

Weighting Machine

A man and his wife had arranged to have a holiday at the seaside. They _____ at the railway station for their train when the man saw a weighing-machine near the bench on which they were sitting. It was one of _____ weighing machines that give cards on which one's fortune _____ as well as one's weight.

The man decided to weigh himself, so he _____ to the machine, got on it, put a penny in, and a card came out. The man took it back to his wife, and she read it out to him, because he _____ his glasses at home.

On the card _____, "You are a leader of a men and have a masterly character. You have great intelligence and are attractive to women."

After she _____ this out, the man's wife turned the card over, looked at the back for a moment and then remarked, "It's got your weight wrong too."

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Tree Impersonation

In the 18th century, (25) _____ Europeans indulged in an (26) _____ and extravagant pastime: hiring people to stand in their gardens and pretend to be trees. This peculiar practice was known as "tree impersonation" and was a popular way for the rich to show off their wealth and status.

The hired "tree actors" would dress up in leafy costumes and stand (27) _____ in the garden, imitating the (28) _____ of real trees. They would remain in character for hours, creating the illusion of a forest in the backyard.

While this may seem bizarre to us today, it was seen as a (29) _____ and sophisticated pursuit in the 1700s. The wealthy were always looking for new and unique ways to display their opulence, and tree impersonation was just one of many extravagant pastimes.

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Ways of Travelling

Travelling can be a wonderful experience, but choosing the right way to get to your destination can (30) _____ all the difference. From planes to trains, cars to buses, there are many different options available for those looking to (31) _____ the world. Here are some of the best ways of travelling to consider for your next adventure.

Flying is the most popular way of travelling for long-distance trips, and for good reason. With a (32) _____ range of airlines and destinations to choose from, flying offers convenience and speed that other modes of transportation cannot match. If you're looking for a budget option, you can often find great deals on flights by (33) _____ in advance or choosing a less popular time of year to travel.

If you prefer to take a more scenic route, travelling by train can be a great way to see the countryside. Train travel also allows for more space and comfort compared to air travel. Some people even prefer (34) _____ road trips, allowing for maximum flexibility and the opportunity to explore off-the-beaten-path destinations.

Another option to consider is travelling by boat. Cruises offer a unique experience, combining travel with (35) _____ amenities and entertainment options. For those looking for a more eco-friendly option, sailing or kayaking can be a great way to explore the great outdoors.

No matter how you choose to travel, it's important to be prepared and pack accordingly. Make sure to research the local customs and dress codes, and don't forget to bring (36) _____ any necessary travel documents. With the right preparation, any mode of transportation can provide an unforgettable travel experience.

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| 33 | 1) setting up | 2) booking | 3) lining up | 4) ordering |
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| 35 | 1) basic | 2) luxury | 3) regular | 4) normal |
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| 36 | 1) along | 2) up | 3) about | 4) back |
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