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- 1 Complete the blog post with the correct article *a/an* or *the*, or no article (-).

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Hi. I'm Yoshi and I live in
 1..... apartment in
 Tokyo with my family. Tokyo is the
 capital of 2..... Japan,
 and it's 3..... really
 busy city – in fact it's one of the
 busiest in 4..... world.
 So what is 5..... life like
 here? Well, I'm 6.....
 student and I love it! There are lots of 7.....
 things to do in different parts of 8..... city, so
 I'm never bored. 9..... transport system is great,
 so you definitely don't need 10..... car to get
 around. Why don't you come and visit one day?



- 2 Read what Maria from Spain says about visiting Tokyo. Choose the correct words to complete it.

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There are 1 a lot of / much people
 in Tokyo, of course, so most
 places are really busy! There are
 2 some / any great places to visit,
 and if you want 3 a few / a little
 time away from the busy streets,
 you can go to one of the beautiful
 gardens to enjoy 4 a few / a little
 minutes of quiet. I loved it, but it's difficult to do things
 if you don't have 5 much / many money. 6 All / Every the
 activities that I like doing are quite expensive. ☹




- 3 Complete the words in the notices.

1 New exhibition of
 paintings by modern
 artists at the
 a _ _ _ _ _
 in the city centre.
 Starts this week.

2 Please do not drop
 rubbish on the
 p _ _ _ _ _ t.
 Use the b _ _ s
 provided.

3 Sale at Jackson's
 d _ _ _ _ _
 s _ _ _ _ _ all next week.

4 For sale, two-bedroom flat
 in a large, modern
 a _ _ _ _ _
 b _ _ _ _ . Great views of
 the city from all rooms!
 B _ _ s _ _ just outside
 with a regular service to
 the city centre.

20%
 off clothes and
 household
 goods

- 4 Complete the posts with the correct present simple or present continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

What do you do outside school?
 Tell us about your hobbies.



ArtyJen

I 1..... (love) drawing! I 2.....
 (always / carry) a pencil and paper around with
 me so I can draw interesting things I see. At the
 moment I 3..... (try) to do a picture
 of my dog, but he 4..... (not sit) still
 for me!



StrongSam

Climbing is the best sport! I 5..... (go)
 to the climbing wall every weekend, and
 my uncle 6..... (usually / take) me
 outdoor climbing in the holidays. My arms
 7..... (get) stronger now, and my
 uncle 8..... (think) I may be ready to
 try a big climb next summer!

- 5 Complete the advice with the correct form of the words and phrases in the box. There are two words or phrases you don't need.

competition encourage go well improve practise
results skill spend time

Riding a unicycle – advice for beginners



The first thing you need to know about riding a unicycle is that it isn't easy, and you need to ¹..... a lot to get better. Aim for at least an hour a day. It really helps if other people ²..... you, especially at the beginning when it's really hard to stay on!

Focus on just riding forwards to start with. Don't try to do tricks too quickly. They need a lot of ³....., and you can have some bad falls if you aren't ready.

Ask friends or family members to film you once a month, so you can see how you're ⁴..... each month.

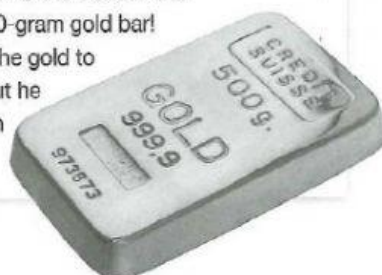
⁵..... watching videos online of other people riding unicycles. You can learn a lot by watching.

When you're ready, try taking part in a local ⁶..... You might not win, but it will be good experience.

- 6 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs.

Boy finds gold bar in lake

Last summer, teenager Aaron Barclay ¹..... (go) on holiday with his family to Italy. On the first day of his holiday, the sun ²..... (shine) and it was hot, so he ³..... (decide) to go for a swim in the lake. While he ⁴..... (swim), he ⁵..... (notice) something bright under the water. He immediately ⁶..... (dive) down to the bottom and ⁷..... (find) a 500-gram gold bar! He ⁸..... (take) the gold to the local police station, but he doesn't know yet if he can keep the gold or not.



- 7 Complete the meanings with the correct words and their opposites.

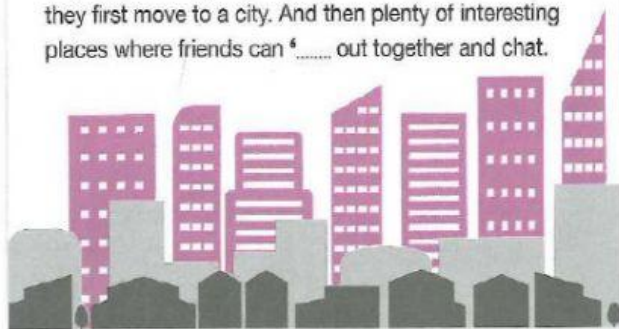
ancient dark dull exciting huge light
modern ordinary special tiny

- Something that is very old is The opposite is
- Something that is boring is The opposite is
- At night it is outside. The opposite is
- Something that is normal and not different in any way is The opposite is
- Something that is very small is The opposite is

- 8 e For each question, choose the correct answer.

What are the ingredients of the perfect city?

There's a competition each year to find the world's most liveable city. But what do you need in the perfect city? Well, a good transport system is important, so you can travel around easily and not get ¹..... somewhere with no way of getting home. Good schools are important for young people so they know they can ²..... good results in their exams. Another important ingredient is plenty of activities to ³..... part in. These should include regular activities and also new things that catch your ⁴..... and encourage you to have a go at something different. But it seems the most important thing is friends. There need to be places where people can go to ⁵..... new friends when they first move to a city. And then plenty of interesting places where friends can ⁶..... out together and chat.



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| 1 A stuck | B fixed | C kept | D tied |
| 2 A score | B pass | C get | D find |
| 3 A have | B take | C do | D try |
| 4 A ideas | B mind | C attention | D thought |
| 5 A search | B make | C look | D win |
| 6 A hang | B meet | C relax | D spend |