

Weekend Plans and Catching Up: Practice 2

Instructions: Based on the conversation, complete the following exercises.

Exercise 1: Colloquial Synonyms

The speakers use informal language. Match the word/phrase in **bold** from the script with its more formal synonym.

Phrase from Script	Formal Synonym
1. "My week has been hectic ."	A. An alternative or middle ground.
2. "I hope he took the banter well."	B. To establish a close relationship.
3. "How about a compromise ?"	C. Extremely busy and frantic.
4. "It's a great way to bond ."	D. Playful and friendly exchange of remarks.

Exercise 2: Sentence Completion (Logic & Context)

Based on the reasons given in the dialogue, complete the following sentences.

5. Sara initially wanted to have dinner at her house, but they changed plans because

_____.

6. Sara objects to the rooftop lounge because

_____.

7. Leo suggests the park because it is

_____.

Exercise 3: Error Correction

Each sentence contains one error regarding the details of the weekend plan. Rewrite the sentence correctly.

8. **Sentence:** Sara will bring the drinks while the boys bring the snacks.

Correction:

9. **Sentence:** The group decided to meet on Sunday afternoon for a picnic.

Correction:

Exercise 8: Vocabulary Scramble

Unscramble the words from the script that describe Sam's current situation.

10. **LWDEEHMREVO:** Leo tells Sam that if he is feeling _____, the group is there to support him.