PRACTICE

8 Complete the sentences with the superlative form of the adjectives and adverbs in parentheses. Use *least* if *not* is included in the parentheses.

1. Kelly: I think people are too concerned about having (1) the most modern (modern) cell phones. Cell phones contain some of (2) _____ (rare) minerals on Earth, but many people just throw their old cell phones away when they buy a new one. This is (3) _____ (one of the / bad / thing) you can do! But if you recycle your old cell phones, it's (4) _____ (one of the / good / thing) you can do.

2. Amir: My cell phone is (5) _____ (important / thing) I own. It's (6) _____ (convenient / place) I have to keep information.

3. Brad: My new cell phone is a piece of junk! It was (7) _____ (not expensive) phone in the store. What a mistake! Also, the salesperson in that store was one of (8) _____ (not helpful / salesperson) I've ever spoken to.

9 **EDIT.** Read the article about trash in the desert. Find and correct eight more errors with superlatives.

Cameron's Camels

The Arabian Desert in the Middle East is one of the ~~most hot~~ hottest environments on Earth, and it has the less amount of rainfall. But to the camel, it is home. The camel is one of the most strong animals in the world. Camels can go for many days with only a little food and water. When they do find water, they probably drink the most quick of any land animal. Adult camels can drink about 25 to 30 gallons (95–114 liters) in ten minutes. Unfortunately, finding water is not the seriousest problem camels face. Most dangerous threat to camels comes from humans. Tourists in the desert leave trash behind. Camels think the trash is food and eat it. This is very dangerous for the camels, because it can kill them.

One of the most polluted part of the desert is outside the city of Abu Dhabi. Each year, many camels die there from eating trash. Cameron Oliver has been trying to change this. Since he was eight years old, Cameron has been telling people that trash is very dangerous for camels. Of all the young people in Abu Dhabi, Cameron has worked most hard to help the camels. When he was 12, Cameron became the most young person to win an Abu Dhabi award for community service.

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