

Exercise 4

Read the information. Then read the six extracts. Decide if each word in bold is an *adjective*, a *verb*, or a *noun*.

In IELTS sentence completion tasks, it's important to consider the form of the word you are expected to write. Before you listen, read the sentences carefully and try to identify the type of word. Often, it will be a *noun*, an *adjective* or a *verb*. Identifying the correct type of word will ensure that you write it in the correct form.

1. So starting from prehistoric times and **ancient** () cultures – all the way up to the 21st century.
2. So we should start by looking at what people used before money was **invented** ().
3. OK, so before money I think it was all about **trade** (). So, like, in prehistoric times, people probably **exchanged** () all kinds of things – things that might have no **value** () today.
4. And I'm sure they gave each other **useful** () things as well, you know, like **tools** ().
5. But they were very **valuable** () then, so people really wanted them.
6. Maybe people used bronze to make their **coins** ().