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Vocabulary

1 Complete the definitions of geographical features.

1 A m _ _ _ t _ _ n r _ _ _ e is a group of mountains.
2 A gl _ c _ _ r is a large area of ice.
3 A p _ _ _ ns _ _ a is an area of land that is almost an island.
4 A r _ _ _ f _ _ _ _ t is an area of trees in a hot, wet climate.
5 A c _ _ _ _ _ _ _ t is a large area of land such as Europe or Africa.
6 A v _ _ _ _ _ _ is a mountain with an opening at the top through which gas and hot liquid can escape.

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2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box. There are two words you don't need.

burst	**crack**	**drought**	**evacuate**	**hurricane**
predict	**reduce**	**strike**	**wave**	

1 Scientists try to _____ when volcanoes might erupt.
2 Weather forecasters try to warn people when a tornado is likely to _____.
3 The river might _____ its banks if the rain continues.
4 During a _____, crops often die because of the lack of rain.
5 There was a _____, with winds of up to 180 km an hour.
6 A tsunami followed the earthquake, and a huge _____ hit the coastal area.
7 The new sea defences will _____ the risk of flooding.

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3 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

1 It's important to *recycle / produce* paper so that it doesn't end up on rubbish tips.
2 The increased use of cars leads to air *quality / pollution* in cities.
3 We've installed some solar *panels / energy* on the roof.
4 The ice in Antarctica is *producing / melting* because of climate change.
5 Wind power is a kind of *renewable / endangered* energy.
6 *Global / Organic* food is grown without chemicals.
7 Polar bears are now an *endangered / illegal* species.

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Grammar

4 Complete the sentences with *a*, *an*, *the* or – (no article).

1 I wanted to be _____ firefighter when I was a child.
2 Vatican City is _____ smallest country in the world.
3 The company has invented a new kind of vacuum cleaner and everyone hopes they will present _____ machine at their annual conference.
4 We live in _____ 21st century.
5 I think that_____ people will live longer in the future.
6 Liam wants to discuss an urgent issue with me, but he hasn't told me what _____ issue is.
7 My uncle lives in _____ Switzerland.
8 There's _____ island in the middle of the lake.
9 Wow! Look at _____ Moon!
10 There were floods last year in _____ Netherlands.

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5 Complete the sentences with the correct relative pronouns.

1 John, _____ had never been interested in the environment, suddenly joined Greenpeace.
2 The price of kale, _____is a vegetable similar to wild cabbage, has doubled over the last couple of years.
3 You can get to the island by ferry in about 10 minutes, _____ is very convenient for tourists.
4 Jo, _____ grandfather was a tribal chief, wants to learn more about Native Americans.
5 A national newspaper has just chosen Solihull, _____ I grew up, as the best place to live.

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6 Use the information in brackets to add a non-defining clause to each sentence. Start and finish with the words provided.

1 Next month I'm going to Tokyo with Jenny. (Her father is Japanese.)
Next month _____
_____Japanese.
2 Ann and Phil are starting a new environmental project. (They have worked together for ten years.)
Ann and Phil, _____
_____ environmental project.
3 The book tells the story of a group of people living on a desert island. (They have a lot of adventures there.)
The book _____
_____adventures.
4 Central Park is one of my favourite places. (It is in the middle of Manahattan.)
Central Park, _____
_____ favourite places.
5 The documentary about polar bears has won many awards. (It was on Channel 1 last night.)
The documentary _____
_____many awards.

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