

5 Read an email from one of the Swiss exchange students to the student in her English host family. Choose the correct option.

¹Dear Miss Natalie Brown, / Hi Natalie ,

² Sorry for not writing earlier / I apologise for the delay in writing to you, but ³ I've been up to my eyes in / I have been extremely busy with my school work. ⁴ I am delighted to be invited / Thanks for inviting me to stay in your house for three weeks.

⁵ I'd like / Please allow me to tell you a bit about myself.

⁶ I was raised / I grew up in Basel and I have quite a big family. ⁷ There are / It consists of three children – two girls and a boy. ⁸ In addition / Also , we have two dogs.

⁹ BTW / Incidentally, have you ever ¹⁰ considered / thought about learning German? You could come and stay with me in Basel.

¹¹ Anyway / In conclusion, my train ¹² gets in to / arrives in London at 2:30 p.m. and ¹³ so / consequently I should be at your house by 3:30 p.m. I hope ¹⁴ that is acceptable / that's OK .

¹⁵ CU soon , / Yours sincerely,

Annika

8 USE OF ENGLISH Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first. Use between two and five words including the word in capitals. Do not change the word given.

1 It's fantastic you've chosen our school for your exchange trip. **DELIGHTED**

We _____ chosen our school for your exchange trip.

2 You must wear school uniform at all times during school hours. **WORN**

_____ at all times during school hours.

3 What is your favourite school subject? **IS**

I'd like to know what _____ .

4 Turn off your mobile phones, otherwise we will take them away from you. **CONFISCATED**

Turn off your mobile phones, otherwise _____ .

5 A meeting for parents is planned so that we can provide them with the necessary information. **ORDER**

A meeting for parents is planned _____ provide them with the necessary information.

9 USE OF ENGLISH Read about the Tower of London and use the information to complete the informal email. Sometimes more than one answer is possible.

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