

## Devon Walker Exits SNL: 'Cool Yet Toxic' - Who's Next?

### **Description**

#### **Devon Walker Leaves SNL**

Devon Walker, a cast member of *Saturday Night Live* (SNL), said he will leave the show after three years. He made this announcement before the new season starts on October 4.

Walker shared his feelings on Instagram. He said, "I had three good years, but it was sometimes very hard, too." He added, "It was time for me to try something new."

Devon joined *SNL* in 2022. He is known for his funny impressions of celebrities, like New York City Mayor Eric Adams and former NFL player Michael Strahan.

In addition to Walker, other cast members are also leaving the show. For example, writers Rosebud Baker and Celeste Yim announced they will not return for the new season. Baker talked about how stressful it was to write for SNL's "Weekend Update." Yim shared their joy about working at SNL but also mentioned it was hard work.

Many fans are sad to see these changes but wish them all the best for the future.

## **Vocabulary List:**

- 1. **Announcement** /ə'naʊns.mənt/ (noun): A public or formal statement about a fact occurrence or intention.
- 2. **Impressions** /ɪmˈprɛʃ.ənz/ (noun): A representation or imitation of someone or something often in a humorous way.
- 3. Stressful /'stres.fəl/ (adjective): Causing mental or emotional strain.
- 4. Joy /dʒɔɪ/ (noun): A feeling of great pleasure and happiness.
- 5. Try /traɪ/ (verb): To make an attempt or effort to do something.
- 6. Season /'si:.zən/ (noun): A period of the year characterized by particular conditions events or activities.

# **Comprehension Questions**

#### **Multiple Choice**

Who announced their departure from SNL after three years on the show?



Option: Devon Walker Option: Rosebud Baker Option: Celeste Yim Option: Eric Adams

2. What is the reason Devon Walker gave for leaving SNL?

Option: Had a new career opportunity

Option: Wanted to take a break

Option: Found the show too challenging

Option: His contract expired

3. Which year did Devon Walker join SNL?

Option: 2020 Option: 2021 Option: 2022 Option: 2023

4. Who is known for funny impressions of New York City Mayor Eric Adams and former NFL player Michael ESL-NEW Strahan?

Option: Rosebud Baker Option: Celeste Yim Option: Devon Walker Option: Eric Adams

5. Which cast members besides Devon Walker are also leaving SNL?

Option: Rosebud Baker and Celeste Yim Option: Eric Adams and Michael Strahan

Option: Lorne Michaels Option: Aidy Bryant

6. What was mentioned as being stressful for Rosebud Baker while working on SNL?

Option: Writing for Weekend Update Option: Impersonating celebrities Option: Dealing with backstage drama Option: Handling fan interactions

### **True-False**



7. Devon Walker announced his departure from SNL on Twitter.
8. Celeste Yim expressed difficulties but also joy in working at SNL.
9. Fans are happy to see the changes in the SNL cast.
10. Devon Walker is leaving SNL after just one year on the show.
11. Rosebud Baker and Celeste Yim will not return for the new SNL season.
12. Devon Walker is best known for his political impressions on SNL.
Gap-Fill
13. Devon Walker announced he will leave SNL after years on the show.
14. Devon Walker said it was time for him to try something
15. Devon Walker is known for impersonating New York City Mayor Eric Adams and former NFL player
Michael
16. Devon Walker joined SNL in
17. Rosebud Baker and Celeste Yim announced they will not return for the new SNL
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18. Many fans wish the departing SNL cast members all the best for the
Answer
Multiple Choice: 1. Devon Walker 2. Had a new career opportunity 3. 2022 5. Rosebud Baker and Celeste Yim 6. Writing for Weekend Update True-False: 7. False 8. True 9. False 10. False 11. True 12. False Gap-Fill: 13. three 14. new 15. Strahan 16. 2022 17. season 18. future
Answer
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