

### 1 Underline the correct options.

- 1 Have you got a / - brother?
- 2 I can't stand the / - pollution.
- 3 I love the / - old buildings.
- 4 My cousin lives in the / - United States.
- 5 We went swimming in the / - Lake Louise.
- 6 It's a / an unique building.
- 7 I went to the / - India last year.
- 8 I think Annika is an / - architect.
- 9 I have never been south of an / the Equator.

### 2 Mark the sentences correct (✓) or incorrect (✗).

- 1 I really like the hip-hop music. ✗
- 2 Did you see the moon last night?
- 3 I bought a jumper and a hat, but know I don't know where the jumper is.
- 4 I don't like the football very much.
- 5 The teenagers need more sleep than the adults.
- 6 I have good teeth because my mother is dentist.

### 3 Write *a*, *an*, *the* or - .

- 1 Someone is coming to fix the air-conditioning tomorrow.
- 2 I love learning about the wildlife.
- 3 My sister is mad about the horses.
- 4 I bought a new phone, but the screen is broken.
- 5 It's my dream to climb the Mount Everest.
- 6 I want to be a university professor one day.
- 7 I'd love to get a new surfboard.
- 8 Are you going to the south coast this summer?
- 9 The horses we rode yesterday were beautiful.

### 4 Circle the incorrect options.

- 1 A the Atlantic Ocean  
 B the China  
 C the UK
- 2 A the Himalayas  
 B the Rockies  
 C the Mount Fuji
- 3 A the nature  
 B the Sun  
 C the president
- 4 A a river  
 B a forest  
 C a countryside
- 5 A Empire State Building  
 B ruins  
 C pollution
- 6 A the Bahamas  
 B the Havana  
 C the Netherlands

### 5 Complete the conversation with the correct articles. Write - if no article is necessary.

**Imran:** Do you fancy coming to <sup>1</sup> the countryside tomorrow? I've just got <sup>2</sup> a new camera and I want to take some pictures, but I don't know how <sup>3</sup> a slow-motion setting works. I know you're good with <sup>4</sup> the technology and I know you like <sup>5</sup> a nature.

**Vicky:** I'd love to come. Thanks for inviting me.

**Imran:** OK, perfect. There's <sup>6</sup> a bus at nine and another one at ten.

**Vicky:** Let's get <sup>7</sup> a one that goes at nine so we can take more pictures. You're going to be <sup>8</sup> a professional photographer one day.

**Imran:** I wish!

### 1

- 1 *a*
- 2 -
- 3 -
- 4 *the*
- 5 -
- 6 *a*
- 7 -
- 8 *an*
- 9 *the*

Note: We say *a unique* not *an unique* because it begins with a lateral sound /j/, not a vowel.

### 2

- 1 *x*
- 2 ✓
- 3 ✓
- 4 *x*
- 5 *x*
- 6 *x*

### 3

- 1 *the*
- 2 -
- 3 -
- 4 *the*
- 5 -
- 6 *a*
- 7 *a*
- 8 *the*
- 9 *The*

### 4

- 1 B - *the China*
- 2 C - *the Mount Fuji*
- 3 A - *the nature*
- 4 C - *a countryside*
- 5 A - *Empire State Building*
- 6 B - *the Havana*

### 5

- 1 *the*
- 2 *a*
- 3 *the*
- 4 -
- 5 -
- 6 *a*
- 7 *the*
- 8 *a*