Interview with a Journalist

On Friday morning a former journalist came to us in our English lesson. His name is Dirk Meyer-Adams, our teacher’s father. First of all he told us something about his life as a journalist. At the beginning he had studied evangelical theology but then he broke up and went into journalism. First he worked in the field of politics but after one year he came into the sport (until his retirement). He told us that in the past the income was better and you could travel more. He was 7 times in the European championships and 4 times in the world championships. You also had a good contact to the players. When his first report was published he was so excited and he got feedback on what he could do better. After he told us about his career, we could ask him some questions. For example what are the negative aspects of your job. He had one, he was too far and for too long away from his family. In his job he has gained good experiences but the job as a journalist is not as beautiful as it used to be.

In my opinion the visit of Mr. Dirk Meyer-Adams was really interesting and I learned a lot about the life as a journalist.

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