| 1 - First, I wake up. Then, I get dressed. I walk to school. I do not ride a bike. I do not ride the bus. I like to go to school. It rains. I do not like rain. I eat lunch. I eat a sandwich and an apple.     |
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| 2 - I play outside. I like to play. I read a book. I like to read books. I walk home. I do not like walking home. My mother cooks soup for dinner. The soup is hot. Then, I go to bed. I do not like to go bed. |
| 3 - I just returned from the greatest summer vacation! It was so fantastic, I never wanted it to end. I spent eight days in Paris, France. My best friends, Henry and Steve, went with me.                      |
| 4 - We visited many famous tourist places. My favorite was the Louvre, a well-known museum. I was always interested in art, so that was a special treat for me.   |
| 5 - We took lots of breaks and sat in cafes along the river Seine. The French food we ate was delicious. The wines were tasty, too. Steve's favorite part of the vacation was the hotel breakfast.              |
| 6 - He said he would be happy if he could eat croissants like those forever. We had so much fun that we're already talking about our next vacation!   |

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| 7 - I wanted to send you an email update to you let you know how things have been going during my semester abroad here in Málaga, Spain.  |
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| 8 - I've already been in Málaga, for six weeks, and I feel like I am finally adapting to the culture. I'm also speaking the language more fluently.   |
| 9 - I arrived during the first week of September. The weather has been very nice. Even though it's October, it's still rather sunny and warm. In fact, I went to the beach and swam in the Mediterranean Sea earlier today. |
| 10 - Monday is viewed by many to be the "worst" day of the week, as it marks the return to work following the weekend, when most full-time employees are given two days off.  |
| 11 - Most students attend school in the morning and return home in the afternoon (usually from about eight until three or seven until two), and most workers go to work in the morning and return home in the evening.      |

| 12 - Tuesday is the second day of the week, and is in many ways similar to Monday, most individuals go to school or work and return home to watch television, play video games, make plans with friends, spend time with family.      |
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| 13 - Wednesday is the third day of the week, and serves as the "middle" of the work week; some individuals refer to Wednesday as "hump day," as only two days on the job will remain in the week.                                     |
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| 14 - Friday is the fifth day of the week, and marks the end of the workweek and school-week for the vast majority of employees and students.  |
| 15 - By Friday afternoon/evening, most students/workers cannot wait to leave and go home, as they   |
| won't have to report back to school/work until Monday.  |
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| 16 - Saturday is perhaps the most highly regarded day of the week. Because Sunday follows it (and there is presumably no work or school to attend, for most individuals), everyone is free to stay out (or awake) until late at night |
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