

Vocabulary

kind of

Meaning: Somewhat; used to make a statement softer or less exact.

Examples:

1. His jokes are kind of racist, but still funny.
2. I'm kind of tired after the show.

a couple

Meaning: Two or a few of something.

Examples:

1. I have a couple of favorite comedians.
2. We watched a couple of shows last night.

even though

Meaning: Although; used to show contrast between two ideas.

Examples:

1. Even though his jokes are risky, they make people laugh.
2. She went to the show even though she was tired.

really

Meaning: Very; used to emphasize an adjective or feeling.

Examples:

1. Kevin Hart is really funny.
2. I really enjoy standup comedy.

find

Meaning: To think or feel something about someone or something.

Examples:

1. I find both comedians really funny.
2. She finds that movie boring.

sense of humor

Meaning: The ability to understand and enjoy jokes or funny things.

Examples:

1. He has a really nice sense of humor.
2. Her sense of humor makes everyone laugh.

racist

Meaning: Showing unfair dislike or prejudice against people of other races.

Examples:

1. Some people think his jokes are racist.
2. We should avoid making racist comments.

standup comedy

Meaning: A type of entertainment where a comedian tells jokes to an audience.

Examples:

1. Russell Peters is famous for his standup comedy shows.
2. We went to a standup comedy night at the club.

Thaer / Jordan 

What comedians do you like?

Hello, my name's Thaer and I am from Jordan. And today's question is, who are your favorite comedians?

Well, I have actually *a couple* of comedians that I really like, and I really like to watch, too. One of them is Kevin Hart. This guy is really funny, and he has a really funny and

nice **sense of humor** that I really like. And I also like Russell Peters. This guy is the Indian-Canadian **standup comedy** guy. **Even though** his jokes is **kind of racist**, but it's **really** comedy if you don't look at in a racist way. So those are the two. And so both of them are really, really, fun to watch and I **find** really funny.

So what about you? What are your favorite comedians?

Quiz

1) How many comedians does Thaer like?

- a) **a couple**
- b) just one

2) Thaer likes that Kevin Hart _____.

- a) is kind of racist
- b) **has a nice sense of humor**

3) What is Russell Peters's job?

- a) movie star
- b) **a standup comedian**

What is the correct word? Listen to the audio to hear the answer!

Hello, my **name/name's** Thaer and I am from Jordan. And **today/today's** question is, who are **your/you're** favorite comedians?

Well, I have actually a **cup of/couple** of comedians that I really like, **and/or** I really like to watch, **to/too**. One of **there/them** is Kevin Hart. This guy is **really/real** funny, and he has a really **fun/funny** and nice sense of **humorous/humor** that I really like. And I also like Russell Peters. This **guy/guy's** is the Indian-Canadian standup **comedies/comedy** guy. Even though his **joking/jokes** is kind of racist, but it's really comedy **of/if** you don't look at in a **racist/racing** way. So those are the **two/too**. And so both of **that/them** are really, really, fun to **watches/watch** and I find really funny.

So what **about/over** you? What are **your/you're** favorite comedians?

Vocabulary Quiz

Complete the sentences below with the vocabulary words.
kind of • even though • really
a couple • finds

1. Billy ___ math boring.
2. I studied, ___ I still failed the test.
3. I am ___ good at guitar but need to practice.
4. Julia's report card had ___ of A's.
5. Science ___ is just a lot of math.

Corporate Terminology – Psychology

Extrovert [noun]

A person that is preoccupied with external things and prefers social situations

“While she is an extrovert who loves large gatherings, her brother is more of an introvert who prefers quiet evenings at home.”

Introvert [noun]

A person who is preoccupied with their own thoughts and feelings rather than the external world.

“During the party, the introvert found a cozy corner to relax and recharge away from the crowd.”

Catharsis [noun]

The process of relieving a complex issue by bringing it to consciousness and directly addressing it.

“After months of stress and anxiety, she found catharsis in painting, using art as an outlet for her feelings.”