**Black Hollywood**

Patricia Denning stars in a sad movie about ambition and heartbreak.

When Cecilia leaves college in Texas, she has everything: a wonderful boyfriend, Carl, an interesting job and an expensive house in a pretty town. Her life is perfect. Even her black Labrador dog, Perky, is a star: he wins the local dog competition and Hollywood wants to put him in a movie.

Cecilia goes to Hollywood with him and leaves her boyfriend alone back home. When the studio fires Perky, Cecilia decides to stay in Hollywood and tries to get other movie roles for her beautiful dog.

Carl gives Cecilia an ultimatum: come home and stop behaving crazily, or stay there forever. Cecilia decides to stay in Hollywood and wants to become an actress herself. She sends Perky back to Texas and starts an acting course. After six months, Cecilia realizes she can't act and she misses home, but it's too late. Carl has found another girlfriend. Cecilia tries to win him back, and also discovers a lot about herself on her long journey.

This is a very sad movie, which makes you think about what we want from life. Patricia Denning is very convincing as Cecilia, but the star of the movie is gorgeous Perky, the black Labrador who steals our hearts. Black Hollywood is in cinemas from next week.

1. **Match words from the reading text with these definitions:**
2. famous, a celebrity \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
3. without anyone, solitary \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
4. a final demand or set of conditions \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
5. to sack, dismiss from job \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
6. a program of educational instruction, often at a college or university \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
7. a period of travel, travel from one place to another \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
8. persuasive and assuring, believable \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
9. beautiful, very pretty, physically attractive Τέλος φόρμας\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Αρχή φόρμας

1. **Answer these multiple choice questions about the text.**
2. What does Cecilia not have?
3. A house she loves
4. A wonderful husband
5. A pet
6. A great job
7. When does her wonderful adventure begin?
8. When her dog wins a competition
9. When she marries her boyfriend, Carl
10. When she goes on vacation to Hollywood
11. When she buys the house in a pretty town
12. What happens to Perky in Hollywood?
13. He isn't very successful
14. He becomes a star
15. He's too nervous to work
16. He makes two movies and retires
17. What is Carl's reaction to Cecilia living in Hollywood?
18. He doesn't know she went
19. He's angry
20. He doesn't care
21. He's supportive
22. Why does Cecilia stay in Hollywood?
23. She wants to become an actress
24. She is too busy making movies
25. She hates Carl
26. She has no money

**PRESENT SIMPLE**

1. **Fill in the gaps. Use the present simple.**
2. I\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_TV. (watch)
3. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_eggs. (not like)
4. Matt \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_books and comics. (read)
5. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_to school on Sunday. (go)
6. We sometimes \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_badminton. (play)
7. Jane \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_stickers. (collect)
8. My sister \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_football. (like)
9. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_a magazine every week.
10. **Fill in the gaps to make questions and give short answers.**
11. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_you \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (like) English? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
12. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_he \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (watch) cartoons? No, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
13. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_they \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (speak) French? No, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
14. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_we \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (wash) our teeth after lunch? Yes, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
15. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (read) mistery books? No, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
16. **Write sentences. Answer these questions:**

*How often do you wash your teeth?*

*I wash my teeth three times a week.*

1. What time do you get up?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you have a shower or a bath?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. How do you go to school?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Where do you have dinner?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. When do you leave school?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. What do you usually have for breakfast?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. When do you do your homework?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you watch TV in the evening?

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1. What´s your favourite TV programme?

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1. What time do you go to bed?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Put in Do or Does.**
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your mum like sports?
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ they work a lot every day?
4. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ she like aerobics?
5. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ you watch football on TV?
6. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ mammals drink milk from their mums?
7. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fish live in water?
8. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ reptiles creep?
9. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ birds lay eggs?
10. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an anteater eat mice?
11. **Put the sentences in order.**
12. do / you / live / Where?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. he / Does / TV / watch / on?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. German / Mary / speak / can´t

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. suit / a / wears / He / work / everyday / to.

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. they / up / do / time / What / get?

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Complete the text using the present simple of the verbs in brackets:**

Meet, get up, eat, travel, be, have(2), get, wear, like, brush

Anne \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at seven everyday. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a shower, then she \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ breakfast. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ cereals and yoghurt. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her teeth and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ dressed. She always \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ a suit to work. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ an air hostess. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to different places every week. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ her job. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ lots of people.

**PRESENT CONTINUOUS**

1. **Complete using the present continuous of the verbs in brackets:**
2. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (drink) coffee.
3. He \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (play) tennis.
4. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (practise) yoga.
5. The sun \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (shine).
6. The cat \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (drink) milk.
7. Two old ladies \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (sit) on a bench.
8. Pete \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (not, smile).
9. They \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (live) in New York.
10. She \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (write) a letter.
11. You \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (run) upstairs.
12. Granny \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (bake) a cake.
13. John and Mary \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to music.
14. We \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (not, swim) in the sea.
15. I \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (drive) a car.
16. Jane \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ (tidy) her room.
17. **Make questions. Use the present continuous.**
18. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(you / listen) to music?
19. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(he / ride) a horse?
20. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(she / put) his hat on?
21. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Anne / make) a sandwich?
22. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(they / study)?
23. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(Pete / climb) a tree?
24. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_(the children / skip)?
25. **Answer these questions. Write short answers.**
26. Are you listening to music? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
27. Is it raining? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
28. Is the sun shining? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
29. Are you watching TV? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
30. Are you sitting on a sofa? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
31. Are you sittng on a stool? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
32. Are you singing a song? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
33. Is your teacher watching you? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
34. Is your mother watching you? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
35. Are you learning French now? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
36. **Complete the text using the present continuous.**

Run, play, sing, shine, blow, cry, have, ride

It´s Sunday. The sun \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The birds \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. A cool wind \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The children \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ fun. Some \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ bikes. Other \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ football. A little baby \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Some dogs \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ round.