

Unit4



I used to be afraid of the dark.

SectionA 3a-3c



Review

Use “used to” and “but now” to describe the following picture.



She used to have long hair, but now she has short hair.
She used to be short, but now she is tall.
She used to play like this.

大崎千和明世 29岁

大崎千和明世 16岁

used to ...



Look at the pictures, find the difference. And try to describe them!

but now ...

tall, funny, heavy, more outgoing, smart...



Warming up



Do you know the beautiful and outgoing girl?

Yeah. She's the famous singer Candy Wang.



Can you guess what she was like in the past?

She used to be a shy girl.

Do you want to know her story?



She took up singing to deal with her shyness.



As she got better, she was not shy anymore and loved singing in front of crowds. Now she's the Asian pop star.



Candy Wang

Title: From Shy Girl to Pop Star

Words Review

background	n. 背景
interview	v. 采访； 面试
Asian	adj. 亚洲（人）的
deal	v. (dealt, dealt) 对付； 对待
deal with	应付； 处理
shyness	n. 害羞； 腼腆

Words Review

dare	v. 敢于; 勇敢
crowd	n. 人群; 观众
ton	n. 吨; (pl.) 大量; 许多
private	adj. 私人的; 私密的
guard	n. 警卫; 守卫 v. 守卫; 保卫
require	v. 需要; 需求





Read quickly and find out what each paragraph tells us .

Paragraph 1

**How Candy's life
has changed**

Paragraph 2

**Candy's advice to
young people**

Paragraph 3

Candy's **background**

From Shy Girl to Pop Star

For this month's Young World magazine, I interviewed 19-year-old Asian pop star Candy Wang. Candy told me that she used to be really shy and took up singing to deal with her shyness. **Background** After, she dared to sing in front of her class, and then for the whole school. Now she's not shy anymore and loves singing in front of crowds.

I asked Candy how life was different after she became famous. She explained that there are many good things, like being able to travel and meet new people all the time. "I didn't use to be popular in school, but now I get tons of attention everywhere I go." However, **Changes** can also be a bad thing. "I always have to worry about how I appear and I have to be very careful about what I say or do. And I don't have much private time anymore. Hanging out with friends is almost impossible for me now because there are always guards around me."

What does Candy have to say to all those young people who want to become famous? "Well," she begins slowly, "you have to be prepared to give up your normal life. You can never imagine what the road to success is. Many times I thought about giving up, but I kept going on. You really require a lot of talent and hard work to succeed. Only a very small number of people make it to the top."

Careful reading

Please read Paragraph 1 and find the information.



Age: 19 years old

Job: Asian pop star

Used to be: shy

How did she deal with her shyness?

She took up singing to deal with her shyness.

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