

DOWNTOWN

*"I live uptown but I love downtown."
Andy Warhol*



We are going to learn:

- 📌 describing places (making comparisons)
- 📌 describing what people are doing
- 📌 now (making simple inquiries)

UNIT 3

UNIT 3 DOWNTOWN

Common Expressions

Downtown is busier on Mondays.

A skyscraper is higher than a school building.

Which city is more beautiful? Hatay or Sinop?

The street is more crowded than the park.

What is she doing at the moment?

She is feeding the street cats.

She is reading a book right now.

Where do you live?

Do you live in a city or in a village?

Is your city crowded?

Do you like your hometown?

Konya is larger than Burdur.

The shopping centre is noisier than the park.

What are you doing right now?

Who is washing the car?

My grandma is knitting.

My uncle is younger than my father.

My sister and I are playing chess.

City life is better than village life.

There is nothing to do in a village.

You can grow your own vegetables in a village.

Cities are more crowded and noisier.

Şehir merkezi pazartesileri daha yoğundur.

Bir gökdelen bir okul binasından daha yüksektir.

Hangi şehir daha güzeldir? Hatay mı Sinop mu?

Sokak parktan daha kalabalıktır.

O şu anda ne yapıyor?

O sokak kedilerini besliyor?

O şu anda bir kitap okuyor.

Nerede yaşıyorsun?

Bir şehirde mi yoksa bir köyde mi yaşıyorsun?

Senin şehrin kalabalık mı?

Doğup büyüdüğün yeri beğeniyor musun?

Konya Burdur'da daha büyüktür.

Alış-veriş merkezi parktan daha gürültülüdür.

Şu anda ne yapıyorsun?

Arabayı kim yıkıyor?

Benim büyükannem örgü örüyor.

Amcam babamdan daha gençtir.

Kızkardeşim ve ben satranç oynuyoruz.

Şehir hayatı köy hayatından daha iyidir.

Köyde yapacak bir şey yok.

Kendi sebzelerini yetiştirebilirsin köyde.

Şehirler daha kalabalıktır ve daha gürültülüdür.

VOCABULARY 1

Buildings / Places

favorite / favourite	→	favori, en beğenilen
skyscraper	→	gökdelen
school	→	okul
shopping centre	→	alış-veriş merkezi
kiosk	→	büfe
museum	→	müze
hospital	→	hastane

park
village
street
downtown
uptown
city
town
farm

→	park
→	köy
→	sokak
→	çarşı, şehrin merkezi
→	şehir merkezinin dışında
→	şehir
→	kasaba
→	çiftlik

EXERCISES

1

Write the words under the pictures.

kiosk

museum

village

downtown

hospital

farm

skyscraper

school



1 skyscraper



2 farm



3 school



4 village



5 downtown



6 kiosk



7 museum



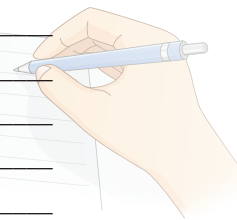
8 hospital

2

Find the hidden words. Then write them in the spaces.

- frtwejskngshsnbjseruptownbnsbhavh
- xcvbnmjszaswebnhysdhjcitybnjsweri
- jnkhhbvcshtertstreetqaswedfrthbxcvfs
- hnjshoppingcentremkijnjcghbhjuserdt
- drtunbhjgsdertyunhparkmknkjyhyscvi
- ghbsytrfmuseumbnhscgdrtnbnzxcvfnx
- fgstryhnjskjjvillagenmjksidfertybnhvgi
- hnbgtysdghrtswaqazxcvskyscrapernm

town _____
 city _____
 street _____
 shopping _____
 park _____
 museum _____
 village _____
 skyscraper _____



VOCABULARY 2

ADJECTIVES

busy	→	meşgul, yoğun, işlek	heavy	→	ağır
high	→	yüksek	tall	→	uzun
beautiful	→	güzel	short	→	kısa
crowded	→	kalabalık	slim	→	zayıf, ince
cheap	→	ucuz	easy	→	kolay
clean	→	temiz	thin	→	zayıf
old	→	yaşlı, eski	fast	→	hızlı
slow	→	yavaş	happy	→	mutlu
young	→	genç	sad	→	üzgün
nutritious	→	besleyici	fat	→	şişman
middle-aged	→	ortayaşlı	peaceful	→	huzurlu, sakin
large	→	büyük	small	→	küçük
quiet	→	sessiz	low	→	alçak
healthy	→	sağlıklı	relaxing	→	rahatlatıcı
enjoyable	→	eğlenceli	interesting	→	ilginç
noisy	→	gürültülü			
boring	→	sıkıcı			
strong	→	güçlü			
big	→	büyük			



EXERCISES

1

Complete the sentences with the words below.

middle-aged

interesting

high

peaceful

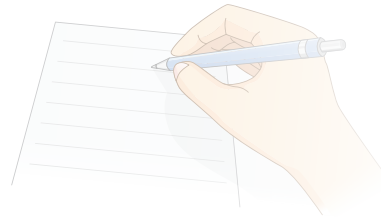
crowded

sad

nutritious

slim

- My town isn't boring. It's **interesting**.
- I don't like big cities because they are **crowded**.
- Skyscrapers are very **high** buildings.
- My sister isn't happy today. She is **sad**.
- Wilma isn't fat. She is **slim**.
- Eggs and olives are **nutritious**.
- I love this park. It's so **peaceful**.
- My uncle is **middle-aged**.



2

Look at the pictures and circle the correct options.

1



low / **high**

2



noisy / **quiet**

3



slow / **fast**

4



relaxing / cheap

5



easy / **strong**

6



young / old

7



thin / **healthy**

8

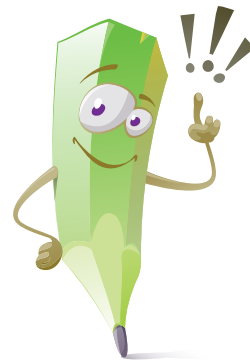
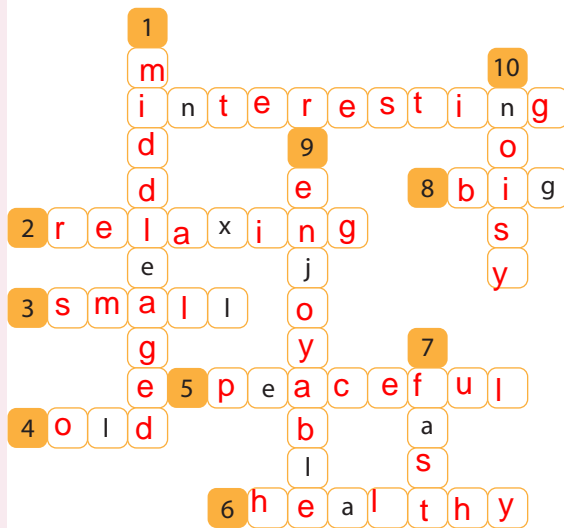


heavy / small

LEARN STEP BY STEP

3

Solve the puzzle.



VOCABULARY 3

ACTIVITIES / ROUTINES

read a book	→ kitap okumak	play football	→ futbol oynamak
feed the animals	→ hayvanları beslemek	draw a picture	→ resim çizmek
wash the car	→ arabayı yıkamak	run	→ koşmak
read a newspaper	→ gazete okumak	have a barbeque	→ barbekü yapmak
do homework	→ ev ödevi yapmak	set the table	→ masayı hazırlamak
ride a horse	→ ata binmek / at sürmek	take a nap	→ şekerleme yapmak (uyku)
ride a bike	→ bisiklet sürmek	knit	→ örmek
swim	→ yüzmek	play chess	→ satranç oynamak
play tennis	→ tenis oynamak	make a cake	→ pasta yapmak
climb	→ tırmanmak	water the flowers	→ çiçekleri sulamak
		have a party	→ parti yapmak



EXERCISES

1

Complete the sentences with the words below.

picture

animals

newspaper

homework

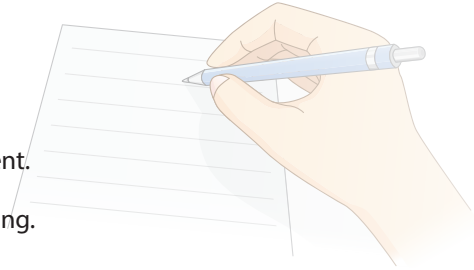
flowers

barbeque

table

football

1. My grandfather is reading a **newspaper** in the living room.
2. Do you play **football** in your free time?
3. Can you set the **table**, please?
4. Let's have a **barbeque** at the weekend!
5. Judy is feeding the **animals** at the moment.
6. Kate likes drawing a **picture** in the evening.
7. Who is watering the **flowers**?
8. When does your brother do his **homework**?



2

Match the words / phrases with the correct pictures.

a. take a nap

b. climb

c. knit

d. play chess

e. ride a horse

f. run

g. wash the car

h. ride a bike

1



f

2



e

3



h

4



a

5



d

6



b

7



g

8



c

LEARN STEP BY STEP

3

Find the 10 words in the word-search puzzle. Then complete the phrases.

x	n	a	n	i	m	a	l	s	w	g	x
b	a	z	x	v	b	m	c	x	o	x	n
a	q	h	o	m	e	w	o	r	k	b	e
r	e	x	z	a	c	v	b	b	m	k	w
b	o	o	k	q	z	t	e	n	n	i	s
e	v	g	w	z	v	q	x	v	b	i	p
q	w	p	i	c	t	u	r	e	x	n	a
u	z	x	v	j	o	m	c	v	p	w	p
e	e	b	o	o	k	x	o	r	k	j	e
f	l	o	w	e	r	s	b	h	w	q	r
c	r	t	q	a	v	b	n	h	z	x	v
w	p	a	r	t	y	x	c	a	k	e	q

1. have a

2. make

3. have a

4. water the

5. read a

6. read a

7. play

8. draw a

9. do

10. feed the

barbeque

a cake

party

flowers

newspaper

book

tennis

picture

homework

animals

VOCABULARY 4

NOUNS

building
hometown

→ bina
→ memleket doğup büyüdü-

hamburger
omelette

→ hamburger
→ omlet

chicken
car

→ tavuk
→ araba

party
family

→ parti
→ aile

uncle
cousin

→ amca / dayı
→ kuzen

grandpa
sister

→ büyükbaba
→ kızkardeş

the country
country

→ kırsalbölge, şehirdışı
→ ülke

height
weight

age
cat

life
dolphin

lion
whale

witch
shopping

traffic jam
garden

vegetable
fruit

parent

→ boy, yükseklik
→ ağırlık, kilo

→ yaş
→ kedi

→ hayat
→ yunusbalığı

→ aslan
→ balina

→ cadı
→ alış-veriş

→ trafiksıkışıklığı
→ bahçe

→ sebze
→ meyve

→ ebeveyn



EXERCISES

1

Circle the correct options in the sentences.

1. There are some beautiful flowers in our **age** / **garden**.
2. Whales and **dolphins** / **countries** are my favourite animals.
3. Your father's brother is your **parent** / **uncle**.
4. I want to live in this **weight** / **country** because it's quiet.
5. **Chickens** / **Lions** are very powerful animals.
6. You look very tall. What is your **fruit** / **height**?
7. Who is your favourite **cousin** / **shopping**?
8. Peppers and cucumbers are **buildings** / **vegetables**.



2

Write the words under the correct pictures.

witch

whale

grandpa

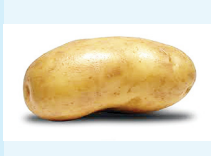
parents

lion

vegetable

chicken

building



1 vegetable



2 chicken



3 witch



4 lion



5 building



6 grandpa



7 parents



8 whale

LEARN STEP BY STEP

3

Find the hidden words. Then write them in the spaces.

1. cxftyrhnsdfrtrtrafficjamnbvcgsdfrabhsermis

traffic jam

2. jnmbvgstrewsaqwxikmnbvmomelettemnk

omelette

3. nhbvcgxfdeslpoklmjhometownbvbnmcsde

hometown

4. kijnmbvcgxzvaqwepcountrydfgthyikkmnjbi

country

5. gvfamilyhswqwsdfrgtsbhnsjhbgmbkvcfgdi

family

6. hjnbbhgvgtscxfrsraqxcvbnjxszacdxweight

weight

7. nbnhvcfdserwqazxcvbnhamburgernmkhjsi

hamburger

8. sxcvzbhnmjsdfrtsistermzbcgslknbcvfresm

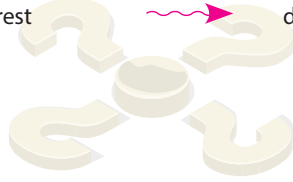
sister

VOCABULARY 5

Verbs

feed	→	beslemek
read	→	okumak
grow	→	yetiřtirmek, büyütmeđ
prepare	→	hazırlamak
sleep	→	uyumak
wash	→	yıkamak
climb	→	tırmanmak

play	→	oynamak
rest	→	dinlenmek



EXERCISE

Write the words under the correct pictures.

rest

play

feed

grow

sleep

read

wash

climb

prepare

sell



1 wash



2 prepare



3 sell



4 read



5 climb



6 sleep



7 rest



8 feed



9 play



10 grow

1-4: For these questions, choose the best options to fill in the gaps.

1.



Kevin

What is your _____ doing?

He's taking a nap.



Peggy

- A) hometown
- B) country
- C) grandpa
- D) building

2.



Jack

I don't like big cities because there is always _____.

- A) height
- B) chess
- C) tennis
- D) traffic jam

3. **Nelly** : Can I water the _____?

Mark : Of course.

- A) flowers
- B) newspapers
- C) hamburgers
- D) chickens

4. Gary isn't a young man. He's _____.

- A) enjoyable
- B) middle-aged
- C) heavy
- D) boring

5.



Chris : What is Tina doing?

Bella : She is _____.

Complete the dialogue according to the picture.

- A) having a party
- B) riding a bike
- C) climbing a tree
- D) playing chess

6.

_____?

- * uncle
- * cousin
- * parents
- * grandpa

Choose the best title for the list above.

- A) Weight
- B) Family
- C) Hometown
- D) Barbeque

7.



Circle the correct option for the pictures above.

- A) kiosk / street
- B) skyscraper / village
- C) hospital / downtown
- D) uptown / museum

8.

- I. feed
- II. read
- III. make
- IV. do
- a. homework
- b. a cake
- c. the animals
- d. a newspaper

Choose the best option to match the halves.

- A) I-d / II-b / III-a / IV-c
- B) I-b / II-c / III-d / IV-a
- C) I-c / II-d / III-b / IV-a
- D) I-a / II-b / III-c / IV-d

9.



Rose

I don't like big cities because they are crowded and _____. I love villages because they are relaxing and _____. My grandparents live in the country. I visit them every weekend. They grow _____ fruit and vegetables in their village.

Which of the following DOES NOT complete one of the gaps in the text?

- A) peaceful
- B) healthy
- C) noisy
- D) heavy

10.

- I. Skyscrapers are low.
- II. Adana is my hometown.
- III. This park is so beautiful.
- IV. Lions are strong.

In which sentence, the underlined word is ODD?

- A) I
- B) II
- C) III
- D) IV

11.



whale



farm



school

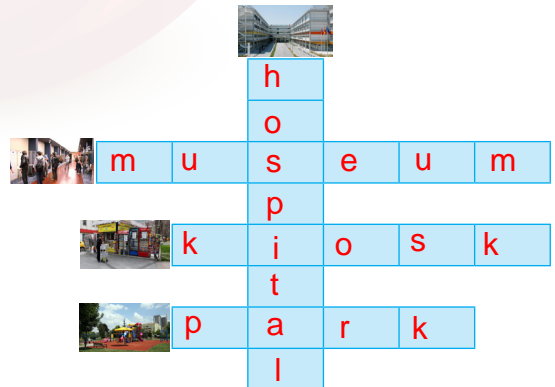


kiosk

Which picture-word pair is WRONG?

- A) I
- B) II
- C) III
- D) IV

12.



Which of the following words DOES NOT complete the puzzle?

- A) downtown
- B) park
- C) kiosk
- D) hospital

GRAMMAR 1

MAKING COMPARISONS

- We use comparative adjectives to make comparisons. Study the rules below.
- We use **“than”** to make comparisons.

RULES	Examples
Short Adjectives : add -er -or -r For adjectives ending in consonant, vowel, consonant: double the last consonant	old older short shorter large larger big bigger
Long Adjectives : use more	crowded more crowded boring more boring interesting more interesting enjoyable more enjoyable
Adjectives ending in -y : add -ier	easy easier happy happier noisy noisier heavy heavier
Irregular adjectives Some adjectives have irregular forms.	good better bad worse much / many more far father / further

EXERCISES

1

Use the correct comparative forms of the adjectives to complete the sentences.

1. Villages are **more peaceful** (peaceful) than cities.
2. I think a town is **better** (good) than a big city.
3. Shopping centres aren't **smaller** (small) than kiosks.
4. Skyscrapers are **higher** (high) than school buildings.
5. Your house is **lower** (low) than my house.
6. Judy is **older** (old) than her cousin.
7. Eggs are **healthier** (healthy) than hamburgers.
8. Kate is **slimmer** (slim) than her sister.

2

Look at the pictures. Use the correct adjectives and complete the sentences in the comparative forms.

1. strong / quiet



A lion is **stronger than** a cat.

2. slow / fast



A car is **slower than** a plane.

3. thin / fat



Alex



Tony

Tony is **thinner than Alex**.

4. high / low



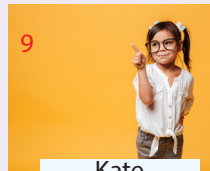
The green house is **lower** than the blue house.

5. crowded / relaxing

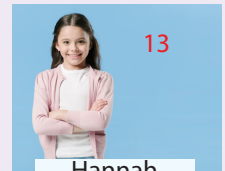


The street is **more crowded** than the park.

6. young / old



Kate



Hannah

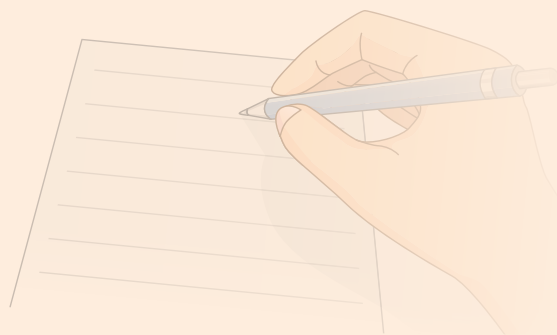
Hannah isn't **younger** than Kate.

3

Write the comparative forms of the adjectives below.

Adjectives

- | | | |
|---------------|------------------------|-------|
| 1. bad | worse | _____ |
| 2. tall | taller | _____ |
| 3. sad | sadder | _____ |
| 4. quiet | quieter | _____ |
| 5. clean | cleaner | _____ |
| 6. cheap | cheaper | _____ |
| 7. nutritious | more nutritious | _____ |
| 8. healthy | healthier | _____ |
| 9. fat | fatter | _____ |
| 10. fast | faster | _____ |
| 11. busy | busier | _____ |
| 12. beautiful | more beautiful | _____ |



GRAMMAR 2

PRESENT CONTINUOUS TENSE

- We use the present continuous tense to talk about the things that are happening now.
- We use **“at the moment, now, right now”** with this tense.
- We can use some question words (How, What, Where, Why) with this tense to make inquiries.
- Study the table below.

Positive	Negative
I am climbing a tree.	I am not climbing a tree.
He/She/It is climbing a tree.	He/She/It is not / isn't climbing a tree.
You/We/They are climbing a tree.	You/We/They are not / aren't climbing a tree.

Question	Short Answers
Am I climbing a tree?	Yes, I am . / No I am not .
Is he/she/it climbing a tree?	Yes, he/she/it is . / No, he/she/it is not - isn't .
Are you/we/they climbing a tree?	Yes, you/we/they are . / No, you/we/they are not - are not .

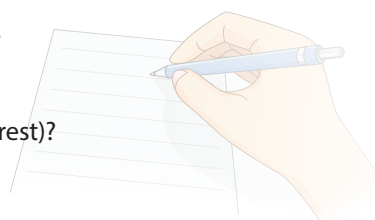


EXERCISES

1

Use the correct present continuous forms of the verbs in the brackets to complete the sentences.

- Tina **is reading** (read) a book in her room.
- What **is** your parents **doing** (do) at the moment?
- The children **are playing** (playing) in the garden.
- Nora and Fred **aren't having** (not have) a party.
- Is** your grandpa **resting** (rest)?
- My sister **is eating** (eat) a muffin right now.
- Are** they **running** (run) in the park?
- Jessica **isn't going** (not go) to the city centre.



2

Look at the pictures. Use the verbs to complete the sentences in the correct forms of the present continuous.

feed



He is feeding the chickens.

do



They are doing their homework.

play



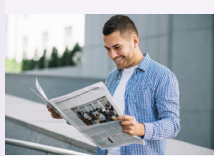
We are playing chess right now.

take



My grandfather is taking a nap.

read



John is reading a newspaper.

ride



I am riding a horse at the moment.

3

Circle the correct options in the sentences.

1. Tony and Barney is / are playing football in the garden.
2. What is Yuka doing at the now / moment?
3. Are they / your sister making a cake?
4. My son is ride / riding a bike in the park.
5. He is / are selling balloons in front of the shopping mall.
6. Cliff are / is helping his mother in the kitchen.
7. A cat is / are climbing a tree.
8. What / Where are your grandparents going?



1-6: For these questions, choose the best options to fill in the gaps.

1.



Lora : Is your grandma knitting at the moment?

Nelly : Yes, _____ .

- A) they are
- B) she is
- C) she does
- D) we is

2.



My parents _____ the flowers in the garden.

- A) is water
- B) am watering
- C) do watering
- D) are watering

3. **Helen** : _____ are they going?

Maggie : They are going to their hometown.

- A) Where
- B) How
- C) Why
- D) What

4. A city is _____ than a town.

- A) big
- B) bigger
- C) more big
- D) more bigger

5.



Ruby

I like villages very much. They are _____ than cities.

- A) more nice
- B) more smaller
- C) more relaxing
- D) more cheap

6. My sisters _____ at the moment.

- A) is swim
- B) am running
- C) are resting
- D) are read

7. I. good
 II. noisy
 III. boring

Circle the correct option for the comparative forms of the adjectives above.

- A) I-better / II-noisier / III-more boring
 B) I-gooder / II- more noisy / III-boringer
 C) I-more good / II-more noiser / III-boring
 D) I-good / II-noisyer / III-more boringer

Answer the questions (8-9-10) according to the dialogue below.

Chris : Where (8) _____ you going, Janet?

Janet : I'm going to my grandpa's village. The village is so relaxing.

Chris : I don't like villages. Cities are (9) _____ than villages.

Janet : I don't agree with you. Cities are (10) _____ than villages.

8.
 A) is
 B) am
 C) do
 D) are

9.
 A) badder
 B) more large
 C) more exciting
 D) crowdeder

10.
 A) nicer
 B) more cleaner
 C) more quieter
 D) noisier

11. I. We are playing football now.
 II. A lion is more stronger than a cat.
 III. What is Ray doing at the moment?
 IV. I'm younger than Sally.
 In which sentence, there is a mistake?

- A) I
 B) II
 C) III
 D) IV

MARK TEST

12.



A: What are you doing?

B: I _____ .

Choose the correct option to complete the conversation.

- A) is knit
 B) am knitting
 C) are knit
 D) knitting

READING

My Life & My City

London is my hometown. It's a very big and crowded city in England. My house isn't in the city centre, so it's always peaceful. There aren't any busy roads or streets near my house. There is a green park behind my house. I ride my bike and play with friends there. I go to the city centre with my parents and sister at the weekend. We like going to the cinema or visiting museums together. The city centre is more crowded on Saturdays and Sundays. The streets are full of cars and people. My sister loves crowded places because she thinks they are more enjoyable. I don't agree with her. I love villages. They are more relaxing and interesting. My grandpa lives in a small village near London. We are in the village now. I'm watering the flowers with my father at the moment. My grandpa is sitting under a tree and reading a newspaper. My mother and sister are in the kitchen. They are making a cake for us.



North



A. Read the text. Then circle T for True and F for False.

1. North lives in a small town.
2. North thinks villages are noisier than cities.
3. North's sister doesn't like quiet places.
4. North is doing nothing right now.
5. North is in grandfather's village right now.

T F
T F
 T F
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B. Read the text again and circle the correct options the sentences.

1. North's house is in front of / behind the park.
2. North's house is close to / far away from the city centre.
3. North likes quiet / noisy places.
4. North is watering the flower / reading a newspaper now.
5. North thinks villages are boring / interesting

DIALOGUES

1

Complete the dialogue with the sentences below.



- A. No, she is riding her bike.
- B. She is in the park.
- C. It's very quiet and relaxing
- D. It's noisy and crowded.
- E. Is Sarah at home?

Emma : (1) E

Mark : No, she isn't. (2) B

Emma : Is she playing with her friends?

Mark : (3) A

Emma : Let's go to the park. (4) C

Mark : That's not a good idea. It's Sunday today. (5) D

2

Complete the dialogue with the sentences below.



- A. I live in the country.
- B. They are more enjoyable.
- C. Which city is more beautiful?
- D. I don't like big cities.

Timothy : Where do you live?

Ricardo : I live in London, but Oxford is my hometown.

Timothy : (1) C London or Oxford?

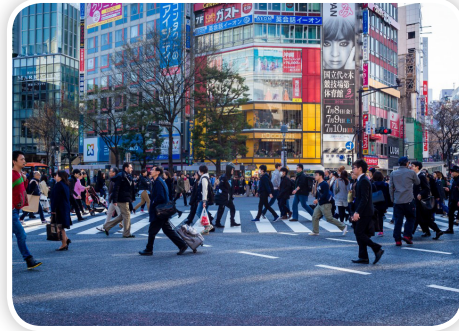
Ricardo : Oxford because it's quieter. (2) D They are noisy.

Timothy : Oh, really? I like big cities. (3) B .

Ricardo : Do you live in a city or in a town?

Timothy : (4) A It's boring.

1.



- I. The street is quieter than the park.
- II. The park is more crowded than the street.
- III. The street is noisier than the park.
- IV. The park is higher than the street.

Which comment is **CORRECT** according to the pictures?

- A) I B) II **C) III** D) IV

2.



Mike

I live in a small town. There aren't any tall buildings or skyscrapers in my town. There are lots of parks around my house. I'm so happy in my town because it's relaxing.

I live in a crowded city. My house is near a noisy train station. I'm not happy here. I want to live in a peaceful village.



Nina

Which of the following is **TRUE** according to the information above?

- A) Mike is sadder than Nina.
- B) Nina likes quiet places.**
- C) Mike doesn't like his town.
- D) Nina lives in a village.

3.



_____ is playing tennis, _____ is reading a newspaper and _____ is riding a bike.

Choose the best option to complete the sentence according to the picture.

A) Nick – Lisa – Paul

B) Paul – Nick – Lisa

C) Nick – Paul – Lisa

D) Lisa – Paul – Nick

4.



Orlando

I live in a beautiful village. It's very _____ and peaceful. I love my village.

I live in a big city. There are many _____ buildings and skyscrapers. The streets are always busy and _____.



Miranda

Which of the following options completes the conversation in the correct order?

A) boring / low / enjoyable

B) young / interesting / quiet

C) relaxing / high / noisy

D) crowded / cheap / middle-aged

5. Gina and Luis are talking about big cities. Gina likes big cities, but Luis doesn't like them.

Which of the following is Gina's speech bubble?

A)

Big cities are more enjoyable than villages.

B)

Big cities are noisy and crowded.


C)

Big cities are boring and expensive.

D)

Big cities aren't more interesting than villages.

6. Answer the question according to the table below.

Activities	Terry	Sid	Jack	Rick
			✓	
	✓			
				✓
		✓		

Who is playing chess?

A) Terry

B) Sid

C) Jack

D) Rick

7.

	Population	Weather (June)
Paris	2, 148, 000	24°C
London	8,908,081	21°C
Ankara	5,445,026	28°C
Tokyo	13,929,286	26°C

Which of the following is **WRONG** according to the information above?

A) Paris is colder in June than London.

B) London is more crowded than Ankara.

C) Ankara is hotter than Paris.

D) Tokyo is more crowded than the other three cities.

8.

	Kuzey	Rüzgar	Damir	Meriç
Age	11	7	8	6
Weight	30 kg	21 kg	26 kg	18 kg
Height	140 cm	128 cm	132 cm	125 cm

Which of the following is CORRECT according to the table above?

- A) Kuzey is younger than Meriç.
- B) Rüzgar is taller than Damir.
- C) Damir is heavier than Kuzey.
- D) Meriç is shorter than Rüzgar.

9.

museum	1.....	hospital
young	old	2.....
3.....	dolphin	lion
cousin	4.....	sister

Choose the best option to complete the table in the correct order.

- A) kiosk / middle-aged / whale / uncle
- B) whale / uncle / kiosk / middle-aged
- C) uncle / whale / middle-aged / kiosk
- D) middle-aged / kiosk / uncle / whale

10.



Helen : What is your grandmother doing at the moment?

Wilma : She is _____ .

Choose the best option to complete the conversation according to the picture.

- A) running
- B) climbing
- C) knitting
- D) resting