

My eyesight is really really really bad. But why not make the best out of the situation by writing a monologue about that? I will be looking at words without my glasses and trying to work out what they say. I will then put them back on and see how close I was. Sadly I will be looking at my computer screen from only about two feet or so away, I think that's what screwed my eyes up in the first place. Anyway, should be good now let's go!

Actual words: Learn more. What I thought they said: Listen party.

I'd rather have a listen party than learn about something, it sounds fun! But of course that isn't the point, trying to function in the world with so much confusion will lead to much, much pain. Forget being fun, you need to sort yourself out immediately. Sounds obvious right? Well, I went through school for over a year without my glasses when I ended up needing them, so maybe not. :O And ironically, it wasn't much of a party. (Though to be fair, I did have to listen more to compensate for things).

Actual words: President Trump pays respects. What I thought they said: Performed Trump gives responsibly.

Both headlines are positive, which is something but again, the main problem of course was my interpretation was wrong. Not quite as wrong as before, the last misunderstanding would be extreme, (I'm picturing a crowd of music fans turning up to a university by mistake) but the wrongness in this example would still be enough to confuse other people significantly. Not as much as what's coming up though, jeez...

Actual words: Why Pope Francis won't be buried in the Vatican. What I thought they said: Why Pope Francis wasn't bee hurled, is it Vulcan?

Wow, calling the Pope a fictional alien and not only that, I mentioned bees again!! And who gets hurled by bees?? And why was the pope in particular hurled by a bee?? The alien pope gets thrown by a bee, that's the headline of a lifetime! :S

Actual words: How much has Elon Musk's Doge cut from US government spending? What I thought they said: How much has Elon Musk's huge cat from US government guessed?

Elon Musk has a huge cat? Like a lion? I understood that much at least, as sinister as it is, but the rest of the sentence baffles me!

Actual words: How much has Doge really saved: What I thought the said: How much has dog really saved?

I was very close there, but even so, it's yet another massive misunderstanding. I'd love to see a superhero dog, though. Part of me would love to see a crowd of music fans turn up to the university by mistake as well. Ha, morons.

Actual words: Crowds gather in Rome ahead of Pope's funeral. My interpretation: Mr Cowell, get her in Rome ahead of Pope's funeral.

Go for it Simon Cowell, you'll find her (whoever she is) before the Pope's funeral. That's not something anyone has said before, surely. But if it is, he has a very good chance of finding the mysterious woman when you consider how famous he is. Good for Simon, I'll put in a good word for you. Would my word be trusted though? Maybe not. Not when I'm without my glasses anyway, the poo would really hit the fan, there.

Actual words: Celebrity Big Brother 2025 winner revealed. My interpretation: Calling Big Brother 2025 'cleaner, varnished.'

Was this year's celebrity Big Brother cleaner and more varnished than usual? I wouldn't know as I've never really watched the program. Not a lot, anyway. Who knows, it could well be more cleaner and varnished, though. What does that even mean? Well cleaner means more family friendly, and I think more varnished means even MORE clean and family friendly. So what was all the fighting about in the program? Prior versions of the show must have been absolute filth. And if that's true, how did the people become celebrities in the first place? Through swearing their heads off? That's an outrage.

Actual words: I'm voting for the first time after fleeing a dictatorship. My interpretation: I'm writing for the floor. Thyme five. Hearing is deteriorating.

Sure my hearing isn't 100% but it's nowhere near as bad as my vision, that's for sure. And of course I had to mention thyme eventually, didn't I? So many jokes about the herb... it sounds just like time!

Actual words: Potential ways to help you avoid or ease jet lag. My interpretation: Potential ways to help you avoid or else jog lag.

What's jog lag? Maybe that's what slow runners experience. What's harder to explain are the words 'potential ways to help you avoid or else'. Does that mean potential ways you help you avoid or threaten jog lag/slow running? Who threatens slow running? Maybe it's the marathon version of road rage. You'd just hope marathons would be nicer places...

Actual words: Angela Rippon takes the host seat. My interpretation: Angela Bagpipes takes the host out.

Angela Bagpipes is an interesting name and she appears to have gone on a date with a host whose identity is unknown. Yeah, good for her! Simon Cowell is a TV host, maybe that's who Simon was looking for. Fingers crossed the two have got together and will experience much happiness.

Actual words: Go behind the UK's busiest motorway. My interpretation: Go behind the UK's happiest survey.

I'd like to get involved with the UK's happiest survey, but such a survey would probably count me out. The UK's mental survey on the other hand would be all over me. But what IS a mental survey? A mental health survey? If so, call it that, not the former.

Right there we go, my eyes are screwed, aren't they? If I want 20/20 vision without my glasses, I need to be about 10 cm away from my computer screen, you can't live your life that way. On the plus side, wearing glasses is normal! Phew! And on the super happy note... bye!