

Making a Documentary

Name Class Date

Before you watch

1 Work with a partner. Ask and answer the questions.

- 1 Do you like watching nature documentaries on TV?
Why? Why not?

Students' own answers

While you watch

2 Watch the first part of the video (up to 00:51) and order the sentences.

- a **2** His film crew always goes with him.
b **4** They are here to film Arctic animals.
c **1** Jeff Corwin travels around the world to make his TV show.
d **3** It's never easy!



3 Watch the second part of the video (from 00:52 to 01:50) and answer the questions.

- 1 What does Jeff think of the cold weather in Alaska?

It makes him absolutely miserable.

- 2 What is the first animal they look for?

An arctic seal.

- 3 Where are these animals?

Under two metres of ice.

- 4 Do they find any?

No, they don't.

4 Watch the final part of the video and complete the sentences.

They can't always find the animals ¹ *easily*. Next, they look for polar bears. This time they are ² *lucky*. It's a ³ *fantastic* opportunity. A find like this is ⁴ *good* for the crew.

After you watch

5 Do you think it is OK to film animals in the wild? Why? Why not? Write down your ideas and then discuss them with a partner.

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Students' own answers