

Exercise 2 (Units 6-9)

Part A

Complete the following sentences by underlining the correct words in the brackets.

1. '(How are / How did / What are) you solve the problem yesterday?' my tutor asked.
2. Dad went to the flower market last weekend. (He / We / She) bought an orchid.
3. Jack has a goldfish. He keeps (him / her / it) in a fishbowl.
4. I went to (my friend / my friend's / my friends') place yesterday. Their apartment is comfortable.
5. This is our apple tree. All these apples are (we / ours / yours). You cannot steal them.
6. (That / These / Those) souvenirs are mine. Yours is over there.

Part B

Emma has written an e-mail to her friend, Adam. However, she made some mistakes. Correct the underlined mistakes by writing the correct words in the spaces provided.

To:	adamlui@fastmail.com
From:	emmawan12@teenmail.com
Subject:	Moving to the island!

Dear Adam,

(1) What are you? Have you settled down in Seattle? Do you like your new neighbourhood? (2) Where school do you study in?

(3) Your family and I moved from Wan Chai to Lamma Island last month. (4) That is a lovely place to live. The air is cleaner. The neighbours are quiet and nice, while (5) that in Wan Chai were noisy and rude. (6) Ours apartment is spacious and comfy. We now have the space to keep a dog. Mum bought (7) her a cute poodle. (8) Her name is James. I am so thrilled! I remember that you have a dog too. Which breed is (9) your?

I hope to visit you soon. Let's keep in touch. Drop (10) I an email when you've got time.

Emma

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Part C

Lucas is reading a website article about the art of living in France. Complete the article with the correct pronouns, possessive adjectives or *wh*-words with the correct form of the verbs in the brackets.

How the French Enjoy Life

Work to live, not live to work

People in France are good at maintaining a work-life balance. (1) _____ usually work for 35 hours per week. (2) _____ (do) they do in their free time? They spend quality time with (3) _____ family and friends. At weekends and during holidays, they enjoy hiking, kayaking, swimming, skiing, etc. (4) _____ are popular outdoor activities among the French.

Sit back and enjoy the meal

In Hong Kong, it is common to see people eat while walking on the street; but if you do so in France, (5) _____ will be frowned upon. (6) _____ (be) it so? It is because the French love sitting down and taking the time savouring their food. (7) _____ is a vital part of their food culture.

Crowd onto café terraces

(8) _____ seats _____ (be) the most popular in a café during summer in France? The terraces. (9) _____ under the shadow are not taken at all. That's because light skin is Asians' ideal of beauty, but Europeans' ideal of beauty is very different from (10) _____. French people prefer tanned skin. Sunbathing on terraces and sipping coffee is how they spend time and relax in the afternoon.

Love of art

'An artist has no home in Europe except in Paris,' famous philosopher Friedrich Nietzsche once said. (11) _____ quotation tells (12) _____ how vibrant the art scene is in France, Paris in particular. A lot of French people enjoy cultural activities. To (13) _____, there is nothing more intellectually satisfying than seeing exhibitions, going to the theatre, taking part in poetry reading, etc.