

Level: TE PRE-INTERMEDIATE 2

Lesson 2: GRAMMAR AND READING- HOMEWORK

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GRAMMAR PRACTICE

1. Write one word in each gap

Jetlag

When you travel (1)the other side of the world, jetlag is a real problem. You find yourself awake (2)the middle of the night and you feel like going to bed (3)the morning, just when everyone around you is getting up.

Jetlag happens when you go (4)a country where the time is very different. For example, you might leave London (5)midday and fly (6)Los Angeles. The flight takes about eleven hours, so when you arrive (7)Los Angeles airport, your body thinks you're there (8) 11 pm. But Los Angeles is eight hours behind London, so you actually get there (9)3 pm local time. So, (10)midnight Los Angeles time, your body (which still thinks it's (11)London) says it's 8 am. It takes a few days for your body clock to change.

2. MINI-TEST

Exercise 1: Fill in each blank with ONE word.

The place of my dreams

My dream home would be a large flat on the top floor of a luxury (1) block in a quiet residential area of a large city. (2) would be parks and other open spaces (3)and it would be quite close to mountains. I wouldn't want it to (4) a seaside resort, but it shouldn't be (5)far from the coast. If I could live anywhere I like, I would (6) an old house in the center of a medium-sized town. The town (7)have all the normal modern facilities (8)banks, cinemas and supermarkets. Ideally, it would also be of historical interest (9) castle or a church, but it shouldn't be too popular with tourists. It would be (10) to water of some kind, perhaps a river or a lake.

Exercise 2: Complete the sentences with the correct form of the given words.

- I've made my..... (DECIDE). I'm going to buy the blue one.
- This dress is wonderful – but it's a little too..... (EXPENSE) for me.
- I've broken my new CD player and now it's..... (USE)!
- In the past, rich people often had..... (SERVE) to do everything for them.
- We offer top quality products at..... (AFFORD) prices!
- The advert was..... (TRUE), so I complained to the manager.
- Please be careful with that painting – it's extremely..... (VALUE).
- When you..... (COMPARE) our prices with other shops, we're the cheapest!

Exercise 3: Complete using the correct form of the verbs in the box.

(There are more words than needed)

Broadcast	click	interrupt	pause
Publish	ring	swear	type

- You have to on the picture by pressing the left button on your mouse.
- Writing and sending e-mails is a lot faster if you learn how toproperly.
- I couldn't believe it when Gregin front of the head teacher!
- The man on the telephone for a moment and then said, "Tell no one!"
- This programme was first in 1967 and hasn't been shown on TV since then.
- Please don'tme. Let me finish what I wanted to say.
- Our school might a weekly magazine to keep parents and students informed about what's happening.