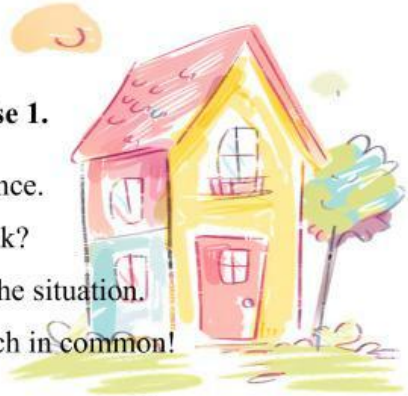
Exercise 1: Match the phrases with their correct meanings.

A. bring home to	**1. To make someone realize something deeply.**
B. it's on the house	2. To tell someone they can feel relaxed in your space.
C. get on like a house on fire	3. to have a strong emotional impact or to become fully understood, often in a personal or painful way.
D. bring the house down	4. To perform so well that the audience is very excited.
E. as safe as houses	5. When something is given for free in a restaurant or bar.
F.hit home	6. When two people become friends very quickly.
F. make yourself at home	7. Extremely safe and secure.



Exercise 2: Complete the sentences using the correct phrase from exercise 1.

1. The comedian was so funny that he .....with his performance.
2. Please, come in and ..... Would you like something to drink?
3. Meeting survivors of the disaster really .....the reality of the situation.
4. The new colleagues .....from the first day—they have so much in common!
5. Don't worry about leaving your bike here; this neighborhood is .....
6. We were so happy when the waiter told us that the dessert .....
7. The reality of losing his job..... when he struggled to pay his bills.

Exercise 3. Replace the phrase in italics, using one of the phrases from exercise 1 in the correct form so the sentences have the same meaning.

1. The actor was so amazing that ***everyone in the theater gave a standing ovation***.

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2. The café owner told us ***we didn't have to pay for the*** coffee.

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3. My best friend and I ***became close almost immediately***.

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4. The news story really ***made me realize*** how dangerous the situation was.

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5. ***Please relax and feel comfortable at my place.***

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6. This building is ***incredibly secure***—you have nothing to worry about.

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