

WORD FORMATION

Reading and Use of English

Read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of some of the lines to form a word that fits in the gap in the same line.

Edible rooftops

With the cost of producing and distributing food becoming (**INCREASE**)

_____ expensive, consumers are having to pay far higher prices for their food. In many cities around the world this has led to a new _____ (**MOVE**) to produce food which is grown _____ (**LOCAL**).

The idea is to cut the distances food has to travel and to have

_____ (**RELY**)

sources of fresh vegetables

available for people living in big cities.

The main _____ (**DIFFICULT**) with growing vegetables in a city is that land is very expensive, so using space which is currently being wasted, such as rooftops, is seen as one _____ (**SOLVE**).

There are hundreds of unused places that could play an important role in creating a more sustainable environment, although clearly it would be

_____ (**POSSIBLE**) for rooftop gardens to provide all the vegetables needed for a whole city, especially as rooftops are not the _____ (**EASY**) places to grow vegetables. There needs to



be a good supply of rainwater and plants need some _____ (PROTECT) from the wind.

Our summer in Cornwall

Last year my family went to Cornwall, in the south west of Britain, for our summer holiday. My brother and I went surfing, but my parents, who aren't very (ADVENTURE) _____, spent their time reading and painting on the beach. They were able to do this every day because, _____ (USUAL) for Cornwall, it didn't rain at all while we were there. My mother's an artist, and she loves Cornwall because of its _____ (NATURE) beauty and the light, which she says is _____ (REMARK).

My brother and I focused on developing our surfing skills. We were told which areas to avoid, because it



was too _____ (RISK) to surf there. The local people were very _____ (FRIEND), and told us which parts of the sea to treat with caution. They can also predict when and where dangerous currents will probably be. The most _____ (MEMORY) day for me was when I _____ (SUCCESS) rode a huge wave, without falling off my board; it was absolutely _____ (THRILL).