

Emoji Gap Filling

Instruction

Read the article carefully. Some important words are replaced with emojis. Guess the missing words and write them in the blanks.

- Each emoji = one English word.
- Write your answers clearly in the blanks.

Example:

"I like  (_____)." → Answer: apple

Dear Dr. Lee,

I'm in high school in  _____ and I  _____ all the time! I  _____ in class and during self-study at  _____. The  _____ are angry with me. I go to bed at  _____ and wake up at  _____. My  _____ say I should sleep more at  _____, but I have many  _____. What do you recommend? —Brenda (17)

Dr. Lee: Brenda, you should see a  _____. Sleepiness can have a physical or emotional cause. You may be  _____ or stressed. You should make sure to sleep eight or nine hours every  _____. —Dr. Lee

Dear Dr. Lee,

I am  _____, but I live in the  _____. Every summer, I go back to  _____ to see my  _____. Last year, I met a Chinese-American  _____, "Jane," in  _____. When I got back to the  _____, I couldn't contact her because I only knew her Chinese  _____. Later, a classmate (Jane's friend) told me Jane is her English  _____. Now I want to +  _____ Jane to a social  _____. Will she accept my request? —Tommy (14)

Dr. Lee: Tommy, you should ask Jane's  _____ for advice. She knows Jane best. If she agrees, ask her to get in touch with Jane and see what happens.

Dear Dr. Lee,

My  _____ have helped their  _____ cook and clean since they were 12, but I don't do anything in the  _____. My parents always do everything for me. I'm so  _____! I want to go to  _____ and live independently, but I don't know how to do anything! Help me! —Cora (17)

Dr. Lee: Cora, I think your  _____ and your  _____ can help you. Ask them to teach you, and ask them for advice. Don't give up! They will be happy to help you.

Question

True or False – Dear Dr. Lee

Brenda (17)

1. Brenda says she often sleeps in class and during self-study at night. T / F
2. Brenda usually goes to bed at 9 p.m. and wakes up at 5 a.m. T / F
3. Dr. Lee recommends that Brenda should sleep about 8-9 hours every night. T / F
4. Dr. Lee thinks Brenda is only lazy, not stressed. T / F

Tommy (14)

1. Tommy is Chinese but lives in the U.S. T / F
2. Tommy met Jane in Vietnam last year. T / F
3. Tommy only knew Jane's Chinese name, not her English name. T / F
4. Dr. Lee suggests that Tommy ask Jane's classmate for advice. T / F
(He suggests asking Jane's mother.)

Cora (17)

1. Cora says her friends helped their parents since they were 12. T / F
2. Cora always cooks and cleans for her family. T / F
3. Cora wants to go to college and live independently. T / F
4. Dr. Lee advises Cora to ask her friends and parents to teach her. T / F
5. Dr. Lee tells Cora to give up because it is too difficult. T / F

Mixed Exercise: Should / Shouldn't / Used to

Fill in the blanks with should, shouldn't, or used to + verb.

1. Brenda feels sleepy in class. She _____ go to bed earlier.
2. Brenda _____ sleep in class during self-study, but now she wants to change.
3. Brenda is often stressed. She _____ see a doctor.
4. Brenda goes to bed late every night. She _____ stay up until 11 p.m.
5. Tommy is Chinese but lives in the U.S. He _____ travel to China every summer.
6. Tommy only knew Jane's Chinese name. He _____ ask Jane's mother for advice.
7. Cora's friends _____ help their parents cook and clean since they were 12.
8. Cora doesn't help at home. She _____ learn from her parents step by step.
9. Cora always depended on her parents for everything. She _____ depend on them too much.
10. Cora is embarrassed about not helping. She _____ give up—she must try!