

ACCIDENTS

BEFORE LISTENING

Answer the questions below.

1. Do you always have accidents?
2. How many accidents have you had in your life?

WHILE LISTENING

Listen and repeat the words below.

thumb	though	dangerous	unbelievable	happen
painful	wonder	standing	ended	suppose

Listen and fill in the gaps below with the words above.

I _____ how many accidents I've had in my life. I've had a few serious ones where I've _____ up in hospital. Traffic accidents are the worst. They're always _____. I haven't had too many work-related accidents. I _____ that's because I do office work and that's not so _____. Most of my accidents are those around the house. I've lost count of the number of times I've hit my _____ with a hammer. I'm also really good at _____ up and hitting my head on something. I'm not as bad as my friend, _____. He's a real accident looking for somewhere to _____. Almost every time we meet, he has some story to tell about his latest accident. He's quite _____. I think I'd be very worried if I were his mother.

AFTER LISTENING

TRUE or FALSE

1. The speaker didn't have many accidents.
2. Traffic accidents are always painful.
3. The speaker thinks office work is dangerous.
4. The speaker had most accidents at home.
5. The speaker's friend has lesser accidents.

Discussion

1. What is the most dangerous thing in your home?
2. What can be done to prevent kitchen accidents?
3. What do you need to do if you cut your finger preparing food?
4. Where at home would you put your first aid kit?
5. What are the dangers outside your home?