

1 GRAMMAR

Complete the sentences with a word from the list.

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- 1 Do you _____ from Italy?
- 2 I didn't eat _____ for lunch.
- 3 I haven't finished my homework _____.
- 4 I'm not as tall _____ my brother.
- 5 We had breakfast in the garden _____ it was a lovely morning.
- 6 Dad's _____ me to the airport.

2 VOCABULARY

Circle the word that is different.

- 1 arriving ironing washing hoovering
- 2 bored stressed depressed excited
- 3 church mosque lake temple
- 4 dangerous clean quiet safe
- 5 website account delivery trolley
- 6 campsite terminal departures gate

4 GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY

Read a newspaper interview. Circle a, b, or c.

The book that changed my life

This week we're talking ¹ _____ Jim Watts about a book that has been important to him: *In Praise of Slow* by Carl Honoré.

I So, Jim, when did you first read the book?

J It was about five years ago. I loved it and thought the ideas about the 'Slow Movement' were very ² _____.

I What is the Slow Movement exactly?

J Well, today everything is ³ _____ than in the past, so the movement is about slowing down and enjoying life. Sometimes speed is a great thing – I love my fast broadband, for example. Sometimes speed is good, sometimes it's bad. As the book says, it depends ⁴ _____ what you're talking about.

I What about high-speed travel?

J Well, you can travel from London to Bruges in two hours, but do you really enjoy it? I ⁵ _____ that journey last year by bicycle. Yes, it was slow, but I ⁶ _____ lots of people and saw the beautiful countryside. When I arrived ⁷ _____ Bruges, I cycled along the canals, and it was fantastic.

I Is there anything else ⁸ _____ is better if you do it slowly?

J Almost everything. Like food, for example. I never go to fast food restaurants. It's better to go ⁹ _____ more traditional, sit down and talk to your friends while you wait half an hour for your food. We don't need to ¹⁰ _____ in a hurry all the time.

I Thank you for sharing your ideas with us, Jim.

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| 1 a at | b to | c for |
| 2 a interesting | b interested | c interest |
| 3 a faster | b fast | c more fast |
| 4 a from | b of | c on |
| 5 a have done | b did | c was doing |
| 6 a met | b was meeting | c have met |
| 7 a in | b at | c on |
| 8 a who | b where | c that |
| 9 a anywhere | b somewhere | c nowhere |
| 10 a go | b be | c do |