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Day Two Separated at the Border

Part 1: Tricky phrases and words



Read these phrases and words out loud to your partner.		
	have been separated from their parents	
	have made more family separations possible	
	Children were served inedible food	
	The children have shown signs of emotional stress	
	They've suffered from anxiety	
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	emotional	ih MOH shun ul
	anxiety	ang ZEYE uh tee
	detention	dih TEN shun



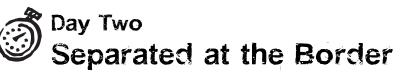
Decoding practice:

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

unbelievably immoral

inedible

impossibly



// one minute

Part 2: Last read WPM "The kick scared me and hurt," Dixiana said. She was a 10-year-old girl from Honduras. The kick was from a guard in a U.S. detention center. The guard wanted her to wake up. He kicked her foot while she was sleeping on the floor. Earlier, Dixiana and her mother 49 were caught entering the US illegally. They were brought to the detention center. They 63 were separated. 65 78 Unbelievably, thousands of children have been separated from their parents at the U.S. border. Harsh immigration policies have made more family separations possible than 89 ever before. People who believe the separations are immoral have tried to help. They've 103 interviewed the children and listened to their stories. They've fought the government in 116 117 court. What are some of the stories? Children were served inedible food. They were kept in very cold rooms without enough blankets. They were bullied by guards. They weren't told their 147 rights. 148 The children have shown signs of emotional stress. They've suffered from anxiety. They 161 haven't been able to sleep. They've felt impossibly sad. "The way I have been treated 176 makes me feel like I am trash," Sergio said. He was a teenager separated from his father 193 for 45 days. "I worry about him every day and every night," Sergio said. 207 When Dixiana was first separated from her mother, she didn't cry. However, on the second 222 and third day, she cried all the time. She said most of "...the other girls in my cell were 241 also crying the whole time I was there." 249 Part 3: Comprehension and discussion Do you think it's immoral to separate kids from parents when families cross the border without the proper legal documents? Why or why not? Share ideas with your partner. ■ We agree about this ☐ We disagree about this

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