

# AB: Helping others

English M 6

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## Helping others

Have you ever seen somebody in need? Like an old woman trying to carry her heavy shopping bags or a little child which fell down?

How do you feel when you think about helping others? Others could be your mother or your siblings, your neighbour or a complete stranger.

Scientists frequently research our behaviour when it comes to helping others on the street. And they found out that we are not the best when it comes to helping. Most of us turn away, walk away or try to ignore the person in need.

Only some are willing to help. Some call these helpers 'street heros' because they make our world a better place to live.

Could you be a street hero? Have you helped somebody before? Or did somebody help you?



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## Vocabulary



All necessary vocabulary  
can be found on Quizlet



## Text-based tasks

① **Connect the matching sentences.** *Verbinde die passenden Sätze.*

Have you ever seen somebody in need? ●

Complete strangers could need your help. ●

Most of us turn away, walk away or try to ignore the person in need. ●

How do you feel about helping others? ●

Could you be a street hero? ●

○ Was empfindest du dabei, anderen zu helfen?

○ Könntest du ein Held der Straße sein?

○ Hast du schon einmal jemanden in Not gesehen?

○ Völlig Fremde könnten deine Hilfe brauchen.

○ Die meisten von uns wenden sich ab, gehen weg oder versuchen, die bedürftige Person zu ignorieren.

② **True or false ? Tick the correct statement.** *Richtig oder falsch? Hake die richtigen Aussagen ab.*

	true	false
Everyone helps others.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Scientists are testing our behaviour.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Not a lot of us want to help.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Only a few people like to help.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Street heroes drive fast cars.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>



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① **Connect the matching words.** *Verbinde die passenden Wörter.*

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| John never cared about other people. ●               | ○ Chris hingegen war großzügig und freundlich im Herzen.       |
| Everyone appreciated him. ●                          | ○ John erkannte, dass er einen Fehler gemacht hatte.           |
| John refused to share his food with the old woman. ● | ○ John hat sich nie um andere Menschen gekümmert.              |
| Whereas Chris was generous and kind at heart. ●      | ○ Alle schätzten ihn.  |
| John realized he had made a mistake. ●               | ○ John weigerte sich, sein Essen mit der alten Frau zu teilen. |

② **Answer the questions in German.** *Beantworte die Fragen auf Deutsch.*

a) **Hilft John gerne anderen?**

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b) **Hilft Chris gerne anderen?**

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c) **Was sagt die alte Frau zu John als er sie zum zweiten Mal trifft?**

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③ **Translate the sentences.** *Übersetze die Sätze.*

a) **John is very selfish und ignores others.**

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b) **The little boy asks John to help him.**

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c) **Chris offers the old woman his entire food.**

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d) **John understands how important it is to help others.**

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e) **John was a different person from then on.**

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