



Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Use the word given and other words to complete the sentence.

Use the number of words given in the task.

The length of the gap may give you an approximate hint.

Don't use CONTRACTED FORMS!!!

1. I prefer going sailing to surfing on the beach.

**RATHER** I would \_\_\_\_\_ go surfing on the beach.

2. Professional singers are not allowed to enter the talent contest.

**SING** People \_\_\_\_\_ are not allowed to enter the talent contest.

3. I can't decide which city tour to take.

**MIND** I can't \_\_\_\_\_ which city tour to take.

4. I'm sure he was lying to you.

**HAVE** He \_\_\_\_\_ lying to you.

5. John is interested in visiting the Egyptian pyramids.

**LIKE** John \_\_\_\_\_ the Egyptian pyramids.

6. Mike didn't go on the museum trip because he was sick.

**BEEN** If Mike \_\_\_\_\_ sick, he would have gone on the museum trip.

7. It was difficult for him to breathe in the cave.

1. **DIFFICULTY** He \_\_\_\_\_ in the cave.

2. **DIFFICULTY** He \_\_\_\_\_ in the cave.

8. It is possible that robot cars will be on the roads in the next five years.

**LIKELY** Robot cars \_\_\_\_\_ on the roads in the next five years.

9. "I'm sorry I lost your book," she said.

**APOLOGISED** She \_\_\_\_\_ losing my book.

10. We arranged for a taxi to deliver our baggage to the hotel.

**HAD** We \_\_\_\_\_ by a taxi to the hotel.

After finishing the task, enjoy the view:



The Moskva-river near Kolomna