

9B Extremes

1 a Match sentences 1–8 with photos A–H.

- 1 It's **freezing** outside today.
- 2 When the sun is out, it's absolutely **boiling**.
- 3 When he heard I was leaving the company, he was **shocked**.
- 4 Wow, those buildings are **enormous**!
- 5 This place is so **ancient**. Imagine the people who used to sit here.
- 6 The news today was **awful**, I was really upset.
- 7 They found the presentation **fascinating**.
- 8 She was **delighted** with her gift.

b Complete the table with the adjectives in the box.

ancient awful big boiling cold
happy interesting surprised

strong	weak
freezing	
	hot
shocked	
enormous	
	old
	bad
fascinating	
delighted	

2 Complete the sentences with the strong adjectives in Exercise 1b.

- 1 I'm not going to eat there again. The food was _____ and it was expensive.
- 2 She was _____ with her present. It was exactly what she wanted.
- 3 The book is _____. I couldn't put it down. You must read it.
- 4 The house is _____. There are more than five bedrooms.
- 5 It's _____ in here, let's put the heating on.
- 6 That dress is _____. I bought it so long ago but I love it.

