

Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with the missing words. The first letters are given. There is one space for each missing letter (Write the full word).

- 0 It's a real skill to see the p o t e n t i a l in young children to become future world class athletes.
- 1 She's waited all her life for someone to f _ _ _ for her, but it finally happened and now they are madly in love.
- 2 I feel so bad after every meal. I think there is something wrong with my d _ _ _ _ _ _ _.
- 3 I don't agree with keeping animals in c _ _ _ _ _ _ _ and think all zoos should be shut down.
- 4 We went for a walk in the forest and ate lunch next to a s _ _ _ _ _. It was amazing to cool our feet in the cold water.
- 5 It's unlikely he's going to a _ _ _ _ _ his goal as he doesn't work hard enough.

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the box. There are TWO extra verbs.

win	fall	go	take
suffer	begin	work	bring

- 0 I'm so excited about the Christmas sales. We're going bargain-hunting in the morning.
- 1 Even though she's been working really hard, she's behind the rest of the class after her two-week absence.
- 2 I don't know what to do to the respect of my boss. Everything I do upsets her.
- 3 We the ascent at 4 a.m. and were on the peak at sunrise.
- 4 The family agony after they lost each other in the earthquake. They were only reunited five years later.
- 5 The government are in a new law which will mean large corporations have to reduce their plastic usage.

3 Complete the sentences with one word in each gap.

- 0 We are now ready to release the baby turtles into the wild. They have grown strong enough to survive on their own.
- 1 It took the police ages to figure what had happened.
- 2 They tried to talk me going on holiday with them, but I decided to stay at home.
- 3 We find it hard to understand how people can survive in places with no to clean water. It's so bad for your health to drink dirty water.
- 4 Someone broke the window of the pet shop and four parrots are now on the .
- 5 We are waiting for the rain to come to bring an end to this . It hasn't rained here for months and the ground is so dry.

Grammar

4 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Last week my parents asked if I could help them. They ⁰ were trying (try) to book a holiday and it all had to ¹ (do) online. I asked them why ² (they / not want) to book it at the travel agent's in the town centre, but they told me that the online holiday was about £200 cheaper. So I promised to help. I wish I ³ (know) how long it would take. I should have kept track of the time too. ⁴ (I / watch) the clock, I wouldn't have been two hours late for my girlfriend's party. Never ⁵ (I / see) anyone as angry as my girlfriend was when she opened the door!

5 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first.

- 0 You should switch off your computer at night.
Your computer should be switched off at night.
- 1 The firefighters have put out the fire.
The _____
by the firefighters.
- 2 We know that the Romans built a lot of roads.
The Romans _____
a lot of roads.
- 3 You should apologise to her.
It's time _____
her.
- 4 I find it surprising that so many people objected to the idea.
What _____
so many people objected to the idea.
- 5 We should have gone to the hospital when he first hurt himself.
If only _____
to the hospital when he first hurt himself.

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

- 0 I'll have been making a million dollars before you even finish school.
I'll have made a million dollars before you even finish school.
- 1 Rarely I have seen such a good film.

- 2 Leonardo da Vinci is said to design the first helicopter in the 1400s.

- 3 My parents warned me don't be home late.

- 4 I won't call you unless I have some news for you.

- 5 Don't forget to let me know what time you're arriving, do you?

Use of English

7 Complete the text with one word in each gap.

I think I'm quite a fair person. As a ⁰ rule, I don't judge people by their appearance, gender or race. What I'm saying ¹ _____ that these allegations against me are completely unfair. Not only ² _____ I treat everyone equally, but I actively encourage minorities to apply for higher positions in my company. I don't like ³ _____ accused of discrimination, and I really don't understand why these allegations have been made. Yes, I did dismiss Miss Smith last month, but that wasn't because of sexism. She just wasn't doing her job properly. It's ⁴ _____ time someone explained what's going on. ⁵ _____ I known there would be all this fuss, I would have thought twice about asking Miss Smith to leave.

8 Complete the text with the correct form of the words in capitals.

I believe that teachers are greatly ⁰ <u>undervalued</u> and are not given enough appreciation in our society. Teachers are essential if we want to continue to make progress and ¹ _____ previous generations. Not only do they ensure that the population is not ² _____, they do a great deal to transform lives. Teachers enable students to think for themselves, which is ³ _____ for the whole of society. Unfortunately, there has been a(n) ⁴ _____ in the number of people entering the profession. This is mainly due to ⁵ _____ salaries and poor working conditions.	VALUE
	DO
	LITERATE
	BENEFIT
	TURN
	ADEQUATE