

# A WRITER'S ROOM

Read the text below and choose the word which best fits the gap.

It may not look (1) \_\_\_\_\_ an office, but that's the point. The (2) \_\_\_\_\_ of having to work all day in an office would (3) \_\_\_\_\_ I never went there. So there are no filing cabinets or piles of mail and no distracting shelves of books. That all gets (4) \_\_\_\_\_ in a couple of cupboards.

All over the flat there are photographs I've taken of (5) \_\_\_\_\_ countries I've visited; in here they're (6) \_\_\_\_\_ of New Zealand . and I keep my traveling hat and my traveling bag hanging here to make me (7) \_\_\_\_\_ that I could pack up and leave at any (8) \_\_\_\_\_. I can't but it's nice to (9) \_\_\_\_\_.

If I'm doing serious writing I (10) \_\_\_\_\_ to be in here at night with the low energy bulb and the music, typing on a laptop because I don't have a desk and have no (11) \_\_\_\_\_ for one. When I injured my back I used to try writing propped up on a sofa with lots of cushions and pillows, but that never really worked, so I finally saved up and bought the monster black leather chair. I try not to (12) \_\_\_\_\_ anyone else sit in it, because they usually (13) \_\_\_\_\_ to get out again - it's just too comfortable.

