

# Listening Comprehension Questions

Listen to Episode 5 of our Into the Story Podcast: Dan's Story. Complete these sentences with a word that you hear in the podcast.



1. Dan explains that he grew up in North Wales in a \_\_\_\_\_ area close to Liverpool with lakes, forests and castles.

2. Dan describes his time living in Barcelona, cycling around and enjoying the hot climate as \_\_\_\_\_.

3. The decision to move back to the UK came when Dan decided that he wasn't being \_\_\_\_\_ enough about his career and life.

4. When he arrived back in the UK, Dan was surprised to feel \_\_\_\_\_ culture-shock.

5. In the beginning, Dan moved to the highlands of Scotland to be a volunteer and do \_\_\_\_\_ work in a river.

6. Dan describes his job at Laura Ashley as not a real career choice but more just a way for him to pay his \_\_\_\_\_.

7. In London, Dan's \_\_\_\_\_ asked him to leave the apartment because his brother was coming to study.

8. After losing his job, Dan describes the experience as feeling \_\_\_\_\_ - like watching a sad film.

9. Without \_\_\_\_\_, Dan decided to leave London, move back to Barcelona and continue living his life there.

10. Dan learnt not to be afraid of failure and the importance of following the things that make him \_\_\_\_\_.