

3 Complete the sentences using the word in capitals. Use words from the table in Exercise 2.

- 1 Our neighbours are friendly so we have a good relationship with them.
- 2 Most agree that sea levels will continue to rise in the coming years.
- 3 The huge waterfall was so that I couldn't hear a word anyone said.
- 4 In an area of such high, we must provide new jobs for local people.
- 5 Our situation on the island seemed as we had no water or food left.
- 6 The 800-kilometre journey in an old bus with hard seats was very
- 7 Our plan to save the trees was and sadly they have all now been cut down.
- 8 The of so much rainforest will have a terrible effect on the climate.

RELATION

SCIENCE

NOISE

EMPLOY

HOPE

COMFORT

SUCCESS

LOSE

Advice

1 The article 'a' and the adjective 'good' mean we need a noun. If people are 'friendly' we probably get on well with them, so we have 'a good relationship'.

2 The verb 'agree' needs a subject, probably a kind of people. It is plural so this noun must be plural, too.

3 The missing word describes 'waterfall' so it's an adjective. If the person 'couldn't hear' it means there was a lot of noise.

4 After the adjective 'high' we need a noun from 'employ'. If 'new jobs' are required, there can't be enough now, so the meaning will be negative.

4 These sentences written by First candidates each contain word formation errors. Correct the mistakes. Which of 1-10:

- use the wrong affix?
- have a spelling mistake?
- confuse singular and plural?

- 1 The paramedics gave him first aid and, without *loosing* a second, put him in the ambulance.
- 2 More and more people in my country are out of work and *unemployments* is getting worse.
- 3 I think the fact that only 60 per cent of the money will go to the hospital is *inacceptable*.
- 4 The gang must have been very careful, because the police could find no *evidences* at all.
- 5 You can develop a good *relation* with your pet over time.
- 6 They work with *scientifict* institutions to study the environment in the area.
- 7 I think that this is a good way to solve the *disagree* between Pat and his friend.
- 8 I am *hopefull* that I will be able to do this job in the future.
- 9 I had to work for 100 hours a week and ate at *unregularly* times.
- 10 *Employeers* should provide insurance for all of their staff.

5 The missing word describes 'situation' so it must be an adjective. That situation was clearly negative.

6 We need an adjective to describe the 'journey'. We must make 'comfort' negative by adding both a suffix and a negative prefix.

7 The word 'sadly' shows it is a negative idea, so we need an adjective to describe 'plan' with a negative prefix.

8 After the article 'the' we need a noun meaning something lost, but we need to be careful with the spelling.

