

Listening Exercise 2B KEY: Does Rowan Atkinson Want Mr Bean to Come Back?

Go to [this link](#) and watch the conversation between Rowan Atkinson and Graham Norton in an episode of *The Graham Norton Show*. Then answer the following questions and check your answers by using the correction key, which is also available on the website.

1. Why is Rowan Atkinson not a big fan of a possible return of Mr. Bean?

He thinks he has done everything he wanted to do with the character.

2. What is the main reason Mr. Bean has a global outreach?

It's less about language and more about the visual and physical aspects.

3. Some years before the interview, Rowan Atkinson met a man who told him he looked a lot like Mr. Bean. Where did he meet this man?

In a Land Rover car dealership.

4. Did the man believe Rowan Atkinson when he told him that he was the guy who had played Mr. Bean?

No.

5. What was the issue when Rowan Atkinson tried to make clear he was the actor who played Mr. Bean?

The more he tried to convince the man he was in fact the actor who played Mr. Bean, the less the man believed him.