

Advanced Listening Task

You will hear an explorer called Richard Livingstone talking about a trip he made in the rainforest of South America. For questions 1-8, complete the sentences.

A Trip to the Rainforest

Richard and Matthew abandoned their boat because they couldn't get past a _____ 1

They decided to walk through the jungle as far as the _____ 2 marked on the map.

Richard says that during the walk, they were always both _____ and _____ 3.

The first sign of human activity that they found was a _____ 4 .

In a deserted camp, they found some soup made from unusual _____ 5 .

Richard says that by the time they had reached the camp, they were lacking in _____ 6.

Richard says that after the meal, they began to feel _____ 7 about what they'd done.

Before leaving the camp, they left the sum of _____ 8 to thank their host.

One word three gaps

Find a single word that can fill all three gaps in each group of sentences below. The word must be in the same grammatical form.

For example:

I got a lot of _____wear_____ out of that coat.

The carpet needs replacing – it's starting to show signs of _____wear_____.

The shop has a new range of casual _____wear_____ for men and women.

1. _____

The team were nearing the summit when the monsoon _____.

We arrived at Narita just before the dawn _____.

One of the rhinos _____ cover and charged straight at them.



2. _____

I'm sure Maria will for the beach as soon as she'll be unpacked.

How do you think Fritz will each month, with his new job ?

He's achieving great results, I'm sure the management will him sales manager next year.

3. _____

She's _____ to find out about it one day – you can't keep it a secret forever.

After leaving Paris, the train was _____ for Istanbul.

The two parties are not legally _____ until the contract has been signed.

4. _____

I'm sorry – I didn't quite _____ what you said.

The police launched a huge inquiry to _____ the killer.

Don't stand out in the rain – you'll _____ your death of cold.

5. _____

He was angry and _____ at her for no reason.

When she arrived at the party, Charlotte suddenly _____ out of it and started to look more cheerful.

She _____ her briefcase shut and left the room in a huff.

6. _____

She has instinctive good _____ in clothes and always looks good.

I thought your joke was in pretty poor _____ and could have offended someone.

He's so nice – why don't you like him? I suppose there's no accounting for _____.

7. _____

I thought there was a certain coldness in his _____ when he spoke to me.

I suppose you could call us opera fans in a _____ of speaking.

He earned his living by painting pictures in the _____ of the early Impressionists.