**Words 1**

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| 1. Four strong walls *hold up* the roof of the house. | support |
| 2. It is sometimes *difficult* to find transport through the forest. | problematic |
| 3. The bridge *connects* two villages on either side of the river. | links |
| 4. A swing was *hanging* from the branch of a tree. | suspended |
| 5. The Mississippi is a major *river* for transporting goods in the US. | waterway |
| 6. They built the bridge from long heavy wooden *logs.* | beams |
| 7. We needed to *solve* several problems while building the bridge. | overcome |
| 8. The *width* of each arch is 150 meters. | span |

**Words 2**

1.  Mountains and rivers are examples of the earth’s varied geography.

2.  Bridges that carry water are called aqueducts .

3.  Suspension bridges use long cables to support their weight.

4.  Suspension bridges are made using steel cables .

5.  The Nile River is a famous   waterway in Egypt.

6.  Geography and distance are two factors  to consider when building a bridge.

7.  Engineers sometimes use  explosives to blast through rock.

8.  Mountains and rivers are two kinds of obstacles that engineers have to overcome.

**Read 1**

1. Why the Marmaray Tunnel is unusual.
2. It is the first tunnel to link two continents.
3. Because the tunnel is underwater.
4. In 2005.
5. Because they found ancient historical sites.

**Read 2**

1. choice
2. danger
3. can move easily
4. made stronger
5. put underwater
6. very old
7. very interesting
8. saved

**Read 3**

1.  The Bosphorus Strait is a waterway .

2.  The tunnel runs underwater for 1.4 kilometers.

3.  The Anatolian Fault is an earthquake zone .

4.  The tunnel has 11 sections.

5.  The idea for a tunnel was first suggested 150 years ago.

**Grammar in Use 1**

1.  What are you doing ?

2.  I'm eating cookies .

3.  What were you doing last night?

4.  I was eating cookies.

5.  What will you be doing tomorrow?

6.  I'll be eating cookies.

**Grammar in Use 2**

**Jake:** What are you doing right now, Susan?  
**Susan:** I'm watching TV on my computer. I called you yesterday. What were you doing?  
**Jake:** Oh, I was helping my Dad wash the car! What are you going to be doing this weekend?  
**Susan:** Well, I definitely won't be watching any TV. I’ll be studying for my math quiz on Monday.  
**Jake:** Math quiz? I forgot! Have you been doing a lot of work for it? Can you give me any tips?

**Grammar in Use 3**

1. what will you be wearing to the party ?

2. I’m not going to be going to the party .

3. what have you been doing this weekend ?

4. we have been studying for our test .

**Grammar in Use 4**

**Jacky:** What will you be doing next summer?  
**Tom:** I’m going to be visiting my cousins in Canada. How about you?  
**Jacky:** I’ll be going to summer school. I haven’t been getting good grades this term. What are you doing right now?  
**Tom:** I’ve been doing my homework. But now I ‘m watching a TV show.

**Listening**

1. a bridge
2. complicated
3. site
4. amount of traffic
5. six

**Word Study**

1.  The engineer is designing a new bridge.

2.  We ate apple pie for  dessert .

3.  Everyone was in school today  except Mikey.

4.  They studied the   site carefully before building the bridge.

5.  Be careful when you open the window. It’s very  loose.

**Writing Study**

 1. The Marmaray tunnel links two continents. In fact , it runs under the Bosphorus Strait which divides Europe and Asia.

 2. The engineers had to overcome many obstacles. For example , they could not use explosives.

 3. Construction of the tunnel was very problematic. In particular , this was because the area has a high risk of earthquakes.

 4. Bridges have linked Asia and Europe for centuries. Likewise , the tunnel now creates a link between the two continents.