

Words by Theme Self-assessment

Complete the recount of a martial arts fan who met the daughter of Bruce Lee at a book fair with the given words. Make sure your answers are grammatically correct.

Adjective: daring excessive motivated renowned

Adverb: alternatively firsthand

Noun: excuse mood risk stroll

Verb: cling long

A fortunate encounter at the London Book Fair

As a big fan of martial arts, I (1) _____ to the hope of meeting someone who knows Bruce Lee, the kung fu legend who left us many years ago. I admire Bruce Lee not only as a legendary martial artist and actor but also for his way of thinking. His famous quote 'Be water, my friend' has kept me (2) _____ when I face difficulties. A few days ago, I lucked out at a signing event at the London Book Fair, when I met his daughter, Shannon Lee!

I was in a good (3) _____ at the book fair. The (4) _____ number of visitors did not bother me at all. As I (5) _____ along the aisles of the various halls at the book fair, I marvelled at the vibrant exhibits from all over the world. I (6) _____ to catch sight of the familiar faces of (7) _____ writers as well. Then, I spotted Shannon!

I made a (8) _____ move and approached her. As I made my way to her table, I knew there was a (9) _____ that my shyness might leave me at a loss for words. But it was not a valid (10) _____ to back away then.

It was an invaluable experience to learn about Bruce Lee from Shannon (11) _____. She recalled her memories of Bruce, which I had never heard of before. By the end of our exchange, Shannon gave me a choice. She could give me a signed copy of her new book, or (12) _____, take a selfie with her.

That day, I returned home satisfied, thinking about how I could live out Bruce's philosophy and become a better version of myself.

