



Never Give Up!



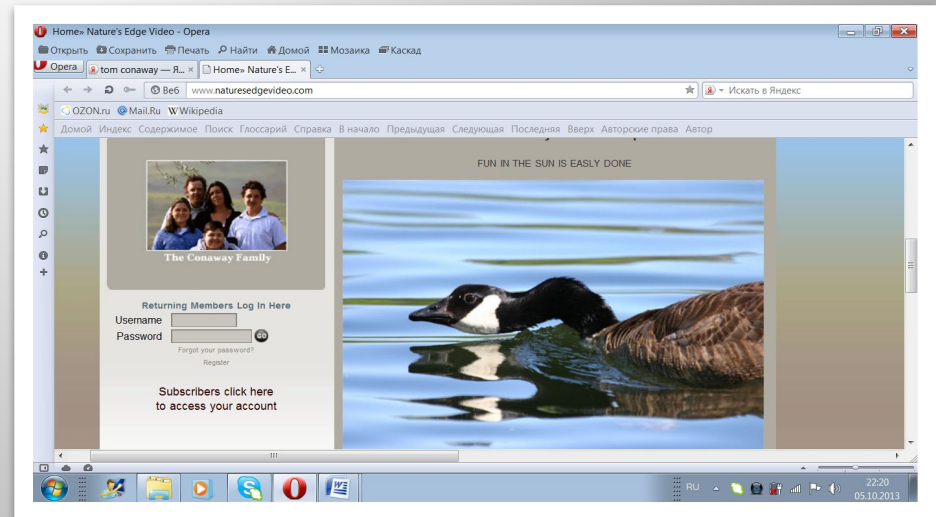
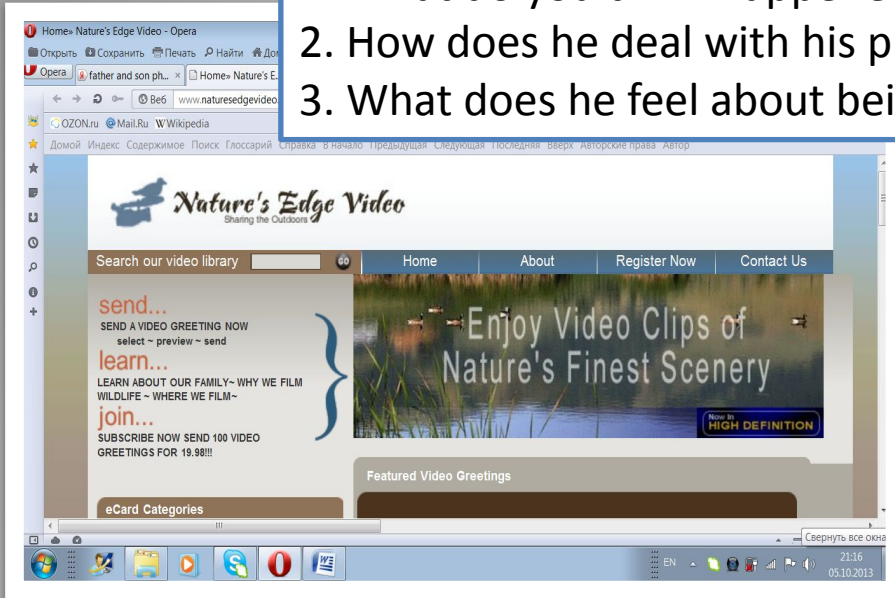


1. What challenge do you think this girl faced?



2. What do you think her life was like after the tragedy?
3. What was one of the biggest difficulties?

1. What do you think happened to the boy?
2. How does he deal with his problems?
3. What does he feel about being in a wheelchair?



Read the text and mark the sentences T (true), F (false), or NS (not stated).
Correct the false sentences.

1. Bethany was a professional surfer by 2003.

2. Bethany didn't see the shark before it attacked her.

3. People were surprised when Bethany started surfing again soon after her accident.

4. Bethany doesn't worry about sharks any more.

5. Bethany never questions why she lost her arm.

6. Tom can't move his arms or legs.

7. Tom's dad has always loved film making.

8. Tom's dad controls the camera for him.

9. Tom believes that his disability gives him an advantage when filming.

Match the words/phrases from the text to their meanings.

1. gigantic

- huge

2. plant

- place firmly

3. keep smb's mind on

- concentrate on

4. inspiration

- encouragement

5. quit

- give up

6. perfectly still

- without moving at all

7. come into sight

- appear

8. before long

- soon

9. realised

- understood

10. scaring them off

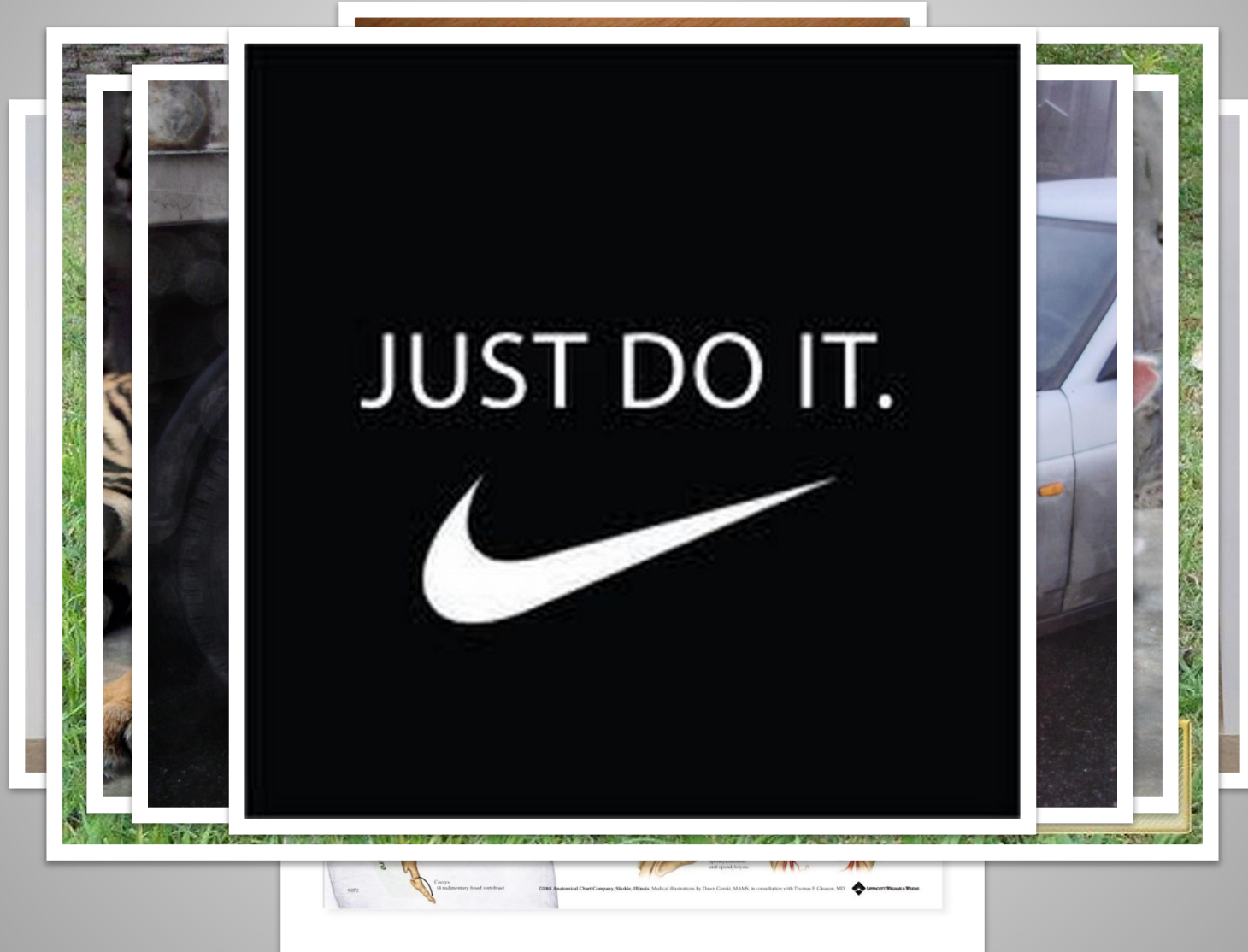
- frightening them away

11. deal with

- face

Use the words in bold from the text in the sentences based on the pictures.

Furiously, carefully, rip off, spine, brain damage, share, disability, motto, bump.



Fill in: *total, positive, seriously, win, race, face, experience, feel, terrifying, brain, survive.*

1. face challenges
2. to win a competition
3. total miracle
4. terrifying experience
5. positive attitude
6. to experience a disaster
7. seriously bruised
8. to feel sorry for smb
9. brain damage
10. to survive an accident

Parts of the body - Injuries



scratch



break



bruise



sprain

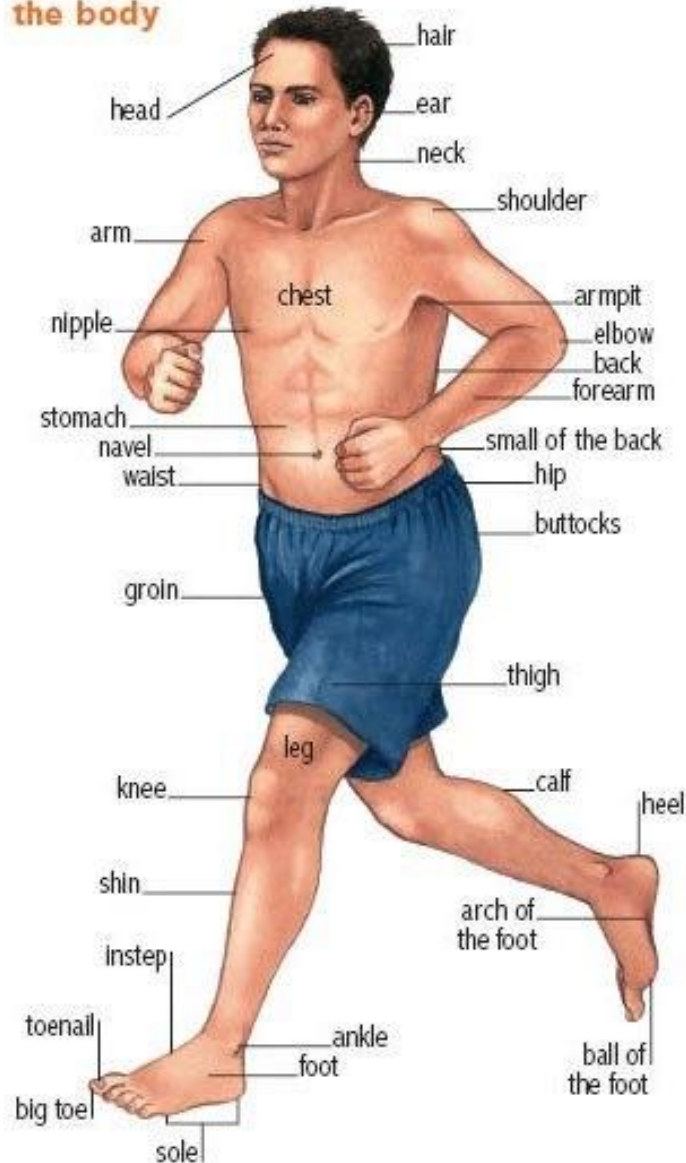


burn



bump

the body



Imagine you are a radio interviewer. Your partner is either Bethany or Tom. Act out your interview.



Ask you partner:

- how the disaster happened
- what he/she felt soon after the disaster
- what difficulties he/she faced
- how he/she managed to overcome the difficulties
- what he/she feels about his/her disability now

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