

Reading on Gold Experience B2 SB page 50-51

"Cityscapes or city fakes"

- 5 e** Read the article again. Match the questions (2–10) with the paragraphs (A–D). Each paragraph may be chosen more than once.

In which paragraph does the writer say that

- 1 deliberate flooding has made the city what it is?
- 2 the advantages of successful cities didn't influence how towns were planned?
- 3 people have been responsible for mishaps in transport trials?
- 4 the effort to control an energy supply redefined the landscape?
- 5 expanding cities have left fewer areas for new buildings?
- 6 some doubt the ability of new ideas to solve housing and environmental problems?
- 7 beneath the surface this shopping street has nothing to offer?
- 8 residents were moved away from homes that had been owned by their families?
- 9 attempts have been made to avoid tall buildings?
- 10 greater consideration of past concerns might have avoided the town having problems now?

- 6** Find words in the text that mean the following.

- 1 not real (text A)
- 2 damaged on the surface (text A)
- 3 large and impressive (text B)
- 4 belonging to a family member who lived a long time ago (text B)
- 5 useful features in a building or a place (text C)
- 6 problems (text C)
- 7 more and more (text D)
- 8 protected from cold, etc. (text D)