

Gapped summary

Fill in the gaps with words from the text, one word per line. The words which belong in the gaps do not appear in the same order as in the text.

Hi...

I feel I have to write to you at once and tell you about our family reunion last week.

What a shame you couldn't make it! I must say, on the whole it wasn't bad at all. It was good fun, the food was delicious, the accommodation nice enough. All was well, if only our digital needs had been fulfilled better. I mean, these days it is absolutely vital to be able to _____ up a Web address now and again and to do this you just have to get on. I really couldn't understand why our host seemed so unnerved when one of the guests asked him to _____ out a document, which he wanted to have _____ home. After all, his house was clearly WiFi so everyone could use their own laptop if they wanted to send an _____, for example. That's why _____ wasn't a problem either. You could easily stay in touch with your 200 best friends back home.

As I said, although our host huffed and puffed a bit, he didn't actually suffer from digital phobia himself. I saw him go to his office, where he _____ away and surreptitiously _____ his e-mail and the latest football results.

But it is fair to say that his mood improved noticeably when _____ digital _____ photos _____ were _____ which he was asked to _____ to his computer. However, soon he was stuck again, and he had to confess that he had never _____ iMovie. On the whole I found his reactions somewhat oversensitive: once he actually hinted that he was silently praying his toner _____ would _____.

_____ However, the only real problem he had to face was that his printer was temporarily _____ up.

But in the end everything panned out perfectly. Before we left, we successfully untangled our _____ in the kitchen, thanked our host for his hospitality, said good-bye and took our leave. His wife had promised to _____ him from the airport giving him the all clear, which I saw her doing. But this won't prevent us from coming back next year, when I hope you will be able to join us.

I'm looking forward to hearing from you. Please let me know how it goes.

Cheers,

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What a shame you couldn't make it! I must say, on the whole it wasn't bad at all. It was good fun, the food was delicious (yummy?), the accommodation nice enough. All was well, if only our digital **NEEDS** had been fulfilled better. I mean, these days it is absolutely vital to be able to **LOOK** up a web address now and again and to do this you just have to get **ON**. I really couldn't understand why our host seemed so unnerved when one of the guests asked him to **PRINT** out a document, which he wanted to have **FAXED** home. After all, his house was clearly **WIFI**, so everyone could use their own laptop if they wanted to send an **E-MAIL**, for example. That's why **INSTANT MESSAGING** wasn't a problem either. You could easily stay in touch with your 200 best friends back home.

As I said, although our host huffed and puffed a bit, he didn't actually suffer from digital phobia himself. I saw him go to his office, where he **CLICKED** away and surreptitiously **CHECKED** his e-mail and the latest football results.

But it is fair to say that his mood improved noticeably when digital photos were **SNAPPED** which he was asked to **UPLOAD** to his computer. However, soon he was stuck again and he had to confess that he had never **LAUNCHED** iMovie. On the whole I found his reactions somewhat oversensitive (touchy?): once he actually hinted that he was silently praying his toner would **HOLD OUT**. However, the only real problem he had to face was that his printer was temporarily **JAMMED** up.

But in the end everything panned out perfectly. Before we left, we successfully untangled our **PHONE CHARGERS** in the kitchen, thanked our host for his hospitality, said good-bye and took our leave. His wife had promised to **TEXT** him to give him the all clear, which I saw her doing. But this won't prevent us from coming back next year, when I hope you will be able to join us.

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