

Unit 15

Name: _____

Reading Comprehension

One Man's Self-Expression

A Check (✓) the correct notes about *One Man's Self-Expression*.

1 an unusual sculptor	<input type="checkbox"/>
2 humans find new ways to express themselves	<input type="checkbox"/>
3 400 life-size sculptures of people underwater – Mexico	<input type="checkbox"/>
4 coral reefs are disappearing	<input type="checkbox"/>
5 combines art and science	<input type="checkbox"/>
6 a diver	<input type="checkbox"/>
7 artificial reefs	<input type="checkbox"/>
8 Volkswagon Beetle “lobster city”	<input type="checkbox"/>
9 hopes to save forests	<input type="checkbox"/>
10 exhibitions in art museums	<input type="checkbox"/>



The Lost Correspondent



Jason deCaires Taylor



B Complete the sentences about the author's purpose.

- 1 The author wants me to feel _____.
- 2 The author wants me to learn _____.
- 3 The author feels that the sculptor can make a difference to _____.

C Complete the sentences. Then answer the question.

One Man's Self Expression is an _____ text.

There are many _____ included in the reading.

Where have you seen this type of article before?

D Match the causes to the effects.

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| 1 In the last fifty years, people have destroyed coral reefs around the world. | ● | ● a He hopes to draw people away from natural reefs |
| 2 Algae and coral grow on Jason's underwater sculptures. | ● | ● b Over time, the sculptures become "living". |
| 3 Jason works with marine biologists. | ● | ● c 40 percent of the world's coral reefs have disappeared. |
| 4 Taylor's sculptures create artificial reefs. | ● | ● d Lobsters swim through the spaces. |
| 5 Jason made holes in the bottom of his car sculpture. | ● | ● e His art is a combination of art and science. |

E Circle *True* or *False*.

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| 1 Cave paintings were a form of self-expression. | True | False |
| 2 Jason deCaires Taylor is an artist and a marine biologist. | True | False |
| 3 All Jason's sculptures are in deep water. | True | False |
| 4 Large fish have destroyed many of the world's coral reefs. | True | False |

Extra Read the words. Make example sentences.

1 algae

2 magnified

3 provides
