Vocabulary

1 Complete the sentences with one word in each gap.

1 I sometimes fall _____ with my best friend, but we never stay angry for long.
2 I take _____ my mum with my brown eyes and small ears.
3 I like to hang _____ with my friends at a local café.
4 My family came to cheer me _____ when I entered the baking competition.
5 Lucia picked _____ her cooking skills from her grandmother.

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

1 The accident was _____. There was nothing they could do to prevent it. AVOID
2 Mark is a _____ person who doesn't worry about anything. CARE
3 The new restaurant is very _____, with all of the most fashionable dishes. TREND
4 It was _____ that she would lose the competition because she was such a talented cook. THINK
5 Tim should follow the news more closely, because he's really _____ when it comes to current affairs. INFORM

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

catch	rush	easy-going	jam
stuck	fresh	miss	rude

My friend and I decided to go to Spain for the holidays. Of course, we weren't ready on time and we were afraid we might [1]_____ the train to the airport, so we took a taxi. Unfortunately, it was [2]_____ hour, so we got [3]_____ in traffic and it took us ages to get there. Then we discovered that we were at the wrong terminal, so we had to [4]_____ a bus to another part of the airport and we barely made our flight. Luckily, we're both quite [5]_____ so we didn't get stressed, and we certainly didn't let such minor problems spoil our holiday!

Grammar

4 Choose the correct verb forms.

1 *I don't want / I'm not wanting / I haven't wanted* to go out now.
2 When I was young, I *used to live / have lived / would live* on a farm.
3 While we *have been waiting / were waiting / had waited* for the train, I ate my sandwiches.
4 Everyone looks happy. England *must have won / will have won / must win* the match.
5 *We'll go / We won't go / We will have gone* skiing unless the insurance is too expensive.

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

1 I _____ (not / used to / play) computer games very much, but now I love them!
2 I was amazed that I came third in the race because I _____ (never / run) a marathon before.
3 I'll call you as soon as I _____ (get) home.
4 By Christmas, if I stick to this diet, I_____ _____ (lose) over ten kilograms.
5 Where's Tom? He _____ (forget) about the meeting because we were talking about it earlier.

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

1 I didn't used to enjoy sport when I was young.
_____

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2 Sam fell over while he was running for the bus.

_____

3 I can't find my purse. I think I might left it at school.

_____

4 Sara won't be able to do sport again until her wrist will be better.

_____

5 This time next week I'll lying on the beach in Spain.

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Use of English

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

I love travelling by plane! We usually have to set [1]_____ very early because a lot of flights leave first thing in the morning. I usually wear old, comfortable clothes during the [2]_____ so that I can relax. I love that feeling when I sit down in my seat and [3]_____ my seatbelt, and I know the plane is about to take off. I don't usually have a [4]_____ meal before I leave, but I have a snack because the food on the plane is never very nice. Some people dislike flying, but for me it always provides a [5]_____ from my everyday routine, and I can sit back and enjoy being far above the earth.

1 A off	B away	C after	D over
2 A journey	B tour	C voyage	D travel
3 A lock	B join	C tie	D fasten
4 A fat	B heavy	C strong	D hard
5 A time	B stop	C break	D distance

8 Complete the text with one word in each gap.

Two years ago, Emma Branson's seven-year-old son Adam decided that he wanted to become a vegetarian. He [1]_____ always enjoyed meat before then, but he suddenly [2] _____ stand the idea of eating animals. Emma was worried of course, but she soon realised that she couldn't [3]_____ her son eat anything he didn't want to eat. She decided to go with the flow and just make sure that he had a balanced [4]_____ by providing plenty of different foods. Adam has [5]_____ following his vegetarian diet for two years now, and he seems fit and healthy.

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

My cousin Sam is a lovely person, but he's [1]_____ naive and often gets himself into trouble because he believes nearly everything people tell him. The fact that he's a [2]_____ musician puts him even more at risk, and people who realise that he is a [3]_____ rather than a practical person try to take advantage of him. Still, all of us are very proud of his [4]_____ as an artist, and it is very [5]_____ for us to see how he manages to get through life and enjoy himself despite the scrapes he gets into.	HOPE SUCCESS CREATE ACHIEVE EDUCATE

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 She isn't allowed to stay out late. LET
Her parents don't _____ late.

2 They finally brought the fire under control. MANAGED
They finally _____ under control.

3 It's possible that Mike left early. MIGHT
Mike _____ early.

4 My grandfather used to play with me every day. WOULD
My grandfather _____ every day.

5 We'll go outside when it stops raining. UNTIL
We _____ it stops raining.

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