

KV 53 Test yourself

1 Maksym's story

a) Complete the text with the correct forms of these **verbs + adjectives**:

feel weird look different look friendly look worried smell strange sound loud taste great

My name is Maksym and I was born in the Ukraine, but I've lived in Michigan since I was thirteen. Before we got here, my mom showed me Michigan on the map and pictures on the internet. It _____ very _____ (1) from home. So many cars! "Don't _____ so _____ (2), Maksym!" she told me. "You'll love it. You'll see." For my first few weeks in the United States, everything _____ (3) to me. People's voices _____ (4) than I was used to, but their faces _____ (5). The food _____ (6) – we could get food just like the food at home – but the air _____ (7), not good or bad, just different.

b) Read how Maksym's story continues.

Tick ✓ the correct word (**adjective** or **adverb**) to complete the sentences.

I remember the first time I had to speak English with an American. We'd just arrived at the Detroit airport, and my mom told me to wait for her in the airport café. I was sitting on my own and I was feeling **nervous** / **nervously** (1). The café was **busy** / **busily** (2) and full of people who were talking **noisy** / **noisily** (3) in lots of different languages. A waitress¹ came up to me and said something **quick** / **quickly** (4). I didn't speak English very **good** / **well** (5) so I didn't understand what she said. She seemed **nice** / **nicely** (6) so I asked her to

speak more **slow** / **slowly** (7). She asked me what I wanted. I looked **quick** / **quickly** (8) at the menu and chose a hamburger and a chocolate milkshake. When it arrived, it smelled **delicious** / **deliciously** (9). I drank the milkshake **slow** / **slowly** (10). Wow! It tasted so **good** / **well** (11). It was **strange** / **strangely** (12) to be there in a foreign country, but I felt **great** / **greatly** (13) because I'd spoken English and the waitress had understood me!

2 Enough firewood for the winter

Use the words to complete the text. Change the forms to the **present participle** or **past participle**.

come cut exhaust migrate please prepare wave

From Sarah's house, she could see the long grass _____ (1) in the wind. The _____ (2) birds were heading south for warmer weather before the winter. She smiled to herself. It had been a good day's work, and the small mountain of newly _____ (3) firewood meant that her family would be warm enough this _____ (4) winter. It was good to be _____ (5) for the cold weather and she was _____ (6) to see how much wood there was. This would be the fifth winter the settlers had spent in this land, after a long and _____ (7) journey across the continent, and the difficult years of starting a farm here. Sarah was very proud of her family's pioneer spirit.

1 **waiter / waitress** Kellner/-in

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1 Linking words

Use the phrases to complete the text below.

apart from as well as even though in addition to in spite of no matter what so that

Sarah's work for today was done, _____ (1) feeding the dog that was sitting next to her. The land was rich and the harvest had been good that year, and _____ (2) life was hard on the farm, it was a beautiful place to live. _____ (3) the recent dry summer, the river was still full of water. There were many fish in the river and animals in the woods. _____ (4) that, she could see the herds of bison which crossed the land every year. A proper road had been built _____ (5) the wagons could get to town, and that made life much easier. In her kitchen, ready for the winter, there was lots of flour and corn, _____ (6) lots of other food. _____ (7) difficulties life brought next, she would manage to make a better life for her family.

2 Word formation

a) Complete the grid with the correct forms of the words.

	Noun	Verb	Adjective / Participle
1.	innovation		innovative
2.		to colonize	
3.		to free	
4.	settlement / settler		settled
5.		to infect	
6.			exhausting / exhausted
7.			risky

b) Use words from the grid to complete these sentences from Unit 3.

- The first permanent English _____ was founded in 1607 in Jamestown, Virginia.
- I'd caught an eye _____ on the journey over.
- We were so relieved when we finally arrived in New York after an _____ journey.
- Must be expert riders, ready to _____ death.
- The American's fight for _____ in the _____ days and the settlers' pioneer spirit have shaped the American identity.