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OLI: To write a review of a 'Strictly Come Dancing' performance.

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The Sensational Strictly Success

Top star Aston and professional dancer Janette topped the leaderboard with an extraordinary success of their trolls themed cha cha cha.

A lush green carpet of grass invaded the stage. Giant mushrooms towered over the performers like umbrellas. A rainbow of smoke skipped across the stage and the lights welcomed the dancers as they took their positions.

Twisting and turning, the performers made their way across the dancefloor. Their cartoonish facial expressions lit up the stage. Repeatedly, they moved from side to side and Craig said their artistic performance was phenomenal. Aston amazed the judges with his own interpretation of the traditional Cha Cha Cha by including

his own street dance moves. Darcy described this as a Sensational Skill.

The Judges gave Janette a Standing Ovation on her astounding performance. Shirley agreed with Darcy saying there was lots of movement and that it was an inspiring performance. The applause was thunderous. One audience member said he had never seen anything so creative: 'The costumes, facial expressions and transitions between the steps of the performers made me feel as though I was watching a West End performance. It's safe to say that this week is a Strictly Sensation.

Next week promises to be even more exceptional, as they will be performing the incredibly complex and passionate Argentine Tango.