

Reading Lesson

B1 Services: Pampered Pets

Summary: The text shows information on how the pet care business has grown over the past few years.

Time: Approximately 35 minutes.

Skills: Reading, Writing, Speaking

Language focus: Vocabulary

Materials needed: One worksheet per student

Reading

Ask students if they have any pets and what pets, if any, are popular in their countries. Then, have students read the text and answer the question.

Key:

Studies report that pet owners are spending more money in pet care business and products.

Vocabulary

Key:

1. c 2. a 3. d 4. e 5. c

Comprehension

Key:

1. pet cats 2. \$500 per year 3. technology 4. check their pet's diet 5. more stressful

Thinking

Have students respond to the question in small group discussions or in writing.