

SUPERSTITIONS ON YOUR WEDDING DAY

You have probably heard that it is bad luck to see your fiancé on the wedding _____ before your ceremony. The reason being that, back when marriages were arranged, the bride and groom were not allowed to see or meet each other until they were at _____ altar. Parents of the bride feared that, if the couple met each other before marrying, the _____ would not find the bride attractive and would decide to call off the wedding. They were so careful, in fact, that part of the reason why the bride wore a veil down the aisle was to prevent the groom from knowing what she looked like until the very last _____ – when it is too late to back out!

Today, this superstition has phased out as we see more and more couples choosing to do a “first look” _____ the nuptials. But not everyone! Many couples still choose to remain unseen before the ceremony in order to save that special moment of seeing each other for the actual wedding.

You have heard “something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue” but did you _____ this old rhyme is supposed to finish with “and a silver sixpence in her shoe”? The first four in the rhyme are symbols to represent a happy marriage, new union, a special token of love, and fidelity. However, the last line relates back to the belief that keeping a penny in one of the bride’s _____ is a token of good luck that will promise a life of good fortune. Sounds tedious to _____ around all day with something in your shoe, but well worth it if you believe in _____!

It is sentimental to tear up on your wedding day, but do not be afraid to _____ tears! Supposedly, it is good _____ for the bride to cry on her wedding day as a crying bride means that _____ has shed all the tears she has and will not have _____ to shed during her marriage.

While most brides might think that having rain on the day of their wedding is a total bummer, a lot of people seem to believe that this is actually a good _____! It may seem that that is all just to make the bride feel better about the situation, but in some cultures, wedding-day rain _____ fertility, cleansing of the past, and unity! However, some say that the rain actually symbolizes the number of tears that the bride will cry during her _____.

VAJE

a) BRANJE

Glasno preberemo besedilo. Pozorni smo na izgovorjavo. Ob težjih besedah ali napačni izgovorjavi si učenec izgovorjavo zapiše. Gremo od stavka do stavka in jih prevajamo. Sproti vstavljamo manjkajoče besede.

Če učenec pozabi izgovorjavo besed, si lahko doma pomaga s slovarjem na spodnji povezavi, kjer ima možnost poslušanja.

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Rešitve:

day, the, groom, second/moment, before, realize/know, shoes, walk, superstitions/luck, show, luck, she, any, thing, represents/means, marriage.

b) NEZNANE BESEDE

Neznane besede ali druge koristne besedne zveze, frazne glagole ipd. učenec sproti podčrtuje in zapisuje prevode. Prevode mu pove prostovoljec, da lahko hitreje napredujeta skozi besedilo. Ob besede zapiše tudi, katera besedna vrsta je ta neznana beseda in poišče še kakšno besedo iz iste besedne družine. **Besede, zveze in fraze učenec po učenju prepíše v zvezek, jim dopíše slovenski prevod in angleško razlago ter jih uporabi v svojih povedih.**

c) POIŠČI

Preleti besedilo in povej:

- Kateri časi so uporabljeni v besedilu? Kako jih prepoznaš? Zakaj so uporabljeni ti časi?
- Obkroži vezniške besede ali besedne zveze (linking words)? Bi jih lahko zamenjal z drugimi vezniškimi besedami, ne da bi se spremenil pomen povedi?
- Poišči dva nepravilna glagola in povej njuno osnovno obliko.

d) KLJUČNE BESEDE IN OBNOVA

Učenec napiše ključno besedo na črto pred vsakim odstavkom, nato pa s pomočjo teh iztočnic ustno obnovi besedilo.

e) ODGOVORI IN VPRAŠANJA

Učenec napiše 15 vprašanj in odgovorov na temo besedila.

f) MNENJE O BESEDILU

Učenec napiše, kaj se je novega naučil, kaj mu je bilo v besedilu najbolj zanimivo, zakaj ipd.

g) PRIMERJAJ OPISANE VRAŽE NA POROČNI DAN Z VRAŽAMI, V KATERE OB TEM ŽIVLJENJSKEM DOGODKU VERJAMEMO V SLOVENIJI

Učenec napiše 10 ali več povedi, v katerih predstavi razlike in podobnosti med vražami. V povedih predstavi tudi, ali bi sam na svoj poročni dan sledil vražam ali ne. Zakaj bi, oziroma zakaj ne bi?