**Part 1: TAKEN BY SURPRISE – A SHORT STORY Vocabulary (15 minutes)**

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|  | **Difficult word/phrase** | **Swedish translation** | **Easier replacement** |
| 1 | equipped |  | prepared |
| 2 | employees |  | workers |
| 3 | pedestrians |  | walking people |
| 4 | platform |  | (raised, flat supporting surface) |
| 5 | seek out |  | search for |
| 6 | magnificent |  | beautiful |
| 7 | lantern |  | lamp |
| 8 | railroad |  | (set of steel tracks for trains) |
| 9 | cavern |  | cave |
| 10 | inconsiderate |  | rude |
| 11 | glancing |  | quickly looking |
| 12 | satisfied |  | happy (because of a need that was met or a goal that was reached) |
| 13 | enthusiastic |  | positive and high-energy |
| 14 | urban |  | city-based |
| 15 | spelunking |  | cave exploring |
| 16 | subterranean |  | underground |
| 17 | engineered |  | designed and made |
| 18 | the void |  | the nothingness |
| 19 | scurry |  | quickly run |
| 20 | muffled |  | quieted/blocked |
| 21 | anxiety |  | fear and stress-related |
| 22 | investigate |  | (ask lots of questions about/try to find the truth about) |

**Part 2: TAKEN BY SURPRISE – Listening Comprehension (15 minutes)**

Go to your school email account and open **LESSON 13 KNOWLEDGE ASSESSMENT**

Listen to the short story and answer the questions.

 **Part 3: REALISTIC FICTION (15-20 minutes)**

What is realistic fiction? Discuss and/or watch some of these short videos:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HZuvk-leHgM&list=PLTCzXKdxBpDCgN8QXMGwaN9gCfQyGxgsT>

**Part 4: How to prepare for the test**

**OPTIONAL HOMEWORK: SHORT STORY WRITING**

Write a short story. (If you practice writing a short story at home you might perform better on the test.)

Want some guidance? Take a look at this short story planning sheet: <https://cewal.weebly.com/uploads/1/0/2/3/102357022/writing_a_short_story_planning_sheet.pdf>