Reading and Writing for Grade 6
Unit 9 Topic: Rescued!

Directions: Use the words from the text to complete the sentences.

set off	planned	signal	batteries
protected	raw	emergency	services
sunburn	dehydration	peak	mist
dramatic			

1 When the bride arrived at the door, she made a dramatic entrance – she looked like a princess!

2 You can't use a mobile phone in the desert because there is no _____.

3 Salad is made of _____ vegetables – they aren't cooked.

4 Firefighters, police officers and paramedics are all part of the _____.

5 We _____ on our trip to the seaside early so we would arrive by lunchtime.

6 We wore hats and stayed under trees so we wouldn't get _____.

7 Runners have to drink water during a race so they don't suffer from _____.

8 If you don't have electricity, laptop computers can work on _____.

9 As the water in the lake was warm and the morning air was cold, there was a beautiful _____ above the water.

10 We _____ our holiday carefully. We knew which hotels we were going to, and which tourist attractions we were going to see.

11 The mother _____ her baby from the sun with an umbrella.

12 Many try to climb to the _____ of Mount Everest, but only a few succeed.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Answer the questions. Write *S (Sea Rescue)* or *M (Mountain Rescue)*.

In which story ...

1 were the people rescued from the same family? ____

2 did somebody make a phone call? ____

3 did somebody send a text message? ____

4 were they lost for more than one day? ____

5 did the weather help them? ____

6 did they set out without checking the weather forecast? ____

7 did they suffer from too much sun and not enough food or water? ____

8 were they rescued in the evening? ____

Write *True* or *False*.

____ 1 Ben was sailing to Murray Island when the weather changed.

____ 2 They were lost at sea for more than a week.

____ 3 They ate nothing the whole time so they lost weight.

____ 4 They were rescued by their family.

____ 5 Luc and Marc were coming down Snowdon when they were rescued.

____ 6 They were surprised by the bad weather.

____ 7 It was after dark when Luc phoned for help.

____ 8 It took the whole night to get them down.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Match the questions and answers.

1 Where did the fishing boat get lost?
2 Where did the men climb the mountain?
3 What caused Ben and Michael to lose control of the boat?
4 What caused Marc and Luc to get lost?
5 Who needed medical help after they were rescued?
6 What should Marc and Luc have listened to?

a a storm
b Ben and Michael
c The Coral Sea
d weather forecast
e Tom and Joe
f misty weather
g Wales

LIVEWORKSHEETS