PARCIAL 1: USE OF ENGLISH

1- Imagine you have to compare Argentina and Antartica. Complete these sentences

a- Argentina is .....(safe) than Antartida because of.....(good) weather conditios
b- Antartida is .....(big) than Argentina
c- Argentina is .....(crowded) than Antartida and is .....(populated)
d- Antartida is .....(clean) than Argentina because it is .....(polluted)
e- Travelling to Antartida is .....(dangerous) than travellig to Argentina

2- Now Compare Argentina, Brazil and Canada

i- Canada is .....(large) of the three
ii- Brazil is .....(hot)
iii- Argentina is .....(beautiful)
iv- Canada is .....(cold)
v- Argentina is .....(exotic)

3- Are you planning to visit Argentina. Complete this information for tourists

You have to get a visa from the Argentinean _____[1]before you come, Tourists _____ [2] get a job without a work _____. The _____[3] currency is the Argentinean peso you can use _____ _____[4] but you should always carry some _____[5]with you. At night, you _____[6] walk alone in big cities, it can be dangerous. In case of emergencies, _____[7] 911 for police. Tourists don't need to get a new driving _____[8] and they can drive in Argentina but they should know we drive on the _____[9] _____[10] side of the road.

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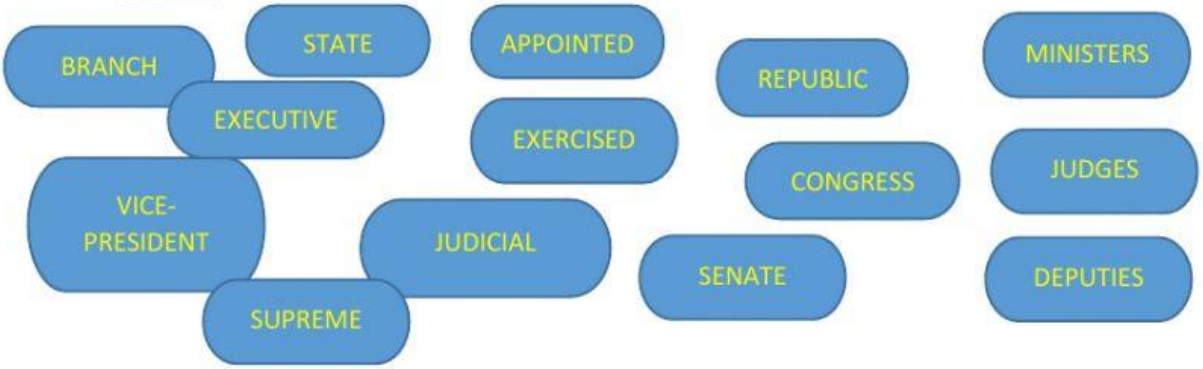
4- Some interesting information about our country. Drag the words to complete the text



The government of Argentina, is a Federal Representative …… The President of Argentina is both head of ……and head of government. …… power is …… by the President. Legislative power is vested in the National ……..

The …… power is independent from the Executive and from the Legislature. The cabinet of …….. is …… by the president

The …… belongs to the legislative ……., since the position also holds the presidency of the Senate.

The Congress consists of the …… (72 seats), presided by the Vice-President of the Nation, and the Chamber of …….. (257 seats), Senators stay in office for six years, and deputies, for four.

The Judiciary Branch is composed of federal …….. and a …….. Court with nine members.

1- A nice place to visit in Buenos Aires is the Obelisk. Choose the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

The Obelisco de Buenos Aires (Obelisk of Buenos Aires) .....a national historic monument and icon of Buenos Aires. It .....in the Plaza de la República in the intersection of avenues Corrientes and 9 de Julio, it ..... in 1936 to commemorate the quadricentennial of the first foundation of the city.

Construction .....on March 20, 1936, and it ..... on May 23 of the same year. It ..... by architect Alberto Prebisch . the building ..... 200,000 pesos moneda nacional, The obelisk .... the German company G.E.O.P.E. - Siemens Bauunion - Grün & Bilfinger, which .....its work in a record time of 31 days, with 157 workers. The rapid hardening Incor cement ..... and ..... in sections of 2 meters. Lines B, C, and D of the Buenos Aires Metro ..... stations near the monument, and ..... by a number of underground passages with commercial galleries. A new line .....soon. The monument .....by millions of tourists every year. If you come to Buenos Aires The Obelisk .....a must-see attraction.