

## Hypocritical Hugo

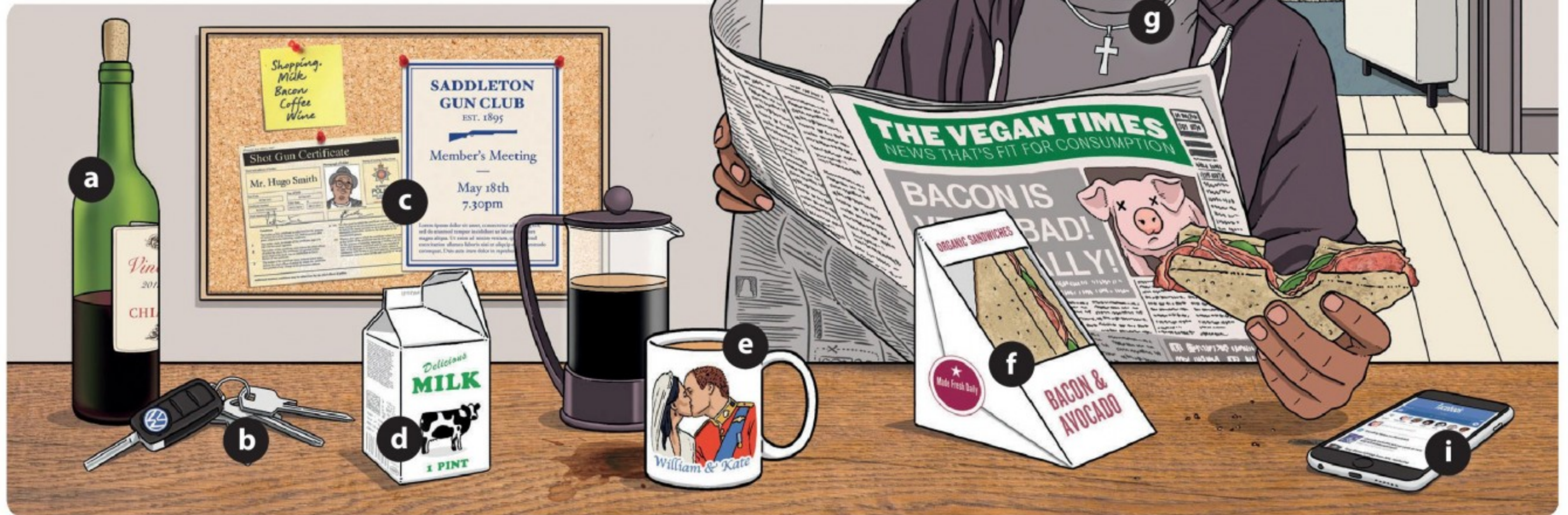
1 Make a *negative* sentence about these people. Check in a dictionary if necessary.

vegetarian vegan insomniac teetotaler xenophobe pacifist  
atheist anti-royalist technophobe environmentalist hypocrite

A vegetarian doesn't eat meat. A vegan won't ...

2 4.5 Listen to a man called **Hugo**. Which of the things in 1 does he say he is? What impression do you get of him?

3 Look at the picture of **Hugo**. Why do the things *a-i* in the picture show what a hypocrite he is?



### SPOKEN ENGLISH *How come?*

4.6 *How come?* can be used in informal English instead of *Why?* Listen to the questions. Which ones express surprise and puzzlement?

- Why is he eating bacon if he's a vegan?
- How come** he's eating bacon? He's a vegan!
- Why has he got a Royal Wedding mug if he's an anti-royalist?
- How come** he's got a Royal Wedding mug? He's an anti-royalist!

4 Make questions about Hugo, using *How come ... ?*

**If he's a vegetarian, how come he's eating bacon?**

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| 1 He's a vegetarian.    | 6 He never watches TV.    |
| 2 He's a vegan.         | 7 He hates social media.  |
| 3 He's a teetotaler.    | 8 He's an atheist.        |
| 4 He doesn't own a car. | 9 He's a pacifist.        |
| 5 He's a technophobe.   | 10 He's an anti-royalist. |

4.7 Listen and compare.

### Roleplay

5 Work in pairs. One of you is Hugo. Confront him with the questions from 4. Hugo has to justify his behaviour.

Hey, if you're a vegetarian, how come you're eating a bacon sandwich?

Oh, er, my brother left it here after he stayed, and it seems wrong to waste it.

### Asking for more information

6 We can respond to a statement with a short question, using *Wh ... ?* + preposition.

Hugo's gone out for a meal. **Who with?**

I had a nice chat with Beth today.

**What about?**

Write short questions with a preposition in reply to these statements.

- Can I have a word with you, please?
- Could you give me a lift?
- I got a lovely email today.
- I bought a brilliant birthday card yesterday.
- I need £5,000 urgently.
- I'm really worried.
- We're going on holiday next week.
- I spoke a lot of English yesterday.

4.8 Listen and check. Practise with a partner.

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