



Open Cloze

For questions 1–10, think of **ONE** word which best fits each gap.

Travelling independently can be an exciting experience, but it also requires careful planning. Before leaving home, it is important to think (1) _____ what you really need to pack instead of taking unnecessary items.

Experienced backpackers often advise travellers to pack light because heavy luggage can make it difficult to move (2) _____, especially in busy cities. They also recommend keeping copies of important documents online so that they can still be accessed even (3) _____ they are lost or stolen.

If you are planning a long journey, you should carry a small first-aid kit, (4) _____ may prove useful in an emergency. It is also worth taking a reusable water bottle that can be refilled whenever clean drinking water is available.

Many travellers believe that good preparation is just (5) _____ important as choosing the right destination. Once you arrive, try to take advantage (6) _____ every opportunity to meet local people and experience their culture.

If everything goes according to plan, you (7) _____ probably have a much more enjoyable trip. However, unexpected problems sometimes come (8) _____, so it is important to stay calm and deal with them sensibly.

The memories (9) _____ you make while travelling often remain with you for life, and they may even encourage you to set (10) _____ on another adventure in the future.

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