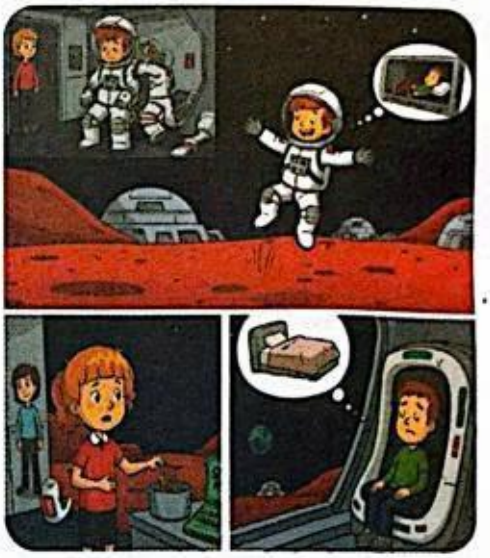
Exercise 3: Read the diary entry of Toby, a boy living on Mars in the year 2050. Then, read the statements below and write T (True) or F (False).

TOBY'S DIARY – DAY 365 ON MARS



Hello, Earth! My name is Toby. Can you believe I have lived on Mars for one year? Life here is very strange compared to Earth. Before we moved here, I used to play soccer on soft green grass every Sunday. But on Mars, there is no grass, only red dust. We didn't use to wear heavy suits to go outside on Earth, but here, we must wear spacesuits every time we leave the base. It takes 20 minutes just to put them on! At first, the gravity was the hardest part. I couldn't get used to floating in the air. I bumped my head on the ceiling many times. But now, I am slowly getting used to jumping like a kangaroo. It is actually fun to jump 3 meters high! My mom is a chef. In the beginning, she hated the food here. But now, she is used to cooking with dry "space packets" instead of fresh meat. However, my dad still struggles. He can't get used to sleeping in a pod. He misses his big bed on Earth. Do I miss Earth? A little. But I am used to the quiet life here now. Plus, the view of the stars is amazing!

T/F

1. On Earth, Toby used to play soccer on red dust. _____
2. Toby didn't use to wear special clothes to go outside when he lived on Earth. _____
3. Toby has finished learning how to move in gravity; he never bumps his head now. _____
4. Toby's mom finds cooking with space packets normal and easy now. _____
5. Toby's dad has got used to sleeping in the pod on Mars. _____
6. Toby feels familiar and comfortable with the quiet environment on Mars. _____

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