

Level A
Weekly exercise L15_2
Answers

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L'exercice de la semaine :

Relevez dans le texte ci-dessous tous les groupes verbaux comprenant une forme de "BE" ou de "HAVE".

Précisez à chaque fois s'il s'agit d'un emploi comme verbe auxiliaire ou comme simple verbe.

Un groupe verbal noyau de proposition a un sujet (sauf à l'impératif) et porte la marque du temps.)

An international group of coffee experts **has rated** Ethiopia's coffee as the best in the world. Coffee **is** a top export for the country. But at home, it **is** a source of national pride. Ethiopians feel good about their coffee, and enjoying a drink with friends **is** a **longstanding** tradition.

International coffee experts travel the world to find the best tasting cup of coffee. They keep returning to Ethiopia. Some people say the climate produces quality beans. Morton Wenersgard **is** a coffee importer.

"You **have** different ancient varieties referred to as Ethiopian heirloom. They **are grown** in places with perfect soil, perfect altitude, and micro climates that **are** really suitable for coffee processing, such as drying and things like that."

Finding the best quality beans **is** often an issue of taste. The intense process **is known** as cupping -- tasting and comparing coffee from different roasted beans, grading and then pricing them.

But before international experts come to taste, coffee beans **are studied** in small coffee laboratories. Helen Assefa, a lab technician, describes the process.

"When the coffee comes to the lab, we assess the coffee quality first by recording the details. Then we weigh the moisture level and we screen the beans for **analysis**. After that we grind the coffee beans and taste the samples. At the end we check for defective beans."

Adapted from VOA news: " Experts Decide Ethiopia Has Best Coffee"
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