

1. Fill in the gaps

Choose the correct word from the box.

Words: battered, fled, persecution, settle, adventurous, rely on, fluffy, moist, flaky, frequent, consequently, reluctant, labourers, plentiful, trudge back, bland, sprinkle, liberally

1. After walking in the rain for hours, the hikers looked tired and _____.
2. Many people _____ their country because of war and violence.
3. Religious _____ forced many families to leave their homes.
4. They decided to _____ in a small village near the sea.
5. My brother is very _____ and loves trying extreme sports.
6. You can always _____ your best friend in difficult times.
7. The pancakes were soft and _____.
8. Keep the cake in a container so it stays _____.
9. The pastry was delicious and wonderfully _____.
10. She makes _____ trips to the library every week.
11. He missed the bus; _____, he arrived late to school.
12. The child was _____ to speak in front of the class.
13. The _____ worked long hours building the road.
14. Food was _____ after the successful harvest.
15. After the football match, we had to _____ home through the mud.
16. The soup tasted _____ because it needed more spices.
17. Please _____ some cheese on top of the pasta.
18. The chef added herbs _____ to improve the flavour.

2. Match the word to the definition

Word	Definition
1. battered	a. unwilling or hesitant
2. persecution	b. soft, light, and full of air
3. adventurous	c. treated badly over a long period
4. fluffy	d. happening often
5. frequent	e. ready to try new or risky experiences
6. reluctant	f. cruel treatment because of beliefs or identity
7. bland	g. lacking strong flavour
8. plentiful	h. existing in large amounts

3. Choose the correct answer

1. If someone is “reluctant,” they are:

- a) excited
- b) unsure or unwilling
- c) angry

2. “Flaky” food is usually:

- a) hard and dry
- b) smooth and wet
- c) light and breaking into thin layers

3. “Consequently” means:

- a) as a result
- b) before that
- c) sometimes

4. “Labourers” are people who:

- a) work, especially physical jobs
- b) give work
- c) travel often

5. To “sprinkle” something means to:

- a) cut it into pieces
- b) add small amounts over a surface
- c) remove completely

6. If food is “bland,” it:

- a) has little flavour
- b) is very spicy
- c) smells terrible

4. Fill in the gaps — Cooking Verbs

Words: bake, grill, barbecue, boil, fry, poach, roast, scramble, steam, stew, stir-fry, toast

1. We usually _____ burgers outside during summer parties.
2. To make tea, first _____ some water.
3. My dad likes to _____ chicken in the oven with potatoes.
4. She decided to _____ the vegetables to keep them healthy.
5. I always _____ bread for breakfast.
6. They _____ the onions quickly in a hot pan with oil.
7. He learned how to _____ eggs without breaking the yolk.
8. We _____ sausages over a fire while camping.
9. My grandmother likes to _____ beef slowly with vegetables.
10. You should _____ the cake at 180°C for 40 minutes.
11. She _____ the eggs with cheese and butter.
12. In many Asian dishes, people _____ meat and vegetables together very quickly.

5. Match the cooking method to the definition

Cooking Method	Definition
1. bake	a. cook food in hot oil
2. boil	b. cook over direct heat outdoors
3. fry	c. cook food using dry heat in an oven
4. grill	d. cook in very hot water
5. steam	e. cook using steam from hot water
6. stew	f. cook slowly in liquid