

6/1/2015 (#7 this year)

Well, June is here already. This year is flying by<sup>1</sup>! 6 months have already passed! And you have your tests this week. I hope you will do the best that you can and try not to get too stressed<sup>2</sup>. Whatever scores you get<sup>3</sup>, as long as you did your best you'll be ok. Last week Joe told me that the news I use every week is too depressing<sup>4</sup>. He asked me to try and find some happy news. So I have tried to find some happy news. Some news that reminds<sup>5</sup> us there are a lot of good people in the world.

### Something You Don't Know (Supercar<sup>6</sup>)

- The word "supercar" first appeared in<sup>7</sup> an advert<sup>8</sup> in 1920 for a Bentley car.
- At \$4 million<sup>9</sup>, the Lamborghini Veneno is the most expensive<sup>10</sup> supercar.
- The fastest supercar is the Bugatti Veyron which can do 435km/h! However<sup>11</sup>, when driving at this speed it uses all of its petrol<sup>12</sup> in 12 minutes. Not much use<sup>13</sup> in town.
- Most supercars have a limiter<sup>14</sup> on the engine. This stops the car going very fast.
- The Italian police force<sup>15</sup> have some Lamborghini supercars. Last year they crashed<sup>16</sup> one!



### Last Week's Answers



### Announcements

Tests for the fifth and sixth grades on Wednesday.  
Tests for the whole school on Thursday and Friday.  
Good luck.

### News

### Disabled Boy Gets Ride In Supercar

Last week a disabled<sup>17</sup> boy living in Australia had one of his dreams come true. Callum loves supercars. He spends a lot of his free time on the side of a road in his town hoping to see a supercar. He has a top ten list of his favorite cars and he loves reading and talking about them.



Callum has a rare<sup>18</sup> type of<sup>19</sup> muscular dystrophy<sup>20</sup> so he can't take part in a lot of activities<sup>21</sup> his friends do. When Callum's dad asked him what he would like for Christmas, Callum asked for a ride in a supercar. Callum's dad didn't have enough money to rent<sup>22</sup> one but he wanted to make his son happy.

He found a supercar website and he posted a message<sup>23</sup> asking if anyone with a supercar could give his son a ten minute ride. Within ten minutes he had many replies<sup>23</sup>. The people on the site organized<sup>24</sup> a meet<sup>25</sup> in Callum's town and he had rides in many cars. He was a happy boy. And people can be very kind.



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|     | + |    | + |    | 15  |
| X   |   | -  |   | -  |     |
|     | - |    | X |    | -47 |
| -54 |   | -4 |   | -4 |     |

Use the numbers 1 – 9 only once

- 1.Fly by 時間が飛ぶように過ぎ去る 2.Stress ストレス 3.Whatever score you get どんな点数がとっても 4.Depressing 気が滅入る 5.Remind 思い出させる 6.Supercar 超高性能の自動車 7.First appeared in~で初 8.Advert 広告 9.Million 100万 10.Expensive 値段が高い 11.However しかし 12.Petrol ガソリン 13.Not much use あまりにも使えない 14.Limiter スピード制限 15.Italian police force イタリアの警官隊 16.Crash 事故 17.Disabled 身体障害 18.Rare 珍しい 19.Type of の一種 20.Muscular dystrophy 筋ジストロフィー 21.Activity 活動 22.Rent 借りる 23.Post a message メッセージを投稿する 24.Organize 計画する 25.Meet 交流会