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## 1 I can understand information about Canada. (Musterlösung)

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Read the texts on pages 114–115 in your book again and answer these questions.

1. Where do most Canadians live?

Most Canadians live in the big cities near the border.

2. Why do people speak different languages in Canada?

Britain and France had colonies there and the Inuit speak their own languages.

3. Which natural resources are important for the Canadian economy? (at least 2 details)

There are oil, gas and coal reserves and huge forests.

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## 2 I can talk about different sports.

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Complete the text with the right words.

A: I think Lacrosse is the best sport in the world.

B: What do you like about it? I also prefer team sports because of the team spirit.

But individual sports are great too. And they require a lot of discipline!

A: That's true. But I'm not very ambitious. I want to do sports in a team! Then I am much more motivated.

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## 3 I can understand an article about stereotypes.

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### Are they really rude?

The French-speaking people of Canada have often been described by the English-speaking inhabitants of the country as being rude. But where does this stereotype come from? In numbers, the French speakers are a much smaller community than the English speakers. Whenever people from other parts of Canada came to Quebec in the past, they expected everybody to understand them when they spoke English like the way people did at home. In Quebec this was not the case. Here, French was and is the common language. So when someone tried to speak English with a person from Quebec, it was likely that they simply didn't answer. One reason might be that the person from Quebec didn't understand the English-speaking person. But, of course, they could have said so, even in French. Perhaps they were embarrassed, or they just didn't want to give it a try, which *is* rude, of course. Nowadays however, most people in Quebec speak English anyway, so the stereotype is slowly disappearing. And as always, it is also a question of how politely you talk to people. So even if your French isn't very good, give it a try – a little 'bonjour' may open many doors and hearts in Quebec!

Read the text above and complete these sentences.

Some people think that French Canadians are rude to English-speaking people. One reason might be that in the past, they often just didn't understand what the other person was saying. So when you are in Quebec, it may help if you try to say some words in French!

**4 I can write a comment on a travel blog.**

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Write a comment on the blog entries on page 86 of your workbook. Write at least 50 words.  
You can use these phrases:

I really enjoyed ...

I especially ...

I was told that ...

Is that really true?

Maybe you can ...

*(Musterlösung) I really enjoyed reading your blog about interesting places in Canada.*

*I got a lot of information and ideas for my journey. I especially want to see Vancouver.*

*I was told that you need to book a hotel very early. Is that really true? Maybe you*


*can add some links which would help us to get more information about the attractions.*

**5 I can understand a website about special places in Canada.**

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**Come and visit the CN Tower – Toronto's most amazing attraction**



**The CN Tower** Come and visit the CN Tower, the tallest building in North America. The name 'CN' comes from Canadian National, the railway company that built the 555.3 metre-high tower. It attracts more than two million international visitors every year. An elevator with a glass floor takes you up to the LookOut Level, where you get your first great view of Toronto.

**LookOut** Even the floor is made of glass on this platform! With a view that goes straight down for 346 metres (1,136 ft), even those not afraid of heights might need a little help. The Glass Floor has been specifically designed for you to have fun on it, so walk across it, sit on it or even jump on it. Don't worry, it won't break. The Glass Floor was the world's first when it opened.

**SkyPod** If you want to go even higher, take the next elevator and it will take you up to SkyPod, one of the highest observation platforms in the world. Under ideal conditions, you can see the Niagara Falls and New York State 160 kilometres (100 miles) away! Tickets can be purchased on the LookOut Level.



Read the text. Are these sentences right or wrong or is the information not in the text?

	right	wrong	not in the text
1. CN Tower is the tallest building in the world.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. It was built by the national railway company.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. You are not allowed to jump on the glass floor at LookOut.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. There is a special elevator to get from the LookOut Level to SkyPod.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. The floor at SkyPod is made of glass too.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>



## 1 I can understand information about Canada.

Match the sentence parts.

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|---|--|
| 1. Large parts of Canada are quite empty because ...                        | winter sports play an important role for Canadians.                |
| 2. Many young Canadians learn to skate early because ...                    | Britain and France had colonies in the area which is now Canada.   |
| 3. You can easily experience the wilderness of the country because ...      | they help to make Canada rich.                                     |
| 4. Most Canadians speak English or French because ...                       | most people live in large cities in the south close to the border. |
| 5. The natural resources are important for the Canadian economy because ... | there are a lot of wild animals like moose or bears.               |

## 2 I can talk about different sports.

Put the sentences in the dialogue in the right order.

- 4 It's a team sport and I like the team spirit.
- 3 Really? I think it can be very exciting. What do you like about Canadian football?
- 6 OK, OK, I'm convinced and I'll join you.
- 2 That's nice of you to ask, but I usually prefer watching Canadian football. Curling is a bit boring, I think.
- 1 Would you like to come with me and watch a game of curling?
- 5 Curling is a team sport as well. Just come along and give it a try.



## 3 I can understand an article about stereotypes.

Read the text "Are they really rude?" on page 88 in this workbook again and tick the statements that are true.

- ☒ 1. Some English-speaking people think that the French Canadians are rude.
- ☐ 2. In Canada there are more people who speak French than those who speak English.
- ☐ 3. The people in Quebec are very rude, especially when you try to speak French with them.
- ☒ 4. Today most people in Quebec speak English and French.
- ☒ 5. The stereotype about the people in Quebec is a result of not understanding each other.

○ **4 I can write a comment on a travel blog.**

Complete the comment on the blog entry on page 86 of your workbook. Use these words:

book

could

enjoyed

detailed

special

know more

really


maybe

travel

helpful

whale watching

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**Mr D** July 18 2:20 PM  
 17 comments Member since: 26-06-2017

Hi Tom,

I really enjoyed reading your blog about special places in Canada.

I want to travel to Canada next summer so it was very helpful.

I especially want to go whale watching in Vancouver. I was told that you need to book tours early. Is that really true? Maybe you could add a text about whale watching. I think that many Europeans want to know more about it. This could help us to get more detailed information. All the best!

Mr. D

○ **5 I can understand a website about special places in Canada.**

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**The EdgeWalk – Toronto's Most Extreme Attraction**

The most thrilling thing you can do on the CN Tower is an 'edge walk' and it is exactly what it says: You walk around the edge of the tower, hands free!

Of course, all visitors are attached to a safety rail and guided in groups by our trained staff. The walk takes about 30 minutes. Everybody who takes part gets a video, some photos and a certificate at the end of the tour.

Tickets are \$195 CAD; tours start in April every year. They will happen in all weather conditions except for electrical storms, high wind or other extreme weather.

Answer the questions about the EdgeWalk. You don't have to write complete sentences.

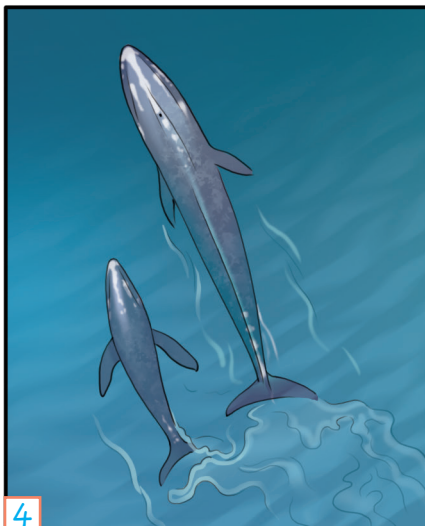
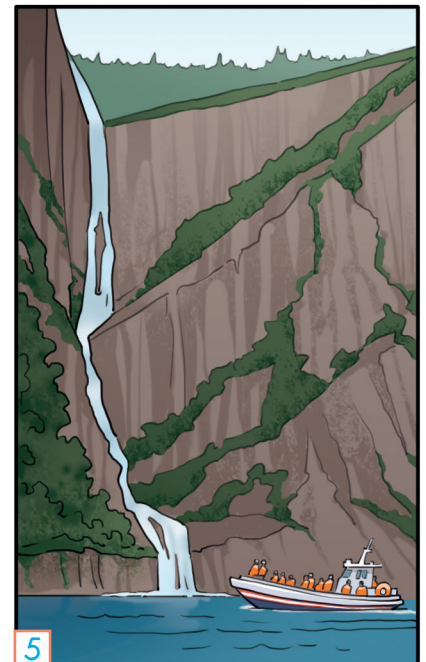
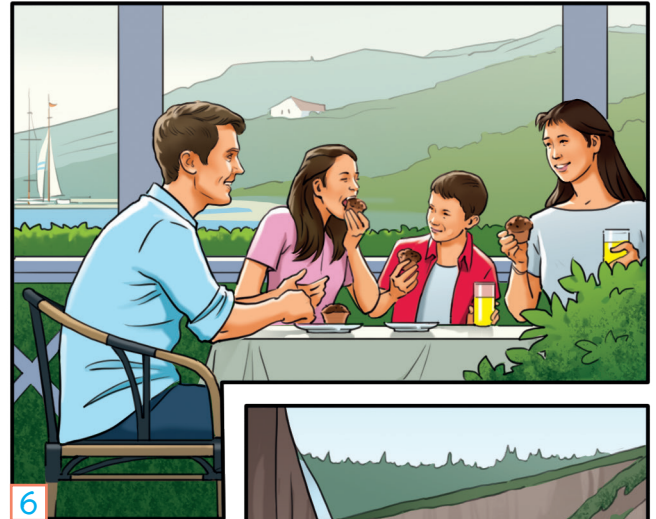
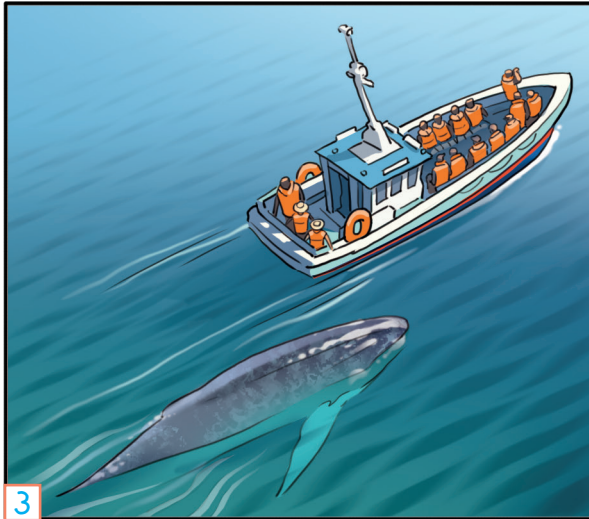
1. Can you do it alone? no, only in a group
2. Why is it safe? all visitors are attached to a safety rail and there is a guide
3. When can you do it? tours start in April
4. What happens when it rains? tours happen/take place in all weather conditions except for extreme weather





## Difficult to put into words

10 1 Listen to the complete story and put the pictures in the right order.  
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## 2 Listen to the first part again and tick the right sentence endings.

Sometimes more than one answer is correct.

Read the instruction of multiple choice exercises carefully to check if only one answer is correct or if you can tick more than one.  
If you are not sure it's better to choose the one you think might be right than ticking no answer at all.

1. The Wilsons were in Quebec

- ☐ to learn French.  
☒ on holiday.  
☒ to see whales.

3. The whales come to the area of Tadoussac ...

- ☒ because they find a lot of food there.  
☒ because there is fresh and salt water.  
☐ because tourists feed them.

2. The captain of the fishing boat ...

- ☒ didn't want to get too close to the whales.  
☐ explained the history of the boat.  
☒ spoke two languages.

4. Today there are ...

- ☐ more right whales than a few years ago.  
☒ fewer right whales than a few years ago.  
☐ no right whales in the North Atlantic.

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## 3 Listen to the second part again and find eight mistakes.

Write the correct words on the lines.

"Look, there!" Tim shouted suddenly. There was a whale right next to the boat! Not wanting to hurt the whale, the captain stopped the boat at once. Everybody stopped walking so that it was completely silent on board. The only thing you could hear was the breathing of the whale just a few metres away. It was a right whale, Zoe realized. She recognized the dark colour of the skin, which was almost black. That's why they were also called dark whales. A few seconds later she saw that there was another whale. It was a mother with her kid! That made Zoe really happy.

'So there is still some hope that there'll be right whales in the future,' Zoe thought. After a few minutes the two right whales left. The captain started the boat again. On their way back to the harbour they went closer to the coast and only now did they realize how beautiful the wilderness in the area was with its forests and waterfalls. Some of the waterfalls were more than thirteen metres high.

When they were back in Tadoussac, the Wilson family went into a little café and had a snack after their expensive trip.

Mrs Wilson asked Zoe how she had felt when she had seen the whales.

"It's difficult to put into words," she said. "It was fascinating."

behind

talking

black

child

disappeared

thirty/30

exciting

amazing

# Canada, here we come!

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**1** You are going to fly to Canada. What are you going to take with you? (Musterlösung)

some money

book

ticket

charger

a bottle of water

adaptor

umbrella

pet

a pair of nail scissors

passport

earphones

sword

Fasten your seat belts – we're going to Canada!



- a) Circle the things you need to get on a plane in green.
- b) Circle the things you should not take on a plane with you in red.
- c) Look at all the other words. Which of them would you take with you if you went to Canada? Circle them in blue.
- d) Compare your list with a partner. Do you have different results?



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**2** (WRITING) Plan your tour through Canada. (individuelle Lösung)

- a) Choose ten sights or places in Canada that you find most interesting and mark them on the map. Draw lines to make a tour and think of what you are going to do there. Start at an airport.

Here are some ideas for your tour:

CN Tower • PATH • whale watching • poutine • Canadian Museum of History • hop-on hop-off bus • hockey game • Niagara Falls • Inuit art • wildlife



- b) Tell your family what you have planned. Write at least ten sentences about your tour in your exercise book. Use the going to-future. You can start like this:

First we are going to fly to Montreal where we are going to eat poutine.  
On our second day ...





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### 3 What will the weather be like?

Before the trip you want to find out what the weather will be like in Canada. Here's the weather forecast for the next few days. Complete the forecast in the will-future.

Are you asking yourself whether you will need (need) an umbrella next week? Well, for Atlantic Canada this will probably be (probably / be) the case as we will have (have) lots of clouds here and it will possibly rain (possibly / rain). In eastern Ontario and Manitoba however, the sun will shine (shine) for a few hours, at least in the evening. Luckily, all Canadians will get (get) some more sunny hours during the next few days. But be careful: There might also be some strong winds, so it is possible that there will be (be) some flight delays at the Winnipeg and Toronto airports.



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### 4 (MEDIATION) What does the flight assistant say?

At the beginning of your flight to Canada, a friendly flight assistant tells you what to do. Unfortunately the woman sitting next to you doesn't understand everything. Can you explain the rules to her?

1. Please make sure that your bags are safely put in the compartments over your head and that your seat belt is correctly fastened.



↙ A compartment

Wir sollen das Gepäck oben in den Fächern verstauen und den Sicherheitsgurt anlegen.

2. Your seats must be put in their upright position.

Unsere Sitze sollen aufrecht gestellt sein.

3. Your phones, tablets and laptops must be set to 'airplane mode' until the arrival.

Alle elektronischen Geräte sollen bis zur Ankunft in den Flugzeugmodus gestellt werden.

4. Smoking is not allowed on the airplane.

Das Rauchen ist im Flugzeug nicht gestattet.

5. If needed, take one of the safety masks that will drop from the compartment over your head.

Wenn nötig, sollen wir die Sicherheitsmasken anlegen, die von oben herunterfallen.

6. Place the mask over your nose and mouth.

Wir sollen die Maske über den Mund und die Nase legen.

7. When we arrive, please wait until the airplane is parked at the gate.

Wenn wir ankommen, sollen wir warten, bis das Flugzeug am Gate geparkt ist.

Welcome  
to Canada!

