

Task 1: Listen and write **ONE** word.

1. there were small houses, (1)_____ and hotels in the past but now there are a lot of big (2)_____ and (3)_____ towers.
2. In the past, people used to ride bikes and (3)_____, but now there are a lot of means of (4)_____.
3. People in the past played (5)_____ games have many ways to (6) _____ themselves such as electronic devices, amusement parks, cafes, (7)_____, etc.
4. the quality of life in the past was (8)_____ and had a normal life, but now people's lives are (9)_____ complex than in the past.

Task 2: Read the text and answer the questions.

My city in the past and now

Firstly, in the past, there were small houses, buildings and hotels but now there are a lot of big houses and tall towers. Secondly, there weren't electric motorbikes, planes, trains,...in the past, people used to ride bikes and horses, but now there are a lot of means of transportations. Thirdly, Because today's life has become modernized, people have many ways to entertain themselves such as electronic devices, amusement parks, cafes, supermarkets, etc. People in the past only played folk games. Finally, the quality of life in the past was simple and had a normal life, but now people's lives are more complicated than they were in the past because people's quality of life is rising.

1. What are some differences between the houses, buildings, and hotels in the past and now?

2. What are some means of transportation that were not available in the past?

3. How do people now entertain themselves?

4. What is the difference between the quality of life in the past and present?
