

IELTS ONLINE LESSONS. DESCRIBING A TV SHOW. TRANSCRIPT

Talk about a popular tv show. You should say:

What type of show it is

How often it is on

what happens on the show

and explain why it is so popular

I'm going to talk about a popular tv show in my country. It's English translation is dancing with the stars. I think this is an international tv series. Every country has their own version. I'm not really a fan of this show, but it's hugely popular in my country. It comes out, I believe, once a week. This show features a number of celebrities and they perform some choreographed dance routines with professional dancers. Each couple gets a score from a panel of judges and at the end the show, one of the couples is declared the winner.

I'm actually not sure why this show is so popular in my country. I guess people are fascinated by celebrities like everywhere else and dancing is also quite popular, especially among girls. In fact, I'd say this show is most popular among females.

VOCABULARY

choreographed (verb) - to design and arrange the steps and movements for dancers in a ballet or a show

couple (noun) - two people or things

declared (adjective) - stated in an open way so that people know about it

especially (adverb) - more with one person, thing, etc. than with others, or more in particular

hugely (adverb) - extremely

judge (noun) - a person who decides who has won a competition

professional (adjective) - doing something as a paid job rather than as a hobby