

City Life

1. Choose the correct definitions

facilities	an area where people live near a larger city
architecture	an area that is in very bad condition
run-down area	a part of a road that only bicycles are allowed to use
suburbs	a place where different people and styles are mixed together
melting pot	a building or a place that provides a particular service
vibrant	a person who is walking, especially in a town or city
pedestrian	designing and constructiong buildings
bike lane	full of energy of life

2. Complete the sentences with the given words

1. The city is [] of different cultures, communities, and lifestyles.	architecture
2. There was something charming about the [] of that old mansion.	run-down
3. The new [] encourages more people to cycle.	facilities
4. The city center offers a number of [] for recreational purposes.	pedestrians
5. Our local park is always [] with concerts and outdoor exhibitions.	vibrant
6. He has to drive to work from his home in the [] .	a melting pot
7. This small bridge is only for [] not cyclists.	bike lane
8. Tourists avoid this [] area, concentrating on modern parts of the city.	suburbs

3. Complete the text with the given words

Since I have been a child, my dream was to leave in the [] and enjoy the nature. It's a comfortable living since I live in a friendly neighborhood with all [] nearby and get a chance to enjoy [] views. The only disadvantage is that I work in the city and I have to [] to work every day. It usually takes two hours to get to my work, and I [] early to avoid [] and come in time. The city is very well organized with [] for cyclists and paved sidewalks for [] though it's sometimes hard to find a parking. But it's very easy to get around and find the necessary destination.

- set off
- facilities
- a rush hour
- suburbs
- bike lanes
- picturesque
- pedestrians
- commute