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VOCABULARY

1 Write T (true) or F (false) next to each sentence. Pay attention to the words in bold.

..... 1 If something is **dirt cheap**, you don't have to pay for it.
..... 2 People try to **overcome** things that they enjoy.
..... 3 If you do something **by mistake**, you are not aware of it.
..... 4 **Budget airlines** offer attractive prices.
..... 5 People often go to the office for a **workout**.
..... 6 Learning something **by heart** is easy for people who don't have a good memory.

2 Choose the correct answer. Pay attention to the words in bold.

1 It's important that you are aware of the **side effects** of this *medication / allergy*.
2 He's so **upbeat**. Where does he get his *money / energy*?
3 When I get home, I'm going to **feast on** my favourite *biscuits / programmes*.
4 **High season** is a time when a lot of people are *ill / on holiday*.
5 I hope the *medicine / information* **kicks in** soon.

3 Complete the dialogue with the words and expressions below.

breathtaking | wander | life-threatening
lifestyle | unspoilt | relapse

A Hi, Emma. I heard you spent time last summer volunteering in a clinic in Pakistan. How was it?
B It was amazing and I learned so much.
A Did you start work immediately when you arrived?
B No, during our first week, we had a lot of free time to get used to the surroundings and the [1] ..... . A local guide was assigned to our group and we got to [2] ..... in the mountains nearby. I've never seen such [3] ..... views. There's also almost no tourism in the area, so it's a completely [4] ..... region.
A So what kinds of problems did the people at the clinic have?
B They had many [5] ..... diseases that we don't have here in the UK, such as malaria. There's no cure – only treatment to help you feel better. The worst thing is that you can easily have a [6] ..... with malaria. You think you're cured, and then it comes back again.
A Right. So would you consider volunteering again?
B Absolutely! But I'd choose another destination so that I could learn about another culture and its problems.

GRAMMAR

4 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1 If I ..... (be) in better shape, I ..... (run) in today's race.
2 I'm sorry I cancelled the party. If I ..... (feel) better, I ..... (not cancel) at the last moment.
3 I'm exhausted. I ..... (paint) the house all day and I ..... (not finish) yet.
4 I'm so sorry. If only someone ..... (tell) me yesterday, I ..... (call) you.
5 Unless the weather ..... (improve), we ..... (not go) sailing tomorrow.
6 I ..... (not recognise) her at first because she ..... (cut) her hair very short.

5 Rewrite the sentences with the words in brackets. Do not change the original meaning.

1 I'll finish dinner and then I'll take my medicine. (as soon as)
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2 I didn't go with them because I had already seen the film. (would)
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3 I can't join the team because I'm not old enough. (were)
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4 The only time I shop here is when there's a sale. (unless)
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5 We started planning our wedding last year. (been)
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6 We took a break after five hours of work. (when)
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LIVEWORKSHEETS