Lesson 2: Life in the UAE

Activity 1 Vocabulary

Use the words of the list to complete the text

sunset – divers – rest – sunrise – Gulf – rope - oysters

Pearl Diving in the UAE

Pearl diving is a traditional job in the Arabian ① ..... Pearl diving season starts in June. Many ② ..... go together in boats to find pearls. There are around 20 people in a boat. They find pearls in animals called ③ .....

In the past, pearl diving was different. It was a long day. Pearl divers worked from ④ ..... to ⑤ ..... Divers went into the water with a ⑥ ..... on their feet. They were underwater for three or four minutes looking for oysters. Then they pulled the rope and went back to the boat. After a short ⑦ ....., they went back into the water and collected more oysters.

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