

## Module 7. In the Spotlight

### 7a Walk of fame

1. Who is your favourite film star? Describe him/ her. Why do you like him/ her? What films with this actor/ actress do you like best?

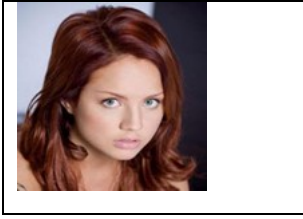
2. Find 12 adjectives from ex. 1, p. 66, SB and list them.

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3. Look at the pictures and describe 2 of them. Use words in ex. 1, p.

66.

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**4. Translate the sentences.**

Some people say she is one of the most beautiful ladies in the world.	
	Он один из самых красивых актеров в кино.
He's one of Russia's most successful athletes.	
	Ты знаешь, о ком мы говорим!
He's one of Russia's most talented opera singers.	

**5. Complete the sentences and use a comparative form.**

- This actor is not very tall. I thought he is \_\_\_\_\_.
- This film isn't very funny. I expected it to be \_\_\_\_\_.
- I think she is (talented) \_\_\_\_\_ than that actress.
- It is so noisy here. Let's go somewhere \_\_\_\_\_.
- This car is (fast) \_\_\_\_\_ than that car.

**6. Compare things/ people using (not) as...as.**

Oksana Fedorova	Beautiful	Claudia Schiffer
Lexus	Expensive	Lada

Jim Kerry	Funny	Ben stiller
Britney	Famous	Madonna

- \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
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- \_\_\_\_\_  
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**7. Complete the sentences and use superlative.**

- This actor is very funny. He is the \_\_\_\_\_ actor in the world.
- This singer is very successful. She is the \_\_\_\_\_ in America.
- It's a very famous film director. He is the \_\_\_\_\_ film director in Hollywood.
- She is a very rich woman. She is one of the \_\_\_\_\_ women in the world.

**8. Play a game. Think of a famous person. Describe him/ her to the class but don't tell the name. Let everybody guess who it is.**

**9. Make a poster of your favourite actor/ actress/ sportsman (woman)/ singer etc. Find several pictures, show them to the class, describe him/ her, speak about his/ her career.**

**7b DVD frenzy!**

**1. Translate the words.**

Мультипликация	
Комедия	
ФЭНТЭЗИ	
Мелодрама	
Фантастика	
Триллер	

**2. Work in pairs. Describe one of the latest well-known films and let your partner guess the film. Use ex. 2, p. 68 (SB) as an example.**

**3. Read the dialogue and complete the sentences.**

- The boys have been there  
\_\_\_\_\_.
- Adam \_\_\_\_\_ *Mrs Doubtfire* last weekend. It's the  
\_\_\_\_\_ movie ever.
- According to the critics \_\_\_\_\_ is the  
creepiest thriller.
- *The Lord of the Rings* has got the most  
\_\_\_\_\_ action \_\_\_\_\_  
ever.

**4. Correct the sentences if they are incorrect.**

- We have hired a DVD yesterday. \_\_\_\_\_
- Mary just started watching this comedy. \_\_\_\_\_
- They never saw a horror film. \_\_\_\_\_
- I saw this film last weekend. \_\_\_\_\_
- I have read the book but I didn't see the film. \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Write about yourself. Use the ideas.**

- (something you did on Saturday evening)

\_\_\_\_\_

- (something you have done today)

\_\_\_\_\_

- (something you have not done today)

\_\_\_\_\_

- (something you didn't do on Saturday evening)

\_\_\_\_\_

**6. Translate the sentences into English.**

- А где мама? – Она уже пошла спать.

- \_\_\_\_\_

- Выключи, пожалуйста, телевизор, я готовлюсь к экзамену.

- \_\_\_\_\_

- Здесь так темно. Включи свет.

- \_\_\_\_\_

- В новом клипе она превращается в русалку.

- \_\_\_\_\_

**7c In the charts!**

**1. Read the text about Avril Lavigne at p. 70, SB. Write 4 questions to the text. Work in pairs: ask and answer the questions.**

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- \_\_\_\_\_

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**2a Have you ever heard about the famous British band *TRAVIS*? Visit their official site [www.travisonline.com](http://www.travisonline.com) and find 3 most interesting facts about the band. Download their hits #1 *Sing* or *Side*. Did you like it? Describe the members of the band and their music. Use ex. 3, p. 70 SB as an example.**

**2b Think of your favourite singer/ band. Make a presentation about them. Speak about their history, present a fact-file about them, bring some music and pictures.**

### *Culture corner*

**1. Answer the questions to the text at p. 71, SB**

- When did first rules appear?
- Where did they introduce most of the modern rules?
- Name the most famous English football clubs.
- What are D. Beckham and M. Owen for children?

**2. What is your favourite Russian football team? Who is your favourite Russian footballer? Why? Write a short article about it.**

### *Extensive reading*

**1. Translate the words and read out the sentences with these words from the text at p. 73, SB**

- Accompany –
- To create moods –
- Sharp sounds –
- In the background –
- Spot –

## Keys

### Module 7

#### 7a

2.

	B	E	A	U	T	I	F	U	L	H
A			R	I	C	H			S	A
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C	L	E	V	E	R	U		T	S	M
T		G				N			S	E
I		R				N			F	
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4.

Some people say she is one of the most beautiful ladies in the world.	Некоторые считают, что она одна из самых красивых женщин в мире.
He's one of the most handsome actors in film.	Он один из самых красивых актеров в кино.
He's one of Russia's most successful athletes.	Он один из самых успешных атлетов России.
You know who we are speaking about!	Ты знаешь, о ком мы говорим!

He's one of Russia's most talented opera singers.	Он один из самых талантливых оперных певцов России.
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5.

- This actor is not very tall. I thought he is taller.
- This film isn't very funny. I expected it to be more funny/ funnier.
- I think she is (talented) more talented than that actress.
- It is so noisy here. Let's go somewhere quieter.
- This car is (fast) faster than that car.

6.

- Oksana Fedorova is as beautiful as Claudia Schiffer.
- Lada is not as expensive as Lexus.
- Jim Kerry is as funny as Ben Stiller.
- Britney is as famous as Madonna.

7.

- This actor is very funny. He is the funniest actor in the world.
- This singer is very successful. She is the most successful in America.
- It's a very famous film director. He is the most famous film director in Hollywood.
- She is a very rich woman. She is one of the richest women in the world.

**7b**

1.

Мультипликация	Animation
Комедия	Comedy
ФЭНТЭЗИ	Fantasy



Мелодрама	Romance
Фантастика	Science fiction
Триллер	Thriller

3.

- The boys have been there for hours.
- Adam saw *Mrs Doubtfire* last weekend. It's the funniest movie ever.
- According to the critics *The Sixth Sense* is the creepiest thriller.
- *The Lord of the Rings* has got the most stunning action scenes ever.

4.

- We have hired a DVD yesterday. – hired
- Mary just started watching this comedy. – has just started
- They never saw a horror film. – have never seen
- I saw this film last weekend.
- I have read the book but I didn't see the film. – haven't seen

6.

- Where's mum? – She has turned in.
- Could you turn off the TV – I am getting ready for my exam.
- It's so dark here. Turn on the light!
- She turns into a mermaid in her new video.

### *Culture corner*

1.

- In the 19<sup>th</sup> century.
- At Cambridge University.
- Arsenal, Liverpool and Manchester United
- They have become role models for a lot of children.

***Extensive reading***

1.

- Accompany – сопровождать
- To create moods – создавать настроение
- Sharp sounds – пронзительный звук
- In the background – на фоне
- Spot – замечать