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Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with one word in each gap.

- Jill dropped _____ of the dance team because she didn't have time to go to practice.
- I tried not to lose touch _____ my old classmates when I moved to a different town.
- I fell _____ with my best friend when I discovered she had lied to me.
- I look _____ to my older brother because he is generous and brave.
- Joey picked _____ some dance moves while watching his sister's hip hop class.

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2 Complete the sentences with words formed from the words in CAPITALS.

- You shouldn't eat too much chocolate because it's very _____. FAT
- The idea that people are starving when there is so much food in the world is _____. THINK
- Fresh vegetables are better for you than _____ ones. TIN
- That athlete's _____ is amazing – he simply never gives up! RESILIENT
- I'm afraid the accident was _____. No one could prevent it. AVOID

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3 Complete the text with the words in the box. There are three words you don't need.

track	traffic	journey	short cut
cable	transport	suspension	rush

After reading about the new 280-metre-long
 1 _____ bridge in Taiwan, we were
 determined to go and see it. We couldn't get there
 by public 2 _____, so we hired a car to
 get there. We left during the morning 3 _____

hour, so the trip was very slow. My friend, who is
 very impatient, decided to take a 4 _____
 instead of going on the main road, so of course we
 got lost and ended up on a dirt 5 _____
 in the middle of nowhere. We did eventually get to
 the bridge, but it is so long and high that I was afraid
 to cross it! Never mind, it was still a very scenic trip.

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Grammar

4 Choose the correct verb forms.

- How long *have you been going / are you going / have you gone* out together?
- I'm afraid Tom isn't here. He *must leave / must have left / must left* early today.
- What *have you / did you / would you* use to do in the summer holidays when you were young?
- We'll miss / We'll be missing / We won't miss* our train unless we hurry.
- Hurry up or everyone *will leave / is leaving / will have left* by the time we get to the party!

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5 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- _____ (you / want) to come to the cinema with us later?
- While you _____ (ski), I found a nice place to go for dinner.
- I'll let you know when your parcel _____ (get) here.
- This time tomorrow we _____ (sit) in the departure lounge at the airport.
- The bird we saw must _____ (be) an eagle. No other bird is as big as that.

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6 Correct the mistakes in the sentences. One sentence is correct.

- I can't stand to watch TV all evening!

- Look! I think that might been a lion over there.

3 My parents used to get married in 1992.

4 We'll leave when Tom gets here.

5 That was a difficult job. It can't be easy for you!

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Use of English

7 Decide which answer, A, B, C or D, best fills each gap.

Last summer I decided to go on a special summer camp for teenagers who study a lot and don't always get enough exercise. I knew that I needed to ¹ _____ in shape, and I thought it might be a fun way to do it. My parents offered to drive me to the camp, but I decided to travel ² _____ train because this was something I wanted to do on my own. When I reached my destination after a three-hour train ³ _____, I was feeling quite nervous. However, I soon relaxed. There were thirty other teenagers there, all with the same aim – to get fitter and learn how to stay healthy. We spent the first day just socialising ⁴ _____ each other and getting to know each other, then began a two-week programme of exercise and lessons on food and nutrition. I loved it! I came home lighter, fitter and much happier. And the best bit was the football match we played against the staff – I ⁵ _____ the winning goal!

- 1 A keep B come C fall D become
2 A in B on C by D with
3 A travel B journey C voyage D tour
4 A at B to C for D with
5 A scored B beat C won D achieved

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8 Complete the text with one word in each gap.

Natalie Jones decided ¹ _____ become a professional chef while she was still a teenager.

She has ² _____ cooking since she was ten years old and has always wanted to work in a top restaurant. At first, her parents wouldn't ³ _____ her go to catering college to study cooking. They wanted her to go to a 'proper' university to study an academic subject. However, when she started doing a course in her free time, they realised that she ⁴ _____ be serious about her ambition. Natalie is now in the second year of a full-time course, and is determined to keep learning and working ⁵ _____ she achieves her dream of being a chef.

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9 Complete the text with the correct form of the words in CAPITALS.

My friend Amanda is very creative, and although I've always been ¹ _____ at making things, I agreed to let her teach me how to paint in watercolours. I thought it would be an ² _____ experience, and that I might be able to make a picture that was ³ _____ if not really beautiful. After encouraging me to relax and go with the flow, Amanda asked me to paint some flowers, and I couldn't believe how ⁴ _____ my first effort was! Her teaching was a real ⁵ _____, and now painting is one of my favourite things to do.

HOPE

EDUCATE

ACCEPT

SUCCESS

INSPIRE

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10 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first. Use between two and five words including the word given.

- 1 You can't force teenagers to work hard at school. MAKE
You _____ hard at school.
2 I'm happy to help you. MIND
I _____ you.

- 3 It isn't possible that Jo stole the money. CAN'T
Jo _____ the money.
- 4 My dad was very good at sport when he was young. USED
My dad _____ at sport when he was young.
- 5 It will stop raining, and then we'll go on our bike ride. SOON
We'll go on our bike ride _____
_____ raining.

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Reading

11 Read the text and answer questions 1-4.

Have you ever dreamed about opening a restaurant? If so, then you have something in common with me. Ever since I was a small boy I wanted to be a chef, with much of my childhood spent in the kitchen with my grandma making cakes and sweet things. Back then, my main ambition was to work in a restaurant, but since taking a number of stressful and badly paid jobs in different restaurants, my ideas have changed. When I first started to talk about my big plans, many people told me it was an impossible dream. They thought there was too much risk involved, particularly since there are so many restaurants close to where I live. However, I'm happy I didn't listen to them. It's actually quite possible to follow any dream you have as long as you are ready to deal with some difficulties and enjoy taking on new challenges. If you really love what you do, it may be the best step you have ever taken.

There are a number of things to consider before you go ahead with your plan. Money is always a big issue. There are a lot of things you need to buy before opening to customers such as furniture and supplies, and then once you open there will be staff to pay. They will need to be paid even during times when there isn't a lot of business so you need to have money in the bank. I'd recommend having enough money saved so that you can continue to serve customers for two or three months even without making any money. Otherwise you might have to shut down before you even get going. The next thing to consider is how to get customers. Choosing a popular location is vital, but even more

important is offering a unique and interesting experience to diners. I love going to restaurants that serve unusual food or have a special atmosphere. You can do that by offering live music or hanging original art on the walls. I visited a lot of different restaurants when I was considering what my place should look like, and that helped me to decide what was important. I ended up opening a restaurant serving traditional food as I realised there was nothing like that in my local area.

The final aspect is becoming known to the public. Social media is a great tool for making sure that people hear about your restaurant, but traditional advertising is also important. Not everyone, in particular older people with plenty of money, use social networks, and you don't want to miss the opportunity to serve them. You can also organise special events that people will be excited to attend. Most importantly, show how passionate you are about the food you serve, the way you treat customers and the experience you offer. With enough love and dedication, you really can succeed.

1 Why did the writer's friends think opening a restaurant was risky?

2 What can go wrong if you don't have enough money in the bank?

3 How did the writer decide what type of restaurant to open?

4 Why is traditional advertising also important?

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