

Nombre: _____

1. Read and answer

Gemma and Paul decided to go on holiday together last year. They wanted to go camping because they enjoy being in contact with nature. They are very interested in helping the environment and last year they participated in a school campaign to clean the beach. This time they chose to join a nature camp near the mountains and a lake. They could go climbing and swimming, do aerobics in the open air and play tennis. "You have to carry your swim suit" Gemma told Paul, "but we don't have to take any rackets because they'll give us the equipment there".

Gemma and Paul hardly ever go camping so their parents made a list of the things they had to take. "You have to take a sleeping bag, matches, a water bottle, forks, spoons, a torch, toothbrushes and toothpaste, and sunburn cream." They also had to carry their rain jackets because the weather could be cold and windy in the mountains. At that time of the year it usually rains a lot and sometimes there are storms with thunder and lightning and the children were a bit frightened of storms.

Before leaving the children decided to use these holidays to learn about the habitat and help endangered species. They could talk to environmental groups and make leaflets informing people about the situation.



1- Why did Gemma and Paul decide to go on a camping holiday?

2- What did they do to help the environment?

3- Why did they have to take their rain jackets?

4- The children made some leaflets before the holiday. TRUE FALSE

5- The children don't go camping very often. TRUE FALSE

**2. Read about the children's camping experience and complete with words from the box.
Be careful! There's an extra word**

BECAUSE ANY THERE BEFORE BETTER BEST THAN SO TO MUST BUT

Gemma and Paul got to the camping site and put up the tent. The weather was stormy, _____ they were scared especially at night. _____ was a lot of thunder and lightning. That night Gemma couldn't sleep _____ she was really afraid. She told Paul, "One of us _____ keep guard and the other one can sleep." Paul didn't want to stay awake _____ he was sorry for Gemma and finally accepted. _____ she went to sleep she told Paul "I'd like _____ be at home now!" The following day the weather was _____. There weren't _____ clouds in the sky and it was warmer _____ at night. It was sunny and the children felt happy.



3. Go on reading and complete with words from the box. Be careful! There's an extra word

EAT STOP FRIENDLY AFTERNOON BEST BETTER WATER SWIMMING BACK HUNGRY TIME

The children went running in the morning and did aerobics before lunch. In the _____ it was really warm, so they could go _____.

Their instructor was very _____. He told them "You don't have to come _____ now. You can stay in the _____ as long as you want." The children said, "We are going to _____



swimming now because we are _____." They changed their swim suits and went to _____ some sandwiches. They had a great _____. It was the _____ holiday in their lives.

4. Choose the correct form of the verb.

Gemma can't cook very well, but when she **GO / GOES** camping, she **HAVE / HAS** to cook. She **LIKES / WOULD LIKE** eating pasta or pizza but in the camping site children **HAS / HAVE** to eat tinned food. Yesterday, Gemma **IS MAKING / WAS MAKING** dinner when it **STARTED / STARTS** to rain. The good thing about camping is that you don't have **MAKING / TO MAKE** the bed. The bad thing is that when it **RAINS / IS RAINING**, you get wet. Now the children **ARE SWIMMING / SWIM** but tomorrow it **RAINS / IS GOING TO RAIN**.

5. Gemma and Paul are talking before they go camping. Complete their dialogue with the bubbles.

Would you like to take

Shall we go

Did you put the toothbrushes

What about the sunblock

Why don't you check the suitcase

What would you like to do

Gemma: Let's check that we have everything we need. You check the bag and I look at the list.

Paul: _____

Gemma: Oh, come on. You know you're more careful than I am.

Paul: Ok. Let's see.

Gemma: _____ in the bag?

Paul: Yes, I did. Mum bought us two small toothbrushes to take when we go camping. I put them in the bag yesterday.

Gemma: _____?
Is it there?

Paul: No, it isn't. I thought you were going to buy the sunblock!

Gemma: _____ and get it when we finish?

Paul: OK. But let's hurry. _____ your hat, too?

Gemma: Sure, but I looked in the wardrobe and I couldn't find it. We'll have to ask mum for help.



6. Composition

You are on a camping holiday. You are having a great time. Write a postcard to a friend telling him/her:

- ❖ What you are doing
- ❖ What the weather is like
- ❖ What sports you practise
- ❖ What you have to do
- ❖ What you don't have to do
- ❖ Something you haven't done but would like to do