

## Home work

2. Fill in the blanks with a, an or the as required in the following paragraph. Put a cross mark (X) in the blanks where a determiner is not required.

Every ~~ear~~ year our family plans a trip to an exciting and new destination. This year too, we were ready to explore the beautiful country of Bhutan. The first thing I noticed about ~~X~~ Bhutan was its cleanliness. There was an immense sense of respect towards nature in all Bhutan's residents. I later found out that in Bhutan, the national goal is to make sure that all of its citizens are happy. Hence, they measure ~~X~~ country's development through an index named Gross National Happiness. I was so amazed to know this! Bhutan is also the only country in the world that is carbon negative. Most countries produce larger amounts of ~~X~~ carbon dioxide than their trees can absorb. Bhutan however, still has ~~X~~ enormous

forest cover, which ensures that it absorbs more carbon dioxide than it produces! While walking through the streets of Bhutan, I remember inhaling deeply because I knew the air was fresh and unpolluted. I left Bhutan with the memories of a wonderful nation that lived in harmony with nature.

3. Complete the dialogue using appropriate possessive adjectives and demonstratives.

Ashmita : Hey, Payal! I am extremely sorry to bother you this late at night, but did you see my phone anywhere? I can't find it.

Payal : Hey! Are you sure you carried your phone with you to the restaurant? I don't remember seeing you use your phone at all during dinner.

Ashmita : I am sure that I carried it to the restaurant. Do you think I should ask Rahul or Ishan? Maybe I left it

in my car.

Payal: Yes, you could do that. This is the problem with phones these days. You can't fit them in pockets and they tend to get misplaced. Oh! You could also ask few other friends who come today if they saw a phone lying somewhere.

Ashmita: I wish I could, but unfortunately, in the midst of celebrations, I couldn't even meet all my friends, let alone speak to them. Did you speak to Anna? She had come all the way from London to meet us.

Payal: I did! She seems very happy with her job. She even gave us (some her) delicious cookies.

Ashmita: That amazing! I wish I could have spoken on her. Oh! I completely forgot about my phone, yet again! I have go to look for it.

payal: Oh yes! We got carried away with small talk. I will make a call to the restaurant. Maybe those staff will know something about your phone.

Ashmita: Thank you so much! I'll head back to my home now. It's getting late.

payal: No problem! I shall let you know if I get to know something.

4. Fill in the blanks using appropriate distributives.

(a) Each of the books written by him is worth reading at least once.

(b) I am sure neither of them is aware that the date of submission has already passed.

(c) Each one of my classmates was excited about the trip. But neither Shivan i nor I was very keen.

- (d) Aradhana is a healthy person. Every morning, she goes jogging. Every Sunday she practices yoga.
- (e) Each/Neither of these book clubs will win this year's Best club prize.
- (f) My sister went for taekwondo classes every evening during the vacation.
- (g) Neither of us could go for the party as we both were unwell.
- (h) This apartment is very spacious. Each/  
~~Neither~~ Every floor has a minimum of three balconies. The bedroom on each floor has attached bathrooms.