Vocabulary
Problems in neighborhood

Task 1 Translate these phrases, check in the Word List.

Rubbish on the streets
Lack of parks/trees
Heavy traffic on the roads
Street hawkers
Stray animals
Overcrowded public transport
Smells and noise
Graffiti
Beggars
Dog/bird mess
Cars/motorbikes parked on the pavements

Task 2

2 a Match the words in the two columns to form phrases.

A	B
1 lack	a on the pavements
2 heavy traffic	b of trees
3 stray	c mess
4 overcrowded	d public transport
5 bird	e animals
6 cars parked	f on the roads

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b Use the phrases in Ex. 2a to complete the sentences below.

1 I hate cleaning up the ..... from my balcony.

2 A major disadvantage in our city is the ..... . There's no green anywhere.

3 I'm sorry I'm late. There was ..... .

4 I feel so sorry for ..... that I sometimes end up taking them home.

5 Although ..... is never pleasant, I never take my car to work.

6 People in wheelchairs cannot get around with all the ..... .

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