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這個網站最主要的是著重在閱讀與聽力上。一邊看新聞內容，一邊訓練聽力，其實這樣的方式也算是蠻普遍的，但它吸引我的是為了符合能力分級，它把同一篇新聞，按照程度，改寫成三篇文章。

從下面三張貼圖中，各位可以看出，隨著程度不一，內容長度及深度(包括單字及句子運用)均有所區隔，就是為了讓使用者可以最貼近自己程度的方式為學習。

Fastest bicycle - level 1



25-09-2013 14:00

Level 1

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Level 3

A man **rides** bikes very fast. He is from the Netherlands. He sets a new record.

He rides in the Nevada Desert. The **speed** he sets is 133.78 kilometres per hour (83 miles per hour). His bike is special. It is

called the recumbent bike. You lie down on this bike.

It is from Netherlands, too. Two university students made it.

Difficult words: **ride** (go on something), **speed** (how fast you go).

You can read the original story and watch the video in the Level 3 section.

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Fastest bicycle - level 2



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Level 1

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Level 3

A young Dutch cyclist has broken the record in the World Human Powered Speed Challenge.

He traveled across a road in the Nevada Desert at an amazing speed of 133.78 kilometres per hour (83 miles per hour). He had a special **recumbent bike** so he needed little help before he started to move.

The **high-tech** bike was designed by students from two Dutch universities.

Difficult words: **recumbent bike** (type of bicycle where you lie on your back), **high-tech** (using the newest technology).

You can read the original story and watch the video in the Level 3 section.

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Fastest bicycle - level 3



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Level 3

Sebastiaan Bowier has **pedalled** his way to inthe record books by completing the fastest ever time in the World Human Powered Speed Challenge.

The Dutch cyclist broke the world's speed record for a bike as he rode across Battle Mountain road in the Nevada Desert. Setting off with a little help, he became the fastest ever cyclist in a human-powered vehicle travelling at 133.78 kilometres per hour (83 miles per hour).

"I pushed 200 watts halfway and then I started 350, 400 watts and 110 (kilometres) or so. At one and a half miles, I thought I would go 20 kilometres faster. So from there I went **flat out** and went sprinting."

Bowier's high-tech **recumbent bike** was designed by students from two Dutch universities.

Difficult words: **pedal** (move by working pedals of a bicycle), **flat out** (as fast as possible), **recumbent bike** (type of bicycle where you lie on your back).

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整個網頁乾淨、俐落，用不上的地方就省了。來到這裡，使用者可以馬上知道如何使用這個網站。除了教你如何使用外，為了讓來到這裡的人，都能迅速上手。

How to Use

Hello students,

We want to tell you something about News in Levels. We write news in three levels of English.

You can learn [English](#) very fast when you use [News](#) in Levels every day. How? It is simple. We repeat the same words in one level again and again. So, when you read and listen to our news every day, after 2 or 3 or 4 months, you will understand all the words in one level. Then it is time for you to go one level higher and do the same.

只是不曉得，以現代人凡事講求速成的時代，網站作者苦口婆心的建議，一年之後必能修成正果，這樣的話語是否會嚇阻許多人前來。但語言的學習本是如此，只是速成，倒是可以說成每日練習即可。我們若能把這沒有範圍的語言學習，當做是每日點心來品嚐，其實進步是很快的。每天無需正襟危坐在書桌前，讀個 2-30 分鐘不可，只要有心加上恆心再加上耐心，只要把一天的時間切成細段，如一天背個 10 個單字，看一篇英文新聞，練習一段聽力，你會發現這樣的學習，壓力會大大降低許多，而且進步也是最神速的。想當年，筆者在訓練英語聽力時，沒有目前方便的網際網路所提供的各種材料，只得抱著收音機，坐在門口，聽著 StudioClassroom，因為一次要聽上個半小時左右，聽著聽著，就睡著了。想想看，如今人生過了大半的筆者，老是為了睡眠不好傷透腦筋，倒是可試試這個方法。

話題扯遠了，言歸正傳。這個網站為了幫助使用者進入狀況，也提供個方式教導大家如何確認自己的 level，以免不小心選個高於自己程度，讀來、聽來都困難重重的，以致打退堂，這

Test your level of English

You can test your level here. Here is a simple test which is able to show you your level:

There are 20 words in every Level

If you know only 0-5 words in one level, go one level down (if possible)

If you know 6-16 words in one level, this level of English is for you (stay here)

If you know 17-20 words in one level, go one level up (if possible)

Level 1

book sister swim river every future together get hungry remember
understand wash dinner help corner only ask call expensive first

Level 2

fresh choose explain invite follow result responsible improve opinion power
reason depend rule offer behave success borrow experience catch search

Level 3

appropriate blaze superficial slope cave steep seal grab provide solution
patient suddenly influence trust promise claim belong value rare frame

可照著它說明的方式來做做看。

為提高學習興趣，這個網站在每個 level 裡各提供了 8 項，如自然、歷史、運動、新聞等，大

家在使用時，可挑選自己喜歡的主題訓練自己的 **Reading** 跟 **Listening**。

對了，覺得好用的話，可用好好支持這個網站哦，當然不是口惠而實不至的東西喔，而是要

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