

TAREA 1

FORGET LAW SCHOOL, THESE KIDS WANT TO BE A YOUTUBE STAR

ANSWER BOX

GAP	ANSWER
0	<u>a loyal following</u>
1	a new generation
2	a recent survey
3	a growing trend
4	a similar response
5	an amount of
6	a step back
7	a common concern
8	a simple medium

TEXT (*Forget law school, these kids want to be a YouTube star*)

Annie LeBlanc got her first job at 6 years old.

For eight years, she's posted YouTube videos featuring gymnastics, original songs and various tutorials, amassing subscribers and building **a loyal following (0)** of almost 3.7 million fans, LeBlanc told CNBC.

She's part of **a new generation (1)** who want to be YouTubers when they grow up.

In fact, one-third of kids between the ages of 8 and 12 aspire to be either a vlogger or a YouTuber, according to **a recent survey (2)** conducted by Harris Polls and iconic Danish toy maker Lego.

It's part of **a growing trend (3)** that stems partly from increased access to technology at younger ages, said Pam Moore, a social media expert and CEO of Marketing Nutz in Orlando, Florida.

The study, which polled thousands of kids in three countries – the U.S., China and the United Kingdom — found that the number of kids who want to be YouTubers depends on what part of the world they come from.

Out of 1,000 kids surveyed in the U.S., 29% wanted to make it in vlogging. Kids from the U.K. gave **a similar response (4)** rate, with 30% choosing a career via YouTube. Vlogger/YouTuber was the most selected career choice in both the U.S. and U.K. results. In China, by contrast, only 18% of surveyed kids said they'd want to be a vlogger.

One surprising finding from the First Choice survey was that today's young would-be vloggers and YouTubers are not primarily motivated by money, despite the potential for big paychecks.

Over the last month, LeBlanc has made **an amount of (5)** nine videos on YouTube, averaging roughly 807,890 views per video. That means she could have made up to \$80,000 just in one month alone – and that's on the lower end.

LeBlanc got into vlogging on YouTube at age 6, she said, when her mom put up videos of her competitive gymnastic routines. Today she's using her YouTube account to showcase her singing and acting.

"For seven to eight years, I considered myself a full-time vlogger," she said. "But now that I'm beginning to work more on Nickelodeon and acting, as well as focusing more on my music, I have to take **a step back (6)** from vlogging full-time so I can practice and hone my craft in both of those areas." Nickelodeon tapped LeBlanc to do a digital series called "Annie vs. Hayley" in May.

Privacy is **a common concern (7)** among parents of YouTubers, but at the end of the day, it's up to them to protect their kids and monitor what they're posting. "YouTube is just **a simple medium(8)**", she said. "Most parents wouldn't let their kids hang out all night at a dark park with strangers.

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TAREA 2

STEP BY STEP MAKING THE PERFECT CUP OF TEA

ANSWER BOX

QUESTION	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
ANSWER	B	A	C	C	B	A	C	A	A

TEXT (Step by step making the perfect cup of tea)

Both Britain and Ireland are nations of tea drinkers; we drink more than anyone (**the Irish drink even more than the British (0)**). Amongst all those tea drinkers, everyone has an opinion on how to make a 'proper' cup of tea. What is a proper cup though will always be subjective, **it is what one person likes and that is not always the same for everyone (1)**. I like mine strong, dark and unsweetened, other like it weak and sugary. There are however certain qualities apart from the strength which is paramount to making a cuppa right.

Tea comes from the plant Camellia Sinensis and **depending on the post picking process, can become white, green or black tea (2)**. The first part of making a good cup will be using leaf tea (though in fairness, **tea bags are much improved to what they once were (3)**).

Black tea is by far the tea most used for general everyday drinking, and it is that tea we are talking about here. Because of the **health benefits of green tea, it is growing in popularity (4)**.

There is only one way that water will make a good cup of tea, and that is if it is boiling; not kept warm in the kettle, never from the tap. No, **the water must be boiling as you pour over the tea in the pot or even the bag in a cup (5)**.

Start by filling the kettle with fresh water (once boiled the taste will not be the same as fresh water) and bring to the boil.

Always warm the teapot with a little of the boiled water, swirl it around the pot and **discard (6)**. Place one tsp of fresh leaf tea per person plus one for the pot into the teapot.

Top up the teapot with the boiling water (do not allow the water to go off-the-boil or it will not be hot enough to brew the tea.

Leave to infuse for 3 – 4 minutes, no longer or it will develop a 'stewed' flavour. (7)

Pour the tea through a tea-strainer directly into clean teacups, China cups are one of the best to use, though why has never been proven; the tea just tastes better.

The right teapot for the perfect cuppa is a matter of personal preference either metal or china. A metal teapot will keep the tea hotter for longer but some feel that **china keeps a finer flavour (8)** with no tainting from the metal.

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TAREA 3

HOW TO BE A FASHIONISTA

ANSWERS BOX

FRAGMENT	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
HEADING	C	H	J	G	A	B	L	E	I	D

TEXT (*How to be a fashionista*)

0./C. LEARN HOW TO DIFFERENTIATE A FASHIONISTA

This is someone who looks at fashion as a form of art. If you want to learn to follow fashion and look great, you can learn how to stay up on current fashion trends, as well as how to build a stylish wardrobe that will have you turning heads.

1./H. LEARN TO PAY ATTENTION TO FASHION

Fashion is all around us, and by reading, watching and learning new things about the world and fashion; you will be inspired and in time become a fashionista. Start looking at the world as your canvas and create, whether it is by styling different clothing garments together, or sketching ideas of clothing garments you'd like to recreate or find in a store.

2./J. LEARN TO RESEARCH ON SOCIAL MEDIA

On your personal Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram pages, follow as many style and fashion icons as possible. This way, you can get instant fashion updates at your fingertips. Search popular fashion hashtags and regularly go digging for new and surprising style inspirations online.

3./G. LEARN TO OBTAIN SOME SOLID ESSENTIALS

Don't just go out and buy a bunch of really cool pieces that match with one thing in your closet. Get things like camisoles, plain sweaters and cardigans, a plain skirt, and a few neutral-colored dresses, so you'll have as many options as possible to match. If you aren't quite ready for wild colors, just go with black to make sure you'll have choices.

4./A. LEARN HOW TO CONTROL YOUR ECONOMY

Fashion's a great hobby, as long as you can afford it. If you're on a budget, it's important to set a particular amount out of your funds that you're allowed to spend on money per month and stay strictly in that limit. You don't have to sacrifice style for cash, though, and you can learn to find quality items for cheap. There's a difference between fashionista and shopaholic.

5./B. LEARN HOW TO CREATE YOUR STUFF

When you truly develop your own style, sometimes you'll picture such an ideal outfit and you go on a mad hunt for it. And you won't find it. Instead of being disappointed, learn how to make it yourself! You can learn to mend your favourite items and keep them looking fresh and new, as well as how to make up new items as you go along, just for the cost of materials. This can be a real cost-saver, and a great way to make statements.

6./L. LEARN WHAT MAKES YOU LOOK RADIANT

Wear what makes you feel confident. To be a fashionista you need to be confident. The number one rule in fashion is to wear what you want to wear, so always wear what you want and choose items that will help you feel comfortable and radiant. You don't need to wear a fancy dress to school to be a fashionista. Just be yourself and find clothing that you feel represents you, and make you feel beautiful and confident.

7./E. LEARN TO HAVE A POSITIVE ATTITUDE

Fashionistas need to mimic the beauty your fashion exudes on the outside by being beautiful on the inside. Being a fashionista means nothing if your attitude is not positive. Be happy, and enjoy life. Fashion is wonderful, but brand names and style aren't everything. Learn to be you and love you, and soon your inner fashionista will shine.

8./I. LEARN TO PAY ATTENTION TO THE INDUSTRY

Watch what celebs and designers are wearing, and try to recreate those looks into your daily outfits as a fashionista. Try not to copy the looks exactly, but try to put your spin on things.

9./D. LEARN TO FOLLOW YOUR DRESS SENSE

If you want to be a fashionista, you don't have to like what everyone is wearing. By the time you figure out what's trendy and start dressing like other people, it'll be old hat. You don't have to look like the trend-setters out there, and you shouldn't want to. Aim to have your own style.

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