A. Read the passage and choose the correct answer A, B, C, or D

London in the 1880s was a (1) _____ city, lit by a new marvel - gas lamps. Gone were the flickering candles and smoky torches, replaced (2) _____ a network of gas pipes that brought (3) _____ to streets and homes. The lamps cast a warm, yellow glow, illuminating shops, factories, and even grand theaters. This new technology not only improved safety at night but (4) _____ extended the workday and leisure hours. (5) _____, gaslights also had drawbacks. Leaks could cause explosions and fires. The (6) _____ from burning gas could be toxic, leading to health problems. Additionally, the strong light attracted dust and pollution, creating a hazy atmosphere in the city. (7) _____ these challenges, gas lighting remained the dominant form of urban illumination for much of the 19th century, shaping the way Londoners (8) _____ and worked.

1. A. bustling	B. bustled	C. bustle	D. bustlingly
2. A. in	B. by	C. for	D. with
3. A. fuel	B. electricity	C. water	D. light
4. A. too	B. rather	C. also	D. either
5. A. So	B. Because	C. However	D. Therefore
6. A. liquid	B. vapor	C. air	D. fumes
7. A. Though	B. Despite	C. Although	D. Even though
8. A. lived	B. life	C. living	D. to live

B. Rearrange the words and phrases to make complete sentences

1. My parents / proud / me / that / my achievements / they / told / were / of

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2. what we / very / different / The clothes in the 1950s / were / from / wear / today

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3. the backyard / in / a / big red swing set / had / where / I / grew up / The house

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4. outside / playing / time / more / spent / Children in the past / than / children today

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5. delicious / cookies / the / most / bake / used / to / My grandmother / every / weekend

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6. it / simpler / Although life / in the past, / was / many conveniences / lacked / we have today

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