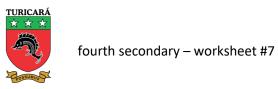


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A. Put the verb in bra	ckets into the correct form. The	first one (0) has been done for you.
Hi Pete,		
Thanks for your email. I (0)	am (be) glad you (1)	(feel) better. Guess what?
Last week I (2)	(walk) to work when I (3	3) (come)
across a poster for a tennis	competition. I (4)	(decide) to take part. The
trials (5)	(be) on Saturday at Oakwoo	od tennis courts. I got there early to
practise a little. While I (6)	(practise), I	nearly (7)
(fall) twice. It's definitely mu	uch more difficult than I (8)	(think). I
(9) (dd	b) try to do my best but I placed last	in the competition! So, I (10)
	(start) lessons next week.	
Write back soon.		
Matt		
B. Fill in the blanks w	vith ONE suitable word. The first o	one (0) has been done for you.
		,
I knew (0) my friends had p	planned a surprise for my birthday, I	out I was not prepared for
(1) happe	ned. They picked me up (2)	my house in the
morning and started driving	without telling me (3)	we were going. When we
arrived (4)	an adventure centre I was very	excited as I had always wanted to
(5) bun	gee jumping and abseiling. I tried al	bseiling (6) I
spent an hour doing (7)	and I got used to	o being (8) the end
of a piece of rope. Then I d	id three bungee jumps. It was abso	lutely amazing. I was exhausted
when I got (9)	home but I didn't care. It was	s the (10)
Saturday ever.		



C. Fill in the blanks with the Definite (the), Indefinite (a/an) article or no article at all (-). The first one (0) has been done for you.

In my lifetime I have visited many European cities: London, Paris, Rome, Madrid. But (0) the one
I like best isn't (1) capital city; it's (2) city of Perugia. Perugia is (3)
very pretty city in Umbria, (4) area in central (5) Italy. There are actually two
parts to Perugia. There's (6) new part, where most people live and the old part with its
beautiful buildings. The city impressed me because it has (7) moving staircases which
take you up through (8) rock to (9) old city. Why don't you go to Perugia? It
is well worth (10)visit.
D. This passage describes a terrifying dinosaur that is being tracked down by hunters who have travelled back in time.
It came on great oiled, resilient, striding legs. It towered thirty feet above half of the trees, a great evil god, folding its delicate watchmaker's claws close to its oily reptilian chest. Each lower leg was a piston, a thousand pounds of white bone, sunk in thick ropes of muscle, sheathed over in a gleam of pebbled skin like the mail of a terrible warrior. And the head itself, a ton of sculptured stone, lifted easily upon the sky. Its mouth gaped, exposing a fence of teeth like daggers. Its eyes rolled, ostrich eggs, empty of an expression save hunger. It closed its mouth in a death grin. It ran with a gliding ballet step, far too poised and balanced for its ten tons. From A Sound of Thunder by Ray Bradbury.
Answer the questions.
1. Quote a phrase that brings out the idea that the dinosaur was very tall.
2. Suggest a reason why the writer calls the dinosaur an 'evil god'.
3. Quote a word that shows that the dinosaur's claws were very delicate.
4. Quote a phrase that brings out the huge size of the dinosaur's legs.



5.	Explain what the writer means by 'pebbled skin'.
6.	What is the dinosaur's head compared to?
7.	Why are the dinosaur's teeth compared to daggers?
8.	Suggest a reason why the writer says that the dinosaur had a 'fence of teeth'.
9.	Why does the writer call the dinosaur's eyes 'ostrich eggs'?
10.	What does the phrase 'it ran with a gliding ballet step' suggest about the way the dinosaur ran?