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Day Two The Beast

Part 1: Tricky phrases and words



| Read these phrases and words out loud to your partner. | | | |
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| | she'll have only impure w | vater | |
| | "The Beast" is the name | | |
| | by the people that ride the | em | |
| | on the Mexican side of th | e border | |
| | where coyotes wait to smuggle them | | |
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| | passenger | PAS in jur | |
| | coyotes | keye OH teez | |
| | El Salvador | EL SAL vuh dor | |
| | Guatemala | gwah tuh MAH luh | |
| | Honduras | hahn DOO rus | |



Decoding practice:

Circle the base word in the longer words below. The base is a word part that shows the core meaning. Then <u>underline</u> the prefix that means "not." The first one is done for you.

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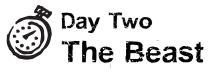
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illegal

impossible

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Part 2: Last read WPM _____

| The travelers that ride The Beast come from El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras. They are running from poverty and gangs. They hope to help their families at home | 09 22 37 | |
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| They are running from poverty and gangs. They hope to help their families at home | 37 | |
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| Their first step is to enter Mexico. There, the travelers jump on cargo trains, pulling | 59 | |
| | 73 | |
| | 87 | |
| Atop the trains, other dangers wait. Criminals prowl. Mexican police hunt the | 99 | |
| travelers down. Many people are beaten and robbed. The travelers keep their eyes 21 | 12 | |
| turned north. They focus on the new life that they hope is waiting for them up ahead. | 29 | |
| The U.S. border is impossible to cross by train. The travelers hop off on the Mexican | 45 | |
| side of the border, where coyotes wait to smuggle them onto American soil. | | |
| Part 3: Comprehension and discussion | | |
| You learn that a new friend came to the U.S. on a cargo train through Mexico, .ike Elisa. Would you ask your friend about the trip? | ; | |
| ■ I would ask about the trip. ■ I wouldn't ask about the trip. | | |
| What questions would you ask? Or would you not want to talk about? | | |

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