

Exam practice

Adverbial clauses

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Reading and Use of English Part 2

For questions 1 – 8, read the text below and think of the word which best fits each gap. Use only **one** word in each gap. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Life in Spain

Spain is a vast and varied country, and its people have (0) few things in common (1) _____ for their friendliness, sociability, and hospitality. Spaniards have a reputation for not letting work get in the way of enjoyment, and for spending as (2) _____ time and energy as possible on their social lives. Their frequent use of the word *mañana* – leave things (3) _____ tomorrow – is seen as being characteristic of this tendency. While this may be a stereotypical view of Spanish life, it is true that many people organise their working hours (4) _____ as to make the most of their free time. Spaniards are sociable (5) _____ that they like nothing better than spending time with friends and relatives. Eating together is an important part of social life, and large groups often (6) _____ up for dinner. Not (7) _____, Spain is thought to have more restaurants per head of population than any (8) _____ European country.