

PRACTICE 6

Read the text below and correct the underlined errors.

A Beautification Programme in Kampung Indah

True to its name, Kampung Indah was judged the most beautiful village in the state of Kedah last month. The village was selected (0) basing on its natural beauty as well as overall cleanliness and cooperation (1) between the villagers. The village covers an area of 35 hectares (2) which a population of 600. According to the spokesman, a village beautification committee was set up (3) earlier this year. The committee's main task was to draw up a plan to (4) beautiful the village as soon as possible. Every family in the village (5) were willing to help in keeping their village clean and beautiful. They cooperated among themselves to make sure that the drains were not (6) clog. They also ensured (7) whose the children's playground was properly maintained and not vandalised. The villagers also planted flowers (8) but shrubs to make the surroundings attractive. Many of them also painted their houses and even the flower pots.

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Difference of the prepositions *between* and *among*:

- The preposition *between* is used for two people, e.g. You can share the food *between* the two of you.
- The preposition *among* is used for three or more people, e.g. Luke is the smartest *among* all the students.