

- Describe hometowns, cities, and countries.
- Make recommendations about places to visit.

1 Complete the text with the correct words.

I visited a new neighborhood last weekend. At first, it looked very _____ and beautiful, but some areas were quite _____ and not very clean. The apartments were small and _____, so I didn't feel very comfortable. Some restaurants were very _____, so I couldn't afford to eat there, but others were more _____ and nice. The streets were sometimes _____ and full of people, which made the environment a bit _____.

However, there was also a park that felt very _____ and _____, and I really enjoyed spending time there. In general, it was a _____ place, but not perfect.

2 Listen and select the correct options to complete the text.

Silver Bay is a **really** / **too** beautiful place by the ocean. The beaches are **very** / **too** clean, and the water is **extremely** / **too** clear. The hotels are **too** / **fairly** comfortable, but some of them are **very** / **too** expensive for tourists. The city center is **pretty** / **too** small, so it's easy to walk around.

At night, the restaurants are **really** / **too** crowded, so it can be difficult to find a table. The music in some places is **too** / **very** loud for older visitors. However, the atmosphere is **extremely** / **too** lively and fun. The streets are **too** / **fairly** safe, and people are **too** / **pretty** friendly. Overall, it's a great place, but sometimes it's **very** / **too** busy.

3 Drag the correct conjunction for each sentence.

however

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but

though

1. The park is very beautiful, _____ it is also very clean.

2. The apartment is comfortable, _____ it is too small.

3. The city is very noisy. It's exciting, _____.

4. The traffic is terrible. _____, the subway is fast and convenient.

