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Fill in the gaps with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

~~feel~~ tell not remember stop had decide  
wait want run get out take drive lie  
see break help stay save

I <sup>1</sup> was feeling bored one morning last week so I  
<sup>2</sup> ..... to go to a nearby lake. While I  
<sup>3</sup> ..... there, I <sup>4</sup> ..... a  
 man lying at the side of the road. I  
<sup>5</sup> ..... the car and <sup>6</sup> .....  
 to see if he was all right. The man explained that he  
<sup>7</sup> ..... along the road and then  
 suddenly collapsed. He <sup>8</sup> ..... how  
 long he <sup>9</sup> ..... there, but he thought  
 that he <sup>10</sup> ..... his leg. I  
<sup>11</sup> ..... him into the car and  
<sup>12</sup> ..... him to the nearest hospital. I  
<sup>13</sup> ..... there because I  
<sup>14</sup> ..... to see if he was all right. After I  
<sup>15</sup> ..... for an hour and a half, the  
 doctor came and <sup>16</sup> ..... me that the  
 man <sup>17</sup> ..... a heart attack and I  
<sup>18</sup> ..... his life.

**2** Fill in the gaps with the correct positive, negative or question form of *used to*, *be used to* or *get used to*. Sometimes there is more than one possible answer.

- 1 When I was younger, I used to eat a lot of burgers.
  - 2 I grew up in the country so when I first came to London I ..... city life.
  - 3 I don't think I ..... ever ..... speaking English all the time!
  - 4 We've just moved to Australia, and we ..... slowly ..... the different customs.
  - 5 My grandparents ..... drive – they preferred to walk.
  - 6 ..... you ..... living in such a hot country yet?
  - 7 Where ..... you ..... live when you were at college?
  - 8 The office ..... be very noisy, but it's much quieter now.
  - 9 Nick works as a waiter in the evenings, so he ..... going to bed late.
  - 10 John's only been in Germany a few days so he still ..... driving on the right.
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3

Fill in the gaps with the correct form of a phrasal verb.

- 1 Could you p~~ass~~ this message on to the rest of your classmates?
- 2 When you drive around the farm, be careful that you don't r~~un~~ any chickens.
- 3 I couldn't w~~understand~~ why everyone was looking at me.
- 4 I used to be quite good at boxing, but then one day somebody k~~icked~~ me and I didn't c~~ontinue~~ for about ten minutes.
- 5 We've just heard that a bomb has g~~one~~ near the airport.
- 6 I didn't really want to go to the wedding, but it t~~urned~~ to be a lot of fun.
- 7 I always get really nervous when the plane is just about to t~~ake off~~.
- 8 I was really scared so I r~~an~~ as fast as I could.
- 9 Don't worry, this isn't a true story, I'm just m~~aking~~ it.

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Complete the sentences with these connecting words.

~~because of~~ However despite instead of  
even though as due to apart from whereas

- 1 She didn't go for a walk because of the rain.
- 2 We decided to go on the trip because it was terribly expensive.
- 3 He ate everything except the vegetables!
- 4 They decided to stay at home instead of going abroad this summer.
- 5 The concert in the park was cancelled because the singer was ill.
- 6 Dan loves jazz, while his girlfriend only likes classical music.
- 7 The style of the novel is simple, but the ideas in it are quite complex.
- 8 They managed to climb to the top of the mountain despite the thick snow.
- 9 Many trains were cancelled because of problems on the railway.

## 5

Complete these second conditional sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 If I found (find) a mobile phone on a train,  
I 'd take (take) it to the lost property office.
- 2 Imagine you ..... (have) the chance to travel  
for six months, where ..... you .....  
(go)?
- 3 Assuming I ..... (be able to) go wherever I  
wanted, I ..... (go) to South America.
- 4 Supposing you ..... (not have) enough  
money to get home, what ..... you  
..... (do)?
- 5 John ..... (buy) himself a sports car if he  
..... (have) enough money.
- 6 If you ..... (be) really hungry, ..... you  
..... (steal) some food?

## 6

Complete these third conditional sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Emma would have been (be) terrified if she  
'd been (be) there when the thief broke in.
- 2 If I ..... (see) the accident, I  
..... (call) the police.
- 3 We ..... (not be) late if the car  
..... (not break down).
- 4 How ..... you .....  
(get) home if Gary ..... (not lend)  
you his car?
- 5 Our journey ..... (might be)  
quicker if we ..... (take) the train.
- 6 If I ..... (know) it was a secret,  
I ..... (not tell) anyone.



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Fill in the gaps with *who, that, which, whose* and *where* if necessary. Put – if no word is needed.

*A Wild Sheep Chase* is the extraordinary novel <sup>1</sup> that brought its author, Haruki Murakami, to public attention. The book, <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ is set in Japan, begins simply enough. A young man <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ works for an advertising agency, gets a postcard from a friend. He decides to use the postcard, <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ shows a photo of a country scene, for an advertisement <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ his company is making. However, he doesn't notice that in the photo there is a sheep <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ has a star on its back. This photo attracts the attention of a strange man in black, <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ offers him a choice – find the sheep or lose everything. The search for the sheep takes the main character, <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ name is never revealed, from Tokyo to the mountains of northern Japan, <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ he has to face a number of dangers. Haruki Murakami, <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ other books are available in English, is now one of Japan's best known writers.

