








Bob's Trip to Arizona

Ex. 1 Read the text. Replace the pictures with words and put the adjectives in their comparative or superlative forms.

It's Friday evening. It's 1)  outside and the wind is blowing. Let's look inside Bob's room. We find him sitting on the sofa and reading a book which is a gift from his mum. He's really engaged in the story. He reads about some Indian people who live in Arizona, North America. They have their homes in a green valley surrounded by high 2)  "I want to go there!" says Bob with excitement. "I need to see the amazing land and those interesting people!" he adds.

It's a sunny summer day. Bob feels 3)  and excited because he arrives at the place of his dreams. He looks around. The hills he can see are a) (high) than the hills in his country. It's 35 Celsius degrees so it's b) (hot) than at home. Soon he's in the green valley which is the c) (deep) of all the valleys he already knows. When he looks around, he can see some colourful 4)  and he can hear many 5)  singing in the woods. "It's the d) (beautiful) place in the world!" he shouts out loud. "But where are the

Indians on their wild 6)  ?" he asks himself. For a short while Bob feels a bit sad. Suddenly, a little boy emerges from behind the trees. It's Nebi, one of the Apache Indians. His black hair is e) (long) than Bob's hair, but he doesn't have any feathers in it. He isn't wearing any leather clothes. He's wearing yellow shorts and a white t-shirt.

"Follow me!" shouts Nebi. "Let's see the f) (amazing) place in the world," he adds. After a long walk in silence they stop by a 7)  It's not an ordinary river. This river is magical. Its clean water shines like gold in the sun. "You can't find any gold here, but you can find something g) (good) than gold. Just wait for the sunset," reassures Nebi.





Surprised and excited Bob doesn't talk. He waits in silence. When the sun hides under the horizon, suddenly, the river water turns into big waves that hit the sandy river bank. After a minute the river becomes silent again, but now, on the river bank, Bob can see hundreds of mysterious shiny stones. "Wow! That's wonderful!" he screams out loud. "You can take one stone home," says Nebi.

To be continued...

2. Read the text again and answer the questions. Are the sentences true (T) or false (F). Correct the false sentences.

- 1 In his book, Bob reads about some American farmers.
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- 2 Bob wants to visit the Indian people in Arizona.
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- 3 When Bob arrives in Arizona it's colder than in his own country.
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- 4 Bob thinks that the valley is the worst place in the world.
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- 5 In the valley he meets an Indian girl called Naomi.
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- 6 Nebi shows Bob a magical lake with mysterious stones.
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3. Put the sentences in the correct order.

- a) Bob is unhappy because there aren't any Indians on horses.
- b) Bob wants to go to Arizona.
- c) Bob reads about the Apache Indians.
- d) Bob visits the place of his dreams.
- e) Bob can see a lot of magical stones on the river bank.
- f) Nebi and Bob wait for the sunset.
- g) Bob meets Nebi.
- h) Nebi and Bob go to the river.



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