

- 1** Have you ever seen *Doctor Who* on television, or read one of the books?  
What did you think about it?

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- 2** *Doctor Who* started as a TV series.  
What do you know about Doctor Who?  
Check your ideas in the Note about the story.



- 1** Which country is the TV series from?

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- 2** What year did it first appear on television?

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- 3** What is special about the Doctor?

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- 4** What can he do?

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- 5** Who does he work with and why?

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- 6** What does he travel in and what can it do?

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- 7** What does he use to lock and unlock doors?

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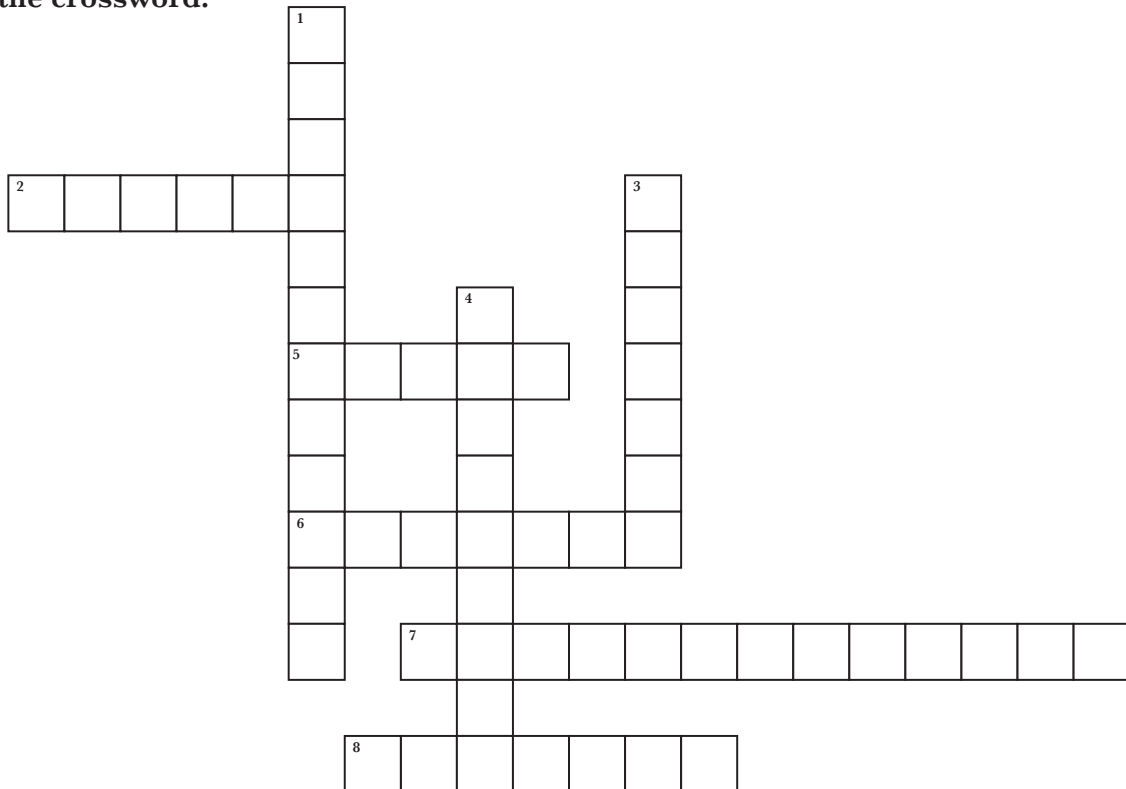
- 3** Look up the meaning of the phrase “to live on borrowed time” in a dictionary.  
Why do you think the author chose this title?

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## 4 Do the crossword.

**Across**

- 2 a large round ball made of glass or plastic
- 5 a large fish that lives in the sea
- 6 the bank keeps your money and you can take some out when you need it
- 7 someone who travels forward or back in time (two words)
- 8 a person who controls the activities of part of a company

**Down**

- 1 the percentage of extra money you pay to a bank for borrowing or saving money (two words)
- 3 to cut and collect something
- 4 when someone moves to a higher position in a company






## 5 What are the good things about banks? What are the bad things about banks?

Write your ideas in the columns.

Good	Bad

6 Why do you think people who work in banks are sometimes called “sharks”?

7 Look at pictures from the story. Complete the chart.

	Who is in the picture?	Where are they and what are they doing?	Why is this scene important?
			
			
			
			
			

**8a** Read the reported speech. Who said it? Write the name of the character from the box.

Amy	Andrew	The Doctor	Vanessa
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- 1 He said that he had only borrowed a few days. ....
- 2 She said that they would always be able to time travel  
and stay one step ahead of you. ....
- 3 She said that she was using a camera to make Time Bubbles. ....
- 4 He said that Andrew owed her more than 55,000 years. ....

**8b** Read the reported speech in 8a again. Write the direct speech in the speech bubbles.

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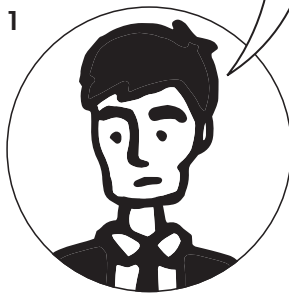
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- Write a title.
- Explain what happened and who was involved.
- Explain what Vanessa and her “sharks” wanted.
- Say where and when it happened.
- Say how it ended.

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