

# "Israel and UAE reach historic peace deal"

## GAP FILL

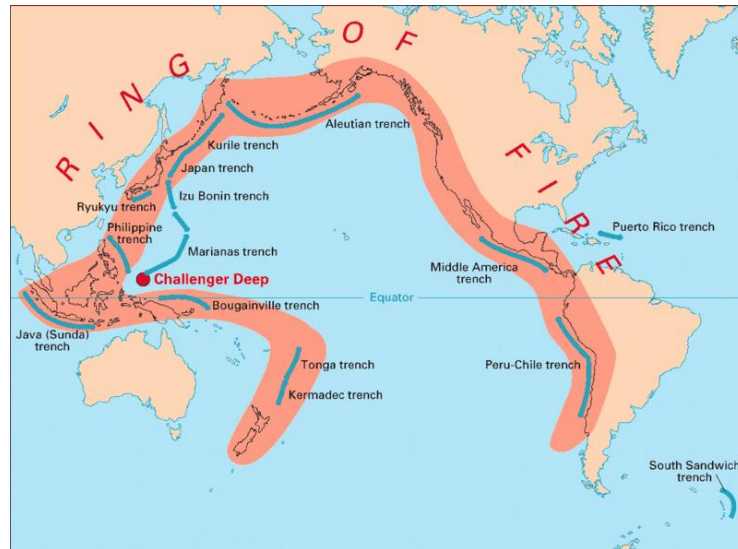
Israel and the United Arab Emirates have agreed to normalise (1) \_\_\_\_\_ in exchange for the suspension of Israeli plans to annex parts of the West Bank. The (2) \_\_\_\_\_ breakthrough was announced in a (3) \_\_\_\_\_ statement yesterday by Abu Dhabi Crown Prince Mohammed Al Nahyan, Israeli PM Benjamin Netanyahu and U.S. President Donald Trump. They expressed (4) \_\_\_\_\_ that the "historic breakthrough will (5) \_\_\_\_\_ peace in the Middle East". Israel has had diplomatic relations with its neighbours Egypt and Jordan for (6) \_\_\_\_\_, but until now, it has never had such a relationship with any Gulf Arab state. Israel will "focus its (7) \_\_\_\_\_ now on expanding (8) \_\_\_\_\_ with other countries in the Arab and Muslim world".

The (9) \_\_\_\_\_ is called the Abraham Accord. The three leaders behind it said: "This (10) \_\_\_\_\_ diplomatic breakthrough...is a testament to the bold diplomacy... (11) \_\_\_\_\_...and courage of the UAE and Israel to chart a new path that will unlock great potential in the (12) \_\_\_\_\_." Mr Netanyahu called it a "historic day". However, he said the (13) \_\_\_\_\_ of the West Bank "remains on the table". The UAE said the deal with Israel was a "(14) \_\_\_\_\_ for diplomacy and the region". It added: "It is a significant advance in Arab-Israeli relations that lowers tensions and creates new energy for positive change." The Palestinian leadership called it a "(15) \_\_\_\_\_" of the Palestinian cause and the (16) \_\_\_\_\_ of being "sold out by friends".

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*efforts*  
*historic*  
*advance*  
*ties*  
*relations*  
*joint*  
*decades*

*vision*  
*betrayal*  
*sovereignty*  
*agreement*  
*equivalent*  
*historic*  
*region*  
*win*

Complete the text with ONE word that fits into each gap.



The Ring of Fire refers **(1)** \_\_\_\_\_ a gigantic chain of volcanoes around the Pacific Ocean. It stretches **(2)** \_\_\_\_\_ New Zealand to Asia and across the ocean to Alaska. From there, it continues along the western coast of North and South America down to the southern tip of Chile. The Ring of Fire is based on the fact that continents do **(3)** \_\_\_\_\_ stay in the same position and float around the surface of the earth.

According to plate tectonics, the earth's surface **(4)** \_\_\_\_\_ of a number of enormous plates or sections of rock, **(5)** \_\_\_\_\_ are about 80 km thick. These plates move **(6)** \_\_\_\_\_ speeds of up to a 10 cm **(7)** \_\_\_\_\_ year. In the middle of the Pacific Ocean hot liquid rock, called magma, flows from the **(8)** \_\_\_\_\_ part of the earth up to the ocean floor. This new material pushes older material away and causes plates to move.

As plates move away from and **(9)** \_\_\_\_\_ each other they collide. In some cases, one plate may move under another plate and lead to a process **(10)** \_\_\_\_\_ subduction. This is the cause of frequent earthquakes at the boundaries of plates. **(11)** \_\_\_\_\_ addition, the bottom plate melts **(12)** \_\_\_\_\_ to extreme temperatures and the magma created in such a process can move through vents to the Earth's **(13)** \_\_\_\_\_ and produce volcanic activity.

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Complete the sentences with one of the prepositions from the box.

AT - BY - FOR - IN - ON

1. I liked him \_\_\_\_\_ first, but then he started being bossy and arrogant.
2. \_\_\_\_\_ conclusion, the report told us to follow the guidelines.
3. We went to the stadium \_\_\_\_\_ bus.
4. The nurse was \_\_\_\_\_ duty from 6 in the morning until midnight.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ your left you can see one of the biggest libraries in the world.
6. When his wife died, he put up the house \_\_\_\_\_ sale.
7. My sister travelled to the Far East \_\_\_\_\_ the first time \_\_\_\_\_ her life.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ theory it was a good method, but we did not know if it would work \_\_\_\_\_ practice.
9. We had to learn all the poems \_\_\_\_\_ heart.
10. I filled out the wrong application \_\_\_\_\_ mistake.
11. He's \_\_\_\_\_ a diet so don't offer him any sweets.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ any case, the police have to catch the criminal before he causes any more harm.
13. The black Porsche was driving \_\_\_\_\_ a speed of over 100 m.p.h.
14. After the attack they found themselves \_\_\_\_\_ war with the enemy.
15. We must try to avoid deaths and casualties \_\_\_\_\_ all costs.
16. John is \_\_\_\_\_ university and comes home every two or three months.
17. Why don't you go with your mother \_\_\_\_\_ a change?
18. She had to travel to New York \_\_\_\_\_ business.
19. The paintings are \_\_\_\_\_ loan to the Guggenheim museum.
20. She can't sleep \_\_\_\_\_ night and always needs to take some pills.
21. \_\_\_\_\_ all means, we must try to bring all the parties together and work out a solution.
22. The children get \_\_\_\_\_ trouble all the time.
23. I didn't want to break the vase \_\_\_\_\_ purpose. It just slipped out of my hand.
24. Do you, \_\_\_\_\_ chance, have a phone charger with you?
25. Could I have a word with you \_\_\_\_\_ private?

Fill in the correct form of the past tense.

1. I saw my old friend in town the other day. He seemed to ignore me and was looking somewhere else. **(SEE, SEEM, LOOK)**
2. The teacher \_\_\_\_\_ a photo of us while we \_\_\_\_\_ up the tree. **(TAKE, CLIMB)**
3. We \_\_\_\_\_ Martha at the airport last week. She \_\_\_\_\_ for the arrival of her sister while we \_\_\_\_\_ to New York. **(MEET, WAIT, TRAVEL)**
4. "What \_\_\_\_\_ to him? - He \_\_\_\_\_ totally surprised when I \_\_\_\_\_ him." - **(YOU SAY, LOOK, SEE)**
5. He \_\_\_\_\_ exam papers when I \_\_\_\_\_ him. **(CORRECT, VISIT)**
6. A man \_\_\_\_\_ on the road while I \_\_\_\_\_ my bike. Luckily, I \_\_\_\_\_ not to crash into him. **(FALL, RIDE, MANAGE)**
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ a few miles off the coast when a horrible thunderstorm \_\_\_\_\_ up. We \_\_\_\_\_ to get to safety as soon as possible. **(SAIL, COME, HAVE)**
8. I haven't seen him for ages. When I last \_\_\_\_\_ him, he \_\_\_\_\_ for a new job. **(SEE, LOOK)**
9. While the two teams \_\_\_\_\_ up everyone \_\_\_\_\_ a flag. It \_\_\_\_\_ a very emotional moment. **(WARM, WAVE, BE)**
10. "What \_\_\_\_\_ when I \_\_\_\_\_ to your place yesterday evening?" - "I \_\_\_\_\_ the baby". **(YOU DO, COME, FEED)**
11. I \_\_\_\_\_ down a dark alley when suddenly I \_\_\_\_\_ footsteps. I \_\_\_\_\_ around and \_\_\_\_\_ that an old woman with a dog \_\_\_\_\_ me. **(WALK, HEAR, TURN, SEE, FOLLOW)**
12. "Why \_\_\_\_\_ out last night?" - "I \_\_\_\_\_ too tired and \_\_\_\_\_ to stay at home." **(YOU NOT GO, BE, DECIDE)**
13. The policeman asked me, " How fast \_\_\_\_\_ when you \_\_\_\_\_ the old lady in front of you?" **(YOU DRIVE, SEE)**
14. Mom \_\_\_\_\_ dinner when we \_\_\_\_\_ home from football practice. **(PREPARE, GET)**
15. When I \_\_\_\_\_ young, I always \_\_\_\_\_ to be a pilot. **(BE, WANT)**
16. Las Sunday afternoon I \_\_\_\_\_ for a walk in the park and \_\_\_\_\_ a cup of coffee at a local restaurant. **(GO, HAVE)**
17. When the \_\_\_\_\_ to the airport the plane \_\_\_\_\_ off. **(GET, JUST TAKE)**
18. I \_\_\_\_\_ on a bench in the park when a man \_\_\_\_\_ up to me and \_\_\_\_\_ to know what time it \_\_\_\_\_. **(SIT, COME, WANT, BE)**



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## Spelling Worksheet

For each question only one is spelled correctly. Write the letter of the correctly spelled word in the space.

\_\_\_ A. EXCELLENTE B. EXCELLENT C. EXCELLANT  
\_\_\_ D. EXCULLENT

\_\_\_ A. TISSUE B. TISUE C. TISSOO D. TYSSUE

\_\_\_ A. GLUCOSY B. GLUCOS C. GLUCOCE  
\_\_\_ D. GLUCOSE

\_\_\_ A. POLITISION B. POLITICIEN C. POLITISIAN  
\_\_\_ D. POLITICIAN

\_\_\_ A. BIEGE B. BEEGE C. BEIGE D. BEIGO

\_\_\_ A. EXACTLE B. EXACTLY C. XACTLY D. EXACTLEE

\_\_\_ A. HSITAT B. HESITATE C. HEYITATE D. HESITEAT

\_\_\_ A. AWKWARD B. AWKWERD C. AWKKWARD  
\_\_\_ D. ALKWARD

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