

Unit 3

A taste of English humour



Words and expressions

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Period 2

English jokes

There are thousands of jokes which use "play on words" to amuse us. Now read some of these customer and waiter jokes.

1. C: What's that fly doing in my soup?

W: Swimming. I think!

2. C: What's that?

W: It's bean soup.

C: I don't want to know what it's been.

I want to know what it is now.

3. C: Waiter. Will the pancakes be long?

W: No, sir. Round.

→humorous

What is humor?

Humor is the quality(品质) of being funny and making people laugh.

How many kinds of humor do you know?

**verbal
play on
words**

funny stories; funny poems;

jokes; cross talk; funny plays

tongue twisters (绕口令);

**nonverbal
body
language**

mime (哑剧);

farce (滑稽剧);



Mr. Bean

Charlie Chaplin

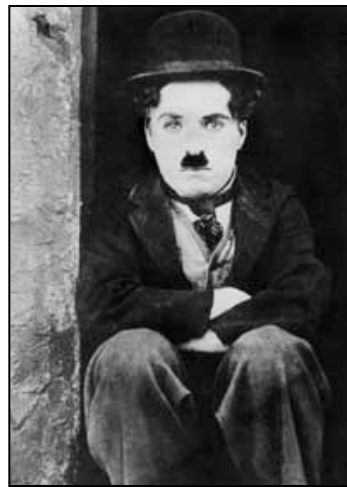
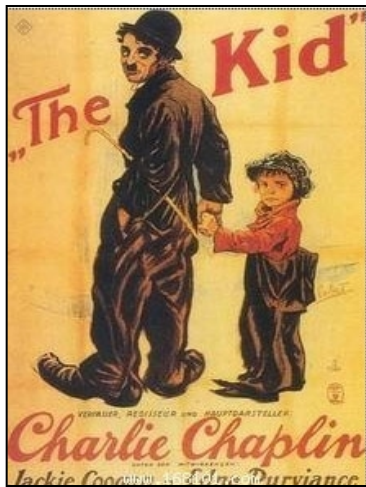
mime & farce



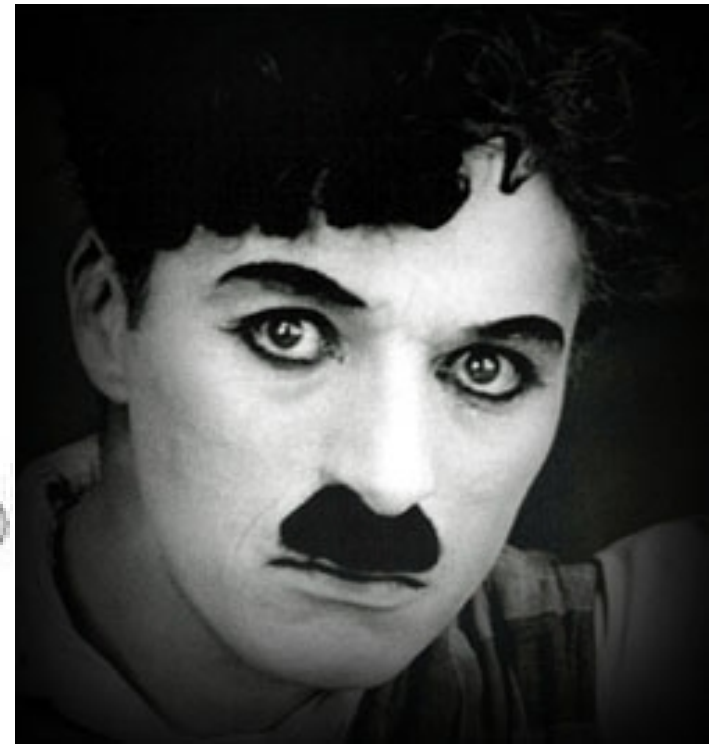
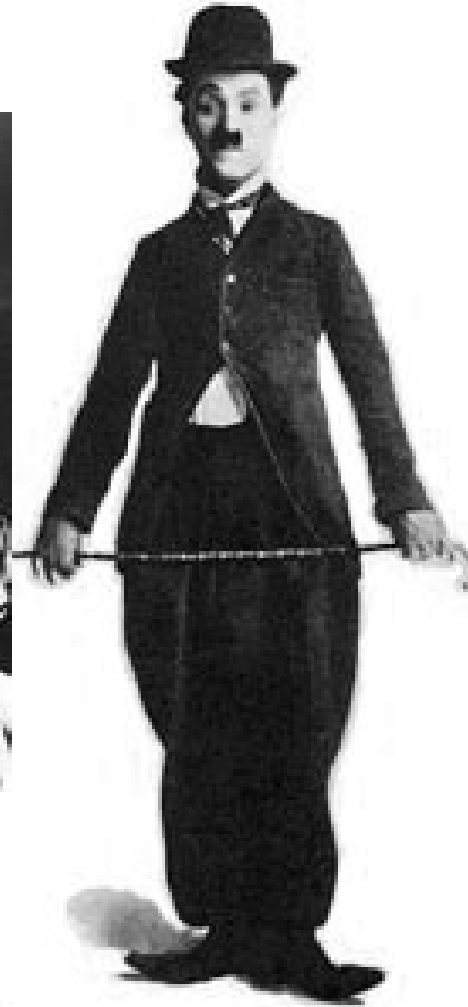
Charlie Chaplin



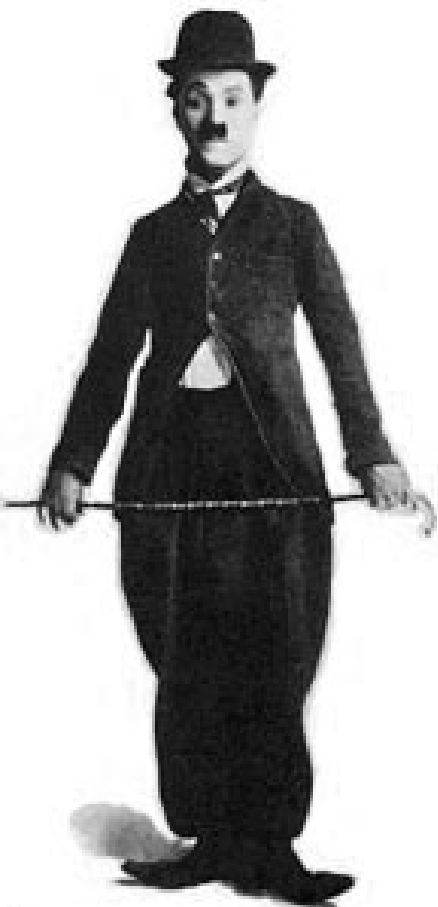
He is one of the most famous humorists that can make others laugh all the time.



A MASTER of NONVERBAL HUMOUR



Skimming



Find out the main idea of each paragraph

Para.1:

A). Chaplin' s childhood

Para.2:

B). Chaplin' s achievements

Para.3:

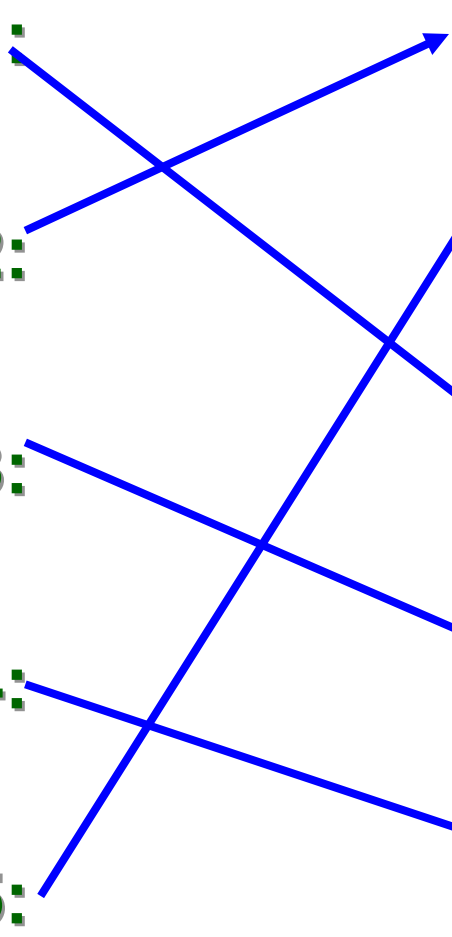
C). The reason why people need laughter

Para.4:

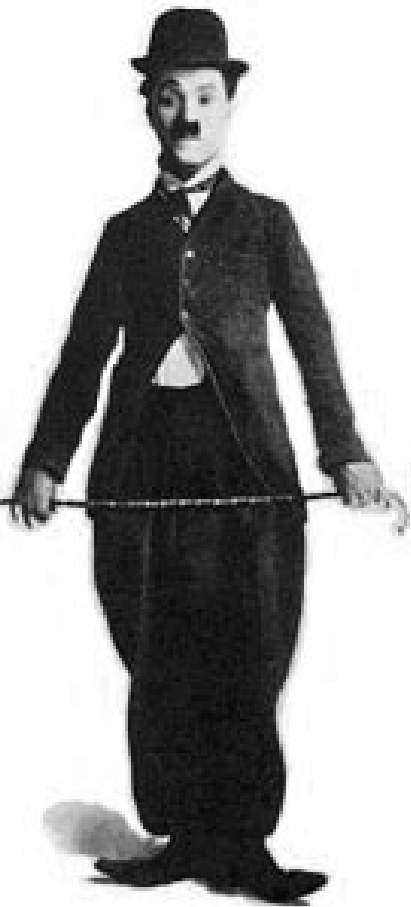
D). His most famous character

Para.5:

E). An example of Chaplin' s work: *The Gold Rush*



Scanning



Write notes about Charlie Chaplin's career.



1889

1977

actor

The little tramp

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