A number of students choose to take a gap year between leaving school and going to university. They usually travel, or gain some work experience during this time. Some go and do voluntary work. Alice Ter Haar, our reporter, interviewed one school leaver who is taking a gap year next year.

Alice: So, Kami, what [1] .............................................. (you / do) in your gap year?

Kami: Well, first of all, I [2] .............................................. (fly) to East Africa to do some voluntary work. A new welfare project [3] .............................................. (start) on Monday. I [4] .............................................. (work) there for about six months, and then I [5] .............................................. (go) down to Antarctica.

Alice: Why there?

Kami: I [6] .............................................. (have got) a place at Southampton University next year to study environmental science. My main interest is in climate change, and so I [7] .............................................. (travel) to places where the climate's already been affected. I want to gain some experience of working in different climates.

Alice: That sounds amazing! When are you leaving?

Kami: My plane [8] .............................................. (take off) at 7 this evening.