



## Grimes expresses remorse following catastrophic Coachella performance, culminating in screams of annoyance.

### Description

Grimes, the 36-year-old Canadian musician, experienced "major technical difficulties" during her performance at the Coachella festival which left her set playing at double speed. The technical glitch proved frustrating for the electronic artist, who explained on-stage that her songs were "borderline un-mixable." Despite the issues, Grimes assured the audience that the rest of her set would be enjoyable.

In a later statement on Twitter, Grimes confessed that she usually handles all aspects of her performances, but chose to outsource some technical aspects for this set, which led to the issues. She admitted to having a bad feeling before going on stage and noted her lesson learnt was to continue engaging with the crowd rather than trying to fix the software during the show.

Grimes promised her fans that she would personally organize all the files for her next performance to prevent such an issue from reoccurring. Despite receiving some harsh criticism online, with some referring to her performance as the worst in Coachella history, Grimes assured her fans that her next performance would be flawless, and everything would be run through her hands.

Aside from her music career, Grimes recently made headlines due to her personal life. She recently went "Instagram official" with her new boyfriend, EDM artist Anyma. This follows her previous high-profile relationship with tech billionaire Elon Musk, with whom she has three children. The pair are currently involved in child custody lawsuits.

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## Vocabulary List:

1. **Technical difficulties** // (noun): Problems or issues related to technology or machinery that hinder performance.
2. **Outsource** // (verb): To obtain goods or services from an outside or foreign supplier.
3. **Engaging** // (adjective): Attracting and holding the interest or attention of others.
4. **Flawless** // (adjective): Without any imperfections or defects perfect.
5. **High-profile** // (adjective): Attracting much attention and interest from the public or media.
6. **Custody** // (noun): The legal right or responsibility to care for someone or something.

## Vocabulary quizzes

### Multiple Choice ( Select the Correct answer for each question. )

1. What can commonly disrupt a live video conference?  
Option: Binoculars  
Option: Technical difficulties  
Option: Comet  
Option: Empowering
2. Which term is used to describe a person or event that is famous or important?  
Option: Redacted  
Option: Tribute  
Option: High-profile  
Option: Airstrike
3. What is the term for leaving a job or position?  
Option: Engaging  
Option: Quitting  
Option: Interrupted  
Option: Hush Money
4. What is a gesture to show appreciation or respect?  
Option: Candidness  
Option: Recap



- Option: Tribute
- Option: Contentious

5. Which term means giving power or authority to someone?

- Option: Airstrike
- Option: Flawless
- Option: Empowering
- Option: Recap

6. What is a military attack carried out by aircraft?

- Option: Airstrike
- Option: Custody
- Option: Jokingly
- Option: Recap

7. What is a sum of money paid to someone to keep them quiet or non-disclosure?

- Option: Jokingly
- Option: Hush Money
- Option: Accomplishments
- Option: Recap

8. What is a collection of different images or clips put together?

- Option: Montage
- Option: Redacted
- Option: Binoculars
- Option: Interrupted

9. What are assertions made without proof often in a negative context?

- Option: Allegations
- Option: Custody
- Option: Flawless
- Option: Binoculars

10. What term describes content that is interesting and holds attention?

- Option: Engaging
- Option: Tribute
- Option: Quitting
- Option: Recap

**Gap-Fill ( Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

11. Many companies choose to \_\_\_\_\_ some of their tasks to external partners to reduce



costs.

12. She \_\_\_\_\_ her concerns about the new project during the team meeting.
13. The phone call \_\_\_\_\_ our conversation causing a delay in our discussion.
14. Could you please \_\_\_\_\_ the main points we discussed in today's meeting?
15. Certain sensitive information was \_\_\_\_\_ from the document before it was released to the public.
16. The issue of budget allocation remained \_\_\_\_\_ among the team members.
17. The company's \_\_\_\_\_ addressed the media to provide clarification on the recent controversy.
18. Her \_\_\_\_\_ in expressing her opinions often led to constructive debates in the team.
19. The ballet performance was executed with \_\_\_\_\_ precision and grace.
20. The unexpected promotion was a \_\_\_\_\_ for all the hard work put in over the years.

**Matching Sentences ( Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list. )**

21. The wall of her office displayed plaques and awards recognizing her many achievements and throughout her career.
22. Her note of thanks was so that it brought tears to my eyes.
23. Failure to address the issue promptly may cause it to into a larger problem.
24. After the commercial success of the first movie they decided to their roles in the sequel.
25. The interactive workshop was so that everyone actively participated and shared their ideas.
26. Her piano performance was without a single mistake or hesitation.
27. Using we were able to see the rare bird perched high in the tree.



28. As the night sky darkened a brilliant streaked across the sky captivating everyone who saw it.

29. The mentorship program aimed at employees with the skills and knowledge required for career advancement.

30. Despite the made against him he maintained his innocence and cooperated with the investigation.

## Answer

**Multiple Choice:** 1. Technical difficulties 2. High-profile 3. Quitting 4. Tribute 5. Empowering 6. Airstrike 7. Hush Money 8. Montage 9. Allegations 10. Engaging

**Gap-Fill:** 11. Outsource 12. Expressed 13. Interrupted 14. Recap 15. Redacted 16. Contentious 17. Spokespeople 18. Candidness 19. Flawless 20. Delight

**Matching sentence:** 1. Accomplishments 2. Heartfelt 3. Escalate 4. Reprise 5. Engaging 6. Flawless 7. Binoculars 8. Comet 9. Empowering 10. Allegations

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