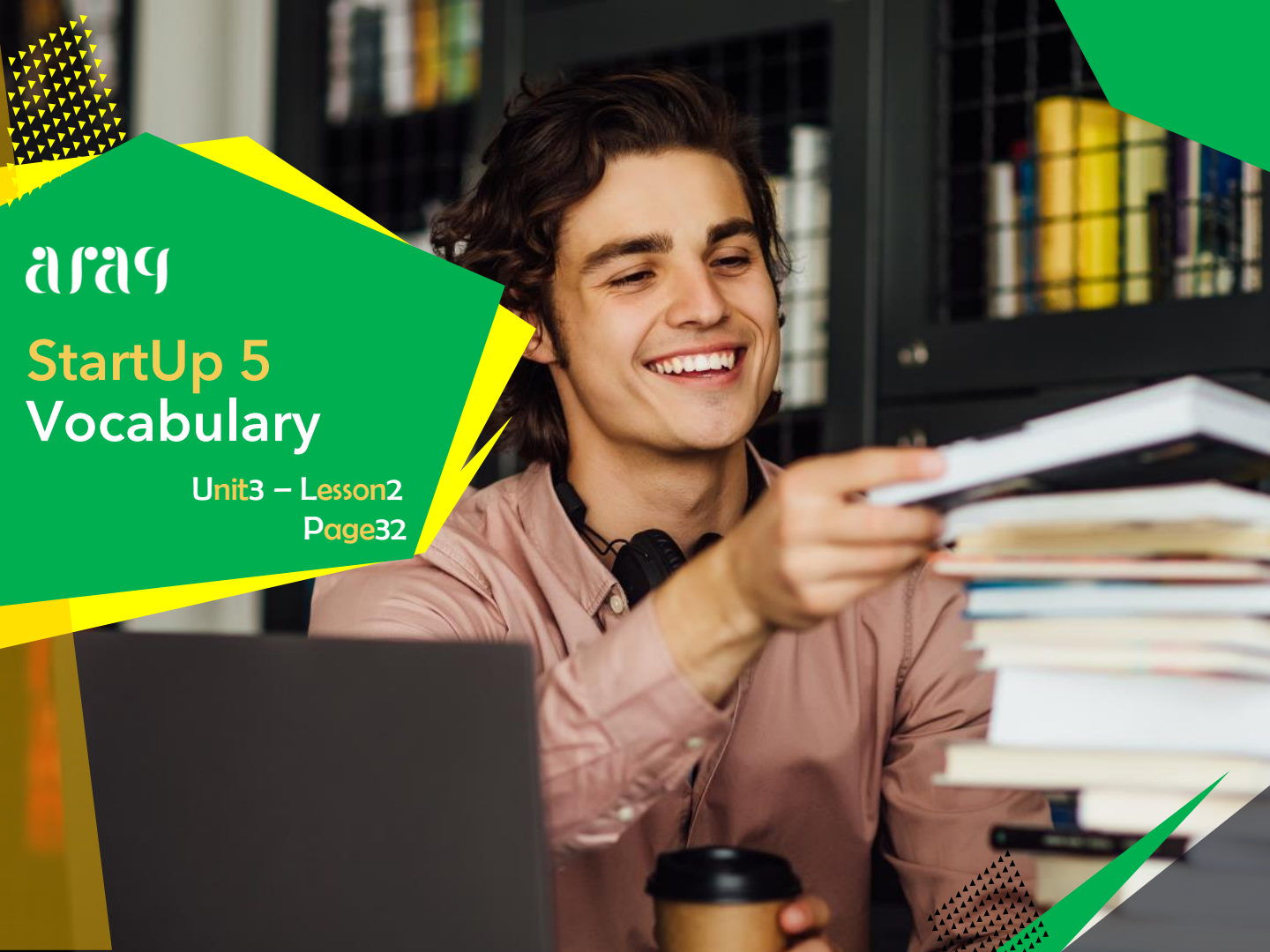


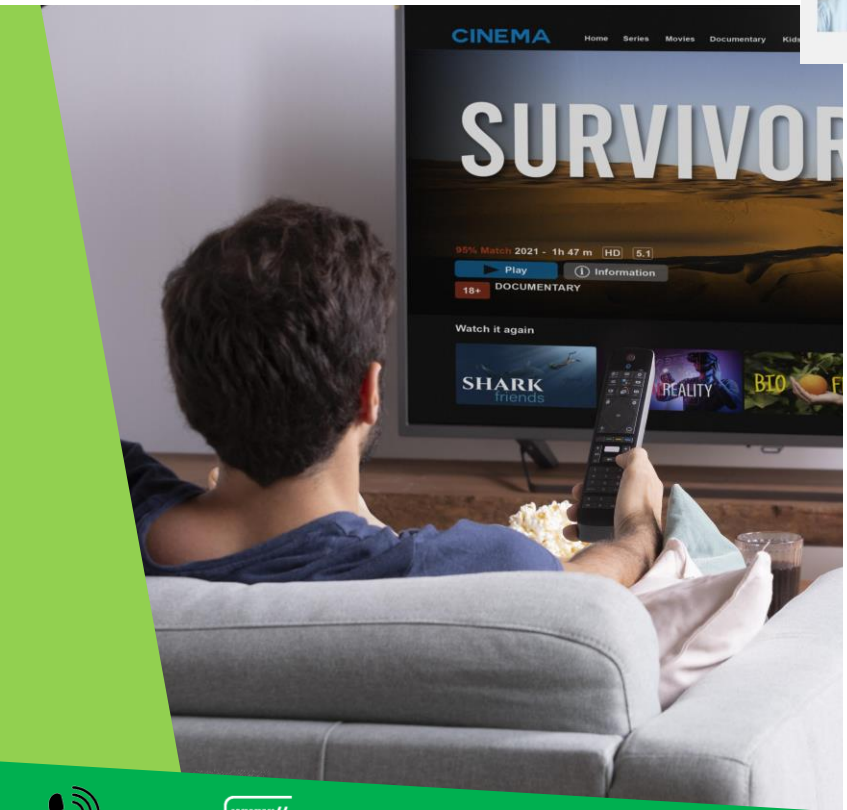
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Have the Ss read the chart and share their opinions in class.

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A Read the chart. How does your TV-watching time compare to the average for your region?





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Average Time Spent Watching TV

(including TV sets, computers, phones, and tablets)

Region	Minutes per day
Asia Pacific	154.5
Central and Eastern Europe	222.9
Latin America	199.0
North America	292.6
Middle East and North Africa	249.7
Western Europe	220.5
Rest of World	211.0

Have your Ss do the task for a couple of minutes. Then check the answers in class.

Choose the correct option.

1. A _____ is a period when a TV show is on.
a) series b) season
2. The last episode of a season is called a _____.
a) grand finale b) season finale
3. The actors in a show make up the _____.
a) cast b) crew
4. The overall plan of a story, including events, is the _____.
a) script b) plot
5. The most important character is the _____.
a) minor character b) main character
6. Revealing a plot detail is known as a _____.
a) spoiler b) surprise

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▶03-09 Listen. Then listen and repeat.



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an episode: a TV show that is one in a series

a season: a series of TV episodes shown during a certain time period

a season finale: the last episode in a season

a cast: all of the actors in a TV show

a trailer: a short advertisement for a movie or TV show

a plot: the events that form the main story of a TV show, movie, or book

a main character: one of the most important people in a story

a minor character: a person with a small role in a story

a spoiler: information about a TV show that can ruin a surprise for the first-time viewer

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

C Complete the ad. Use words from 1B.



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episode
season
season finale
cast
trailer
plot
main character
minor character
spoiler

Complete the conversation with information from the box.

cast	minor character	season finale	episode	plot
spoilers	main character	season	trailer	

A: Can you believe what happened in last night's _____ 1. of *The Neighborhood*?

B: Wait! Don't tell me! I haven't seen it yet.

A: Don't worry. I won't give away any _____ 2. But let's just say that Kevin is not as nice as we'd thought.

B: I love surprises like that in the _____ 3.

A: Yeah, even before the very first show, you could tell from the _____ 4. that it would be exciting.

B: And the actors! What an incredible _____ 5.!

A: I know! Especially Claire Miller. She's not in every show since she's only a _____ 6., but she's really good.

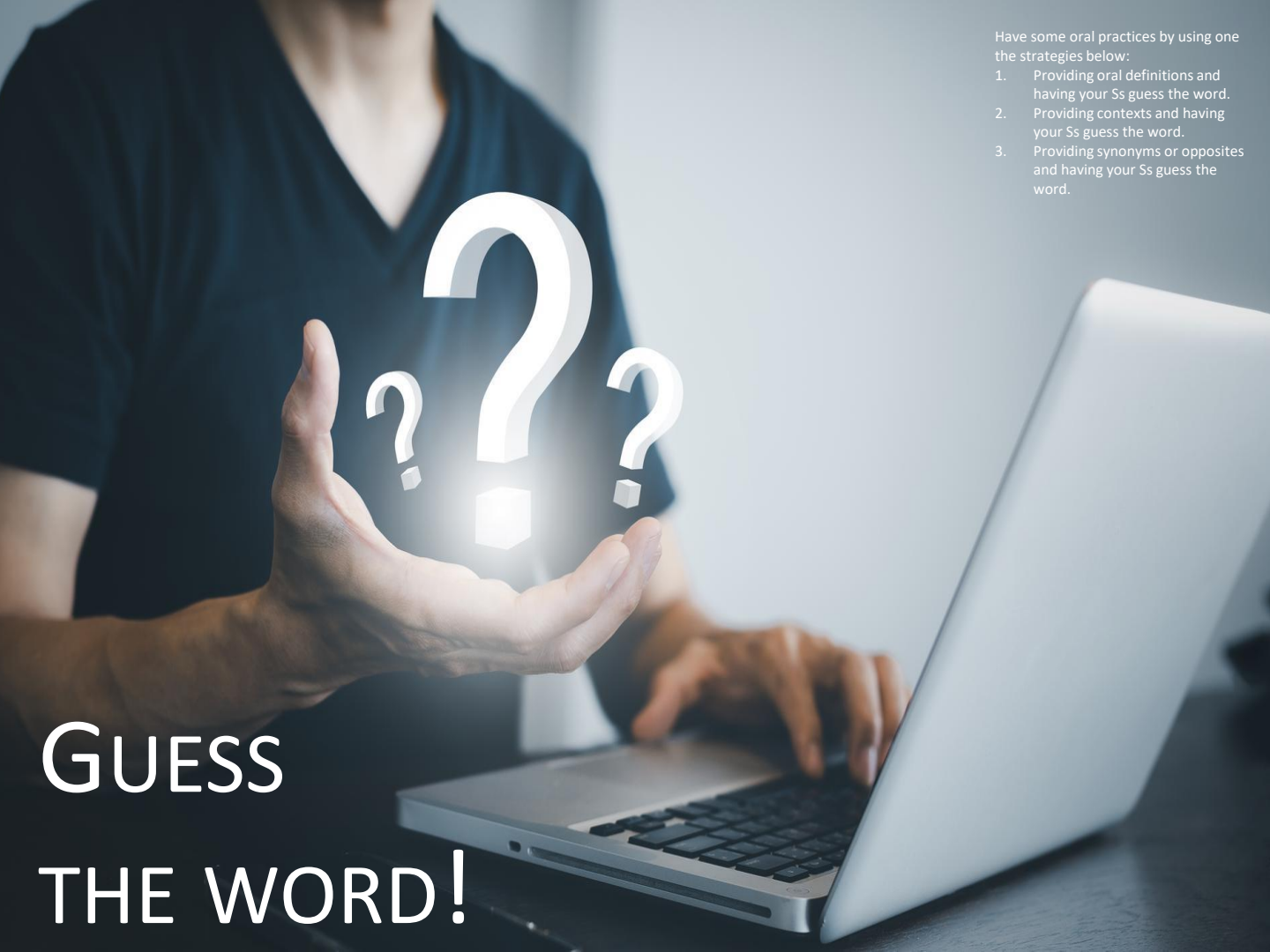
B: My favorite is the guy who plays the _____ 7.. I'm glad he got a big part.

A: Yeah, all the actors during this _____ 8. have been excellent. I can't believe it's almost over.

B: Do you want to get together next week to watch the _____ 9.?

A: Sure!

Activity



Have some oral practices by using one the strategies below:

1. Providing oral definitions and having your Ss guess the word.
2. Providing contexts and having your Ss guess the word.
3. Providing synonyms or opposites and having your Ss guess the word.

GUESS THE WORD!

Have the Ss do the task in their breakout rooms.

D PAIRS Discuss the TV show in the ad in 1C. Use your imagination. What do you think will happen in the first episode and the season finale?

A: Well, Julia's the main character, so we'll find out she's alive in the first episode.
B: Yeah. Maybe we'll see her climbing back up the mountain.



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