

1 GRAMMAR

Choose the expressions that best complete the sentences.

1. Cathy has decided to give up her high-powered job and do something more personally satisfying (like) / *as though* several of her friends have done.
2. Doesn't it seem *the way* / *as if* more people are trying to live a simpler life?
3. Elena feels *as* / *as though* she spends too much of her time commuting, so she is looking for work that she can do from home.
4. Today's kids don't have a lot of free time, *as* / *as if* we did when we were growing up, but they have many more opportunities.
5. Schools should offer music and art *as if* / *the way* they did when I was a student.
6. *As* / *As though* my aunt always says, "Make new friends, but keep your old ones."
7. Some days I feel *as if* / *the way* time passes too quickly.
8. *Like* / *As though* my mother before me, I serve a traditional dinner on special holidays for my family to enjoy.



2 VOCABULARY

Choose the expressions that are best exemplified by each situation.

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| a. anticipate a change | c. cope with change | e. resist change |
| b. bring about a change | d. go through a change | f. welcome a change |

- e 1. Sherri's friends want her to move to Los Angeles with them, but she keeps coming up with reasons why she shouldn't go.
- ___ 2. Mr. Viera's ideas encouraged our company to find ways for employees to work more closely with other departments.
- ___ 3. After being on a plane for eight hours, Eun-ju was happy to finally land in Hawaii and begin her vacation.
- ___ 4. When Mark retired from his job, he started playing golf and volunteering at the food bank.
- ___ 5. Our school is in the process of moving to a new building and revising the schedule, so it's a challenging time for everyone.
- ___ 6. We've realized it's time to move to a bigger house. We plan to start looking for a new place next month.