

FRIDAY JULY 19, 3PM IN THE LIBRARY

**RUNNING  
FOR  
OFFICE**

If I ran for office  
I wouldn't want to be  
The guy who runs the country  
Like the presidency.  
I'd want to be some small fry  
When asking for your vote.  
Just make me the State Senator  
And I'd be a man of \_\_\_\_\_

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**CHRIS STEVENS**

**1a: Preparation - Listen. You will hear six short passages. After hearing each passage, circle the correct definition for each word or phrase below.**

- |                      |   |                   |                               |
|----------------------|---|-------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. to announce       | ⋮ | a) to tell        | b) to keep quiet              |
| 2. to run for office | ⋮ | a) to do exercise | b) to try for a political job |
| 3. a candidate       | ⋮ | a) a voter        | b) an applicant               |
| 4. a small fry       | ⋮ | a) a somebody     | b) a nobody                   |
| 5. a platform        | ⋮ | a) a performance  | b) a policy                   |
| 6. electorate        | ⋮ | a) voters         | b) candidates                 |

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**1b: Exercise - Listen to the announcement. After each passage, you will hear a statement. Mark the statement True or False.**

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|----|----------|----------|
| 1. | <b>T</b> | <b>F</b> |
| 2. | <b>T</b> | <b>F</b> |
| 3. | <b>T</b> | <b>F</b> |
| 4. | <b>T</b> | <b>F</b> |

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**2a: Preparation - Listen. You will hear six short passages. After hearing each passage, circle the best ending for each sentence below.**

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|-------------------------|---|------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. A school board       | ⋮ | a) runs a school.      | b) teaches classes.    |
| 2. A representative     | ⋮ | a) speaks for a group. | b) speaks for himself. |
| 3. To interfere is to   | ⋮ | a) make things easy.   | b) get in the way.     |
| 4. A resume is a letter | ⋮ | a) about yourself.     | b) about your job.     |
| 5. A competition is     | ⋮ | a) a contest.          | b) teamwork.           |
| 6. Upcoming means       | ⋮ | a) in the future.      | b) soon over.          |

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**2b: Exercise - Listen to Jerome and Lisa. After a couple of passages, you will hear two questions. Circle the correct answer for each question.**

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|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1. a) Class president.           | b) Student representative.        |
| 2. a) Running in the election.   | b) Watching TV programs.          |
| 3. a) His school breaks.         | b) His lifestyle.                 |
| 4. a) To become class president. | b) To become a politician.        |
| 5. a) She is an electorate, too. | b) She is a candidate, too.       |
| 6. a) She has no way to win.     | b) Politics is not her specialty. |
| 7. a) The election.              | b) Their friendship.              |
| 8. a) A good competition.        | b) A female candidate.            |

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# PHOTO GALLERY 1

Look at the pictures and follow the directions you hear.



a.

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1. \_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_

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b.

**3a: Pronunciation - Listen and practice these words with the phonics "ε" sound.**

bed	net	fend
hem	set	bell
better	confess	pencil

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**3b: Listen to the following words. Check the box if the word has the "ε" sound.**

1.  2.  3.  4.  5.  6.  7.  8.  9.  10.  11.  12.

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**3c: Listen to the sentences and repeat. Underline the words that have the "ε" sound.**

1. The hem of my yellow dress is torn.
2. The killer confessed to the crime.
3. He caught a big fish with that net in February.
4. I like butter better than margarine with bread.
5. I never got to bed later than eleven at night.
6. On her bad hair days, she wears a baseball cap.
7. Make a friend with Ed when you get there.

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# PHOTO GALLERY 2

Look at the pictures and follow the directions you hear.



a.



b.

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1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_



c.

**4a: Preparation - Listen. You will hear six short passages. After hearing each passage, circle the correct definition for each word or phrase below.**

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|------------------|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| 1. distinguished | : | a) respected    | b) kind         |
| 2. an opponent   | : | a) an associate | b) a challenger |
| 3. an asset      | : | a) a minus      | b) a plus       |
| 4. a motive      | : | a) a result     | b) a reason     |
| 5. to intend     | : | a) to plan      | b) to change    |
| 6. to consist    | : | a) to include   | b) to subtract  |

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**4b: Listen carefully to Jerome's speech. After the speech, you will hear four statements. Mark each statement True or False.**

1. **T F**
2. **T F**
3. **T F**
4. **T F**

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**4c: Listen carefully to Lisa's speech. After the speech, you will hear four statements. Mark each statement True or False.**

1. **T F**
2. **T F**
3. **T F**
4. **T F**

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