UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLOGICA EMILIANO ZAPATA
5th Quarter READING AND WRITING

This is a short reading about a girl who worked in Canada for a while; she talks about some differences between Mexico and Canada. Let's know about them.

SEE YOU NEXT VACATION CANADA

Viridiana is a young girl who spent three years working in Montreal, Canada.
Now, she is working in Mexico again. Some friends ask her to talk about differences between Mexico and Canada because they want to go to Canada in winter.

Viridiana says that one of the main differences between Mexico and Canada is the weather; in Mexico we do not have an extreme cold in winter, while in Canada it gets around -20 Celsius degrees.
People in Canada are used to it, because houses, stores, restaurants and more places have heating. If people want to go out, they will wear proper clothes for the cold. They will wear thick jackets, special boots over the shoes, winter hats and scarfs.

If you go to the bus stop, you will find airproof, glass- like shelters that protect people from snow. Buses are always on time. If you take a taxi, you will pay more money and you need to call it before.
If you want to use your car, you will need to plug it to the electricity because the oil and the water of the car are frozen.
Although, it is very cold, you will find that stores and restaurants are open if you go to malls or downtown. If you want to buy something in a store, you will pay beside the price the tax, it is 15% of the price.

You will pay 25 dollars for each person if you want to have dinner in an average restaurant. Along with the bill, you have to tip with 15% of the bill.
If you want to buy fruits and vegetables, you will pay a lot, because they aren't produced in Canada, for example, a pound of apples (two or three ones) is 5 dollars plus 15% of tax. It is more than two dollars for an apple, and it's the same for other fruits or vegetables: bananas, avocados, lettuce, or mangos.

In Mexico, if people have holidays, they will go to the beach. Likewise, you will have fun if you go to Canada, because you can go skiing in the mountains or ice-skating in some places in the city. If you take a trip through the woods with sled dogs, you will see amazing winter landscapes. It is an unforgettable experience.



UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLOGICA EMILIANO ZAPATA
5th Quarter READING AND WRITING

ACCORDING TO THE TEXT, MATCH THE WORDS WITH THEIR MEANINGS

Likewise Plug Tip Heating Be used to Tax Proper Pound Thick Weather

_____appropriate, suitable, right

_____ equipment or devices used to provide heat

_____ a unit of weight equal to 0.4536 kg.

_____ climate

_____an obligatory contribution to the government

_____ connect

_____ be accustomed to

_____ whit opposite sides or surfaces that are great or relatively great distance apart.

_____ money give to someone as reward for their services.

_____ in the same way, also

TRUE OR FALSE?

1. Viridiana is living in Canada	TRUE	FALSE
2. Viridiana's friends want to go to Canada next Summer	TRUE	FALSE
3. Winters are too cold in Canada	TRUE	FALSE
4. Public places in Canada have heating	TRUE	FALSE
5. In Canada, there are special clothes in winter	TRUE	FALSE
6. In Mexico, there are shelters at the bus stop	TRUE	FALSE
7. In Canada, people plug their cars before using them in winter	TRUE	FALSE
8. Buses are punctual in Canada	TRUE	FALSE
9. In Canada, taxes are beside the price	TRUE	FALSE
10. In Canada, isn't common to tip in restaurants	TRUE	FALSE

UNIVERSIDAD TECNOLOGICA EMILIANO ZAPATA
5th Quarter READING AND WRITING

WRITING. A friend of yours wants to get a job in another state and wants your advice. Using the conditionals (zero, first and second) write about the advantages and disadvantages of getting a job in another state. (100-120 words)





