

Series 1 – No.3 Even

Worksheet

Part 1 Today's word

even /'i:.vən/

Part 2 Examples

- 1 I don't even know where it is.
- 2 Everyone I know likes the smell - even Mike does.
- 3 We were all on time - even Chris and he's usually late for everything.
- 4 It's a very difficult job - it might even take a year to finish it.

Part 3 Practice

- A Slowly, with five stresses, use a falling tone on the first syllable of 'finish':
// it MIGHT Even TAKE a YEAR to FInish it //
- B A bit faster, with four stresses, with a falling tone starting on the first syllable of 'person':
// it might Even TAKE a YEAR to FInish it //
- C Faster again, with two stresses, at different speeds. Make the words in capital letters loud and clear, and all the other words soft. Start a falling tone start on 'year' and continue over 'finish it'.
C1 // it MIGHT even take a YEAR to finish it // 120
C2 // it MIGHT even take a YEAR to finish it // 200
C3 // it MIGHT even take a YEAR to finish it // 300
- D Look at the table below. Add two sentences of your own in rows 4 and 5. In pairs, say the sentences to each other. As you listen to your partner, make sure that 'even take a' is soft and unclear, and that 'MIGHT' and 'YEAR/MONTH/WEEK' are loud and clear.

1	it	MiGHT	even take a	YEAR	to finish it
2	it	MiGHT	even take a	MONTH	to finish it
3	it	MiGHT	even take a	WEEK	to finish it
4	it	MiGHT	even take a		
5	it	MiGHT	even take a		

➤ **HINT:** day to start going/hour to stop it

Part 4 Pairwork

- 1 Now we will add a reply to these sentences. In pairs, take turns saying A and B's parts.
A // it MIGHT even take a YEAR to finish it //
B // well LET'S disCUSS that //
- 2 Now make similar replies to the other sentences in the table, and practice them in pairs:
A // it MIGHT even take a MONTH to finish it //
B // well LET'S disCUSS that //
A // it MIGHT even take a WEEK to finish it //
B // well LET'S disCUSS that //
A // it MIGHT even take a //
B // well LET'S disCUSS that //
A // it MIGHT even take a //
B // well LET'S disCUSS that //