The senses

1 Complete the dictionary entries with the correct senses.

touch noun the sense that you use to recognize things with your hands and fingers.

- 1 _____ *noun* the sense that you use to recognize fragrances.
- 2 _____ *noun* the sense that you use to recognize the flavours of different foods and drinks.
- 3 _____ *noun* the sense that you use to recognize sounds.
- 4 _____ *noun* the sense that you use to recognize things with your eyes.
- **2** Complete the dialogue with the adjectives in the list.

blinding <u>bright</u> dark deafening faint silent spicy

- Amy That new restaurant is very bright inside, with so many lights everywhere.
- Jess I know the light is (1) ______! I prefer (2) ______ places where you can't see too much.
- Amy The music is too loud as well. I walked past the restaurant today and it was (3) ______ I realize that a (4) ______ room isn't very welcoming to customers, but you should be able to hear what other people are saying.
- Jess l agree! A bit of (5) _____ music in the background is fine.
- Amy Have you eaten there yet?
- Jess Yes, I had a curry there last week. I couldn't eat it because it was so (6) ______!

Sense verbs

3 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in the list.

hear sniff swallow taste watch

I was watching a film when my parents came home.

- 1 The children are frightened because they thought they _________ a strange noise.
- 2 Although George is feeling ill, he's refusing _______ his medicine.

3 Have you added any garlic to the sauce? I can't

_____ it.

- 4 My mum ______ the air suspiciously. 'Has someone been smoking?' she asked.
- **4** Complete the sentences with the correct **bold** words.

The Indian curry tasted spicy. (deafening / spicy / tasted / touched)

- 1 Your hands _____ (feel / fragrant / smooth / touch)
- 2 The music is very far away and _____
 - ______. (faint / hard / hears / sounds)
- 3 The pudding ______ (looked / slimy / stinky / swallowed)
- 4 My sister's perfume ______ fragrant but her trainers are _____! (sweet / rough / smells / stinky)
- 5 The sun in Australia _____

(blinding / interesting / was / saw)

Adjective suffixes

- **5** Complete the sentences with adjectives formed with the nouns in A and the suffixes in B.
 - A adventure base count pain practice stink
 - B -al -ful -ic -less -ous -y

My brother's socks get very **stinky** when he wears them to play football.

- 1 Alexa is a very _____ girl who isn't afraid of taking risks.
- 2 I hurt my wrist three weeks ago and it's still very
- 3 I've eaten _____ meals at my grandparents' house over the years.
- 4 My father's meals are very ______ as he prefers to use very few ingredients.
- 5 This bag is very ______. It's comfortable to carry and it can fit a lot of things inside.
- **6** Correct the <u>underlined</u> mistakes in the sentences.

An acty life makes you healthy. active

- 1 The <u>dominable</u> person in a relationship will tell the other person what to do. _____
- 2 We spent a very <u>pleasive</u> afternoon walking through Hyde Park. _____
- 3 This curry tastes very <u>differant</u> from the last one you made. _____
- 4 <u>Persistable</u> people are determined to get what they want.
- 5 I found Tessa to be a very nice, <u>agreeant</u> young woman.