

Part 4

– 10 questions –

Read the text. Choose the right words and write them on the lines.

Skyscrapers



Example

Many large cities in the world have

skyscrapers. In the past, a 'skyscraper' was a kind of high sail on a sailing ship. But today the word 'skyscraper' means a very

1 building. Some people think that a building

2 can only be a skyscraper when it has more

3 than 50 floors, but others do agree.

4 A long time , buildings were usually only

five or six floors high. Then, in 1852, Elisha Otis, a mechanic,

5 invented a lift was safe and could carry

passengers up and down many floors. At the same time, engineers were

6 stronger and lighter kinds of metal. With these

7 lifts and metals, engineers could very high

skyscrapers for people to live and work in.

Many people think that skyscrapers are ugly because they look

8 big boxes.

9 But the famous ones have interesting shapes

10 and colours. Also, the top floors of skyscrapers

you can see amazing views!

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| 1 | tallest | taller | tall |
| 2 | calling | called | call |
| 3 | not | no | never |
| 4 | since | ago | already |
| 5 | what | where | which |
| 6 | make | making | made |
| 7 | designing | designed | design |
| 8 | so | as | like |
| 9 | another | most | much |
| 10 | through | from | with |