# Eurovision 2020: Europe shine a light

Pre-intermediate level

#### Task 1 - Warm-up

Look at the pictures and brainstorm your associations with them.







#### Task 2 - Discussion

#### Discuss the questions in pairs.

- 1. What music contests do you know? Do you watch them?
- 2. What do you know about Eurovision song contest? Would you like to attend it?
- 3. Do you usually agree with the judges and the result?
- 4. Can you name the winner of the Eurovision song contest 2019?
- 5. Were you looking forward to Eurovision 2020? When and where was it planned to take place?





#### Task 3 - Vocabulary

### Match the words with the definitions.

- 1. Kick off
- 2. Catch up with
- 3. Venue
- 4. Set up
- 5. Overwhelming
- 6. Fabulous
- 7. Open up
- 8. Entrant

- A. so strong as to be irresistible
- B. the scene of any event or action
- C. to construct or build something.
- D. extremely good or pleasing.
- E. commence officially.
- F. to start to operate or function.
- G. one who enters a competition.
- H. to go faster so that someone reaches the person or vehicle in front of them.



#### Task 4 - Vocabulary work

## Complete the sentences with the missing words (kick off, catch up with, venue, set up, overwhelming, fabulous, open up, entrant).

- 1. The fifth \_\_\_\_ withdrew from the race unexpectedly.
- 2. Though we left first, they \_\_\_\_ us and reached the place on time.
- 3. She felt an \_\_\_\_ desire to tell someone about what had happened.
- 4. This club is the main \_\_\_\_ of the city for live music.
- 5. A new restaurant is going to \_\_\_\_ with delicious Italian food.
- 6. We now have 10 corporate fundraisers to \_\_\_\_ the new season.
- 7. We were surprised to find out that they had put on a \_\_\_\_ performance.
- 8. The army \_\_\_\_ roadblocks to stop people trying to escape.





#### Task 5 - The opening of the show

#### Watch the opening of the show.

- 1) What do you think of it? Is it heartstopping?
- 2) How does Europe look in isolation?





#### Task 6 - Listening

### Watch the <u>video</u> and tick the things that were mentioned in it.

- 1. The grand final should have been in Rotterdam.
- 2. Artists had a fair competition in this contest.
- 3. Eurovision venue is now turned into an emergency hospital.
- 4. The songs were played 1 minute each.
- 5. There were also previous winners of Eurovision sending their messages to the whole world.
- 6. In final all participants of Eurovision 2020 sang along "Love Shine a light".
- 7. The winner of Eurovision 2020 became Katrina.





#### Task 7 - Listening

# Listen to the song "Love shine a light" sung along by all artists of Eurovision 2020 and answer the questions.

- 1. Which singer do you like the most? Why?
- 2. Why do you think the artists sang this song? What is special about it?





#### Task 8 - The final part of the show

#### Watch the final part of the show.

- 1) Will there be Eurovision 2021?
- 2) What power does music have?





#### Task 9 - Discussion

#### Discuss the questions in pairs.

- 1. Do you like the show? Why yes? Why no?
- 2. If the contest hadn't been cancelled, which country would have won in your opinion? Why?
- 3. Do you think this show had a great role for Eurovision 2020 and its participants?
- 4. What influence can it have on people these days?
- 5. Are you looking forward to Eurovision 2021?



