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Culture shock for international students

Students going to study in another country usually have to make a number of cultural **(0)** adjustments . They may find it difficult to form **(1)** ..... with local people and they will certainly have to get used to a **(2)** ..... of new things including food, the climate and the language. An extra difficulty may be the different **(3)** ..... which their teachers and tutors have of them in **(4)** ..... with their home country. They may be **(5)** ..... for the amount of work they have to do on their own or the fact that their tutors are looking for originality and a capacity for **(6)** ..... thought rather than an ability to memorise large quantities of information. Equally, they may sometimes be surprised by the **(7)** ..... of their fellow students who, although usually friendly and **(8)** ..... , may sometimes seem a little immature. As time passes, international students will find that things become easier and what was unfamiliar to start with will eventually seem normal.

ADJUST
FRIEND
VARY
EXPECT
COMPARE
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DEPEND
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Is there a doctor on board?

You're on a plane in mid-air. You
(0) undo your seatbelt and begin **DO**
to relax when you hear an **(1)** ..... **EXPECT**
announcement: 'Is there a doctor on board?'

As we all know, air travel can be an extremely stressful experience, especially after going through airport **(2)** ..... checks. **SECURE**
Studies of airline passengers reveal that we all **(3)** ..... worry that we or another **OCCASION**
passenger may have a **(4)** ..... **MEDICINE**
problem far from a hospital at a
(5) ..... of 10,000 metres. **HIGH**

Well, now Lufthansa, the German airline, has made the **(6)** ..... that on **CALCULATE**
80% of its flights, there is in fact a doctor amongst the passengers. Having previously obtained the doctor's agreement, when there's a medical emergency on board, one of the cabin staff will discreetly ask for his or her
(7) ..... . It is hoped that in the **ASSIST**
future, this system will avoid making the other passengers **(8)** ..... when these **EASY**
situations arise.

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