**Tourism**

Tourism is one of the world's largest industries, and it is the fastest growing. It contributes over £50 billion to the economy annually, over £12 billion of it from overseas visitors. About 25 million overseas visitors **(1)** ... Britain each year. Tourism is one of the biggest employment **(2)** ... in the UK, too – it employs over 1.7 million people, which is more than in the construction or health service industries.

Around 20% of all new **(3)** ... are in this industry. These figures are very impressive, but how do they translate **(4)** ... job possibilities for you? There is room in this industry for all sorts of people, with different educational **(5)** ... , personal attributes, interests and career aims. A tourist is really a traveller – someone who **(6)** ... a journey, usually for recreation, **(7)** ... a holiday or sightseeing. **(8)** ... , tourism at its very simplest refers to the industry that provides travel and entertainment facilities for people away from their own homes.

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| 1. A) come from | B) come to | C) come away with | D) come down to |
| 2. A) zones | B) sections | C) districts | D) sectors |
| 3. A) works | B) jobs | C) employments | D) vocations |
| 4. A) into | B) from | C) for | D) at |
| 5. A) surroundings | B) traditions | C) backgrounds | D) settings |
| 6. A) makes | B) does | C) performs | D) breaks |
| 7. A) as | B) such | C) so | D) like |
| 8. A) Although | B) Despite | C) Therefore | D) Because |