

ANSWERS

Task 2

1. Most cities **like** London have a traffic problem.
2. This blanket **stinks**.
3. My towel still feels **damp**.
4. The soup is **bland**.
5. The film was **like** his others.
6. I **touched** the radiator and it felt cold.
7. She **rubbed** her leg.

Task 3

1. You don't need salt. It's already very **salty**.
2. The persimmon is a strange fruit. It looks **like** a tomato but doesn't taste **like** one.
3. They were both **tapping** their feet to the music.
4. **Press** the button if you want the receptionist to come.
5. Be careful – don't **touch** the door. The paint is still wet.
6. He **tapped** me on the shoulder and asked me to move my head.
7. The policeman **grabbed** the thief's arm and pushed him to the ground.
8. When I came downstairs, I could **smell** the steak frying; it was wonderful.
9. You had ice cream, didn't you? What **flavour** did you have? – Strawberry, but it didn't **taste** like strawberry.

Task 4

1. a delicate scent/fragrance/stink of pine needles
2. the rich aroma/odour/scent of freshly ground coffee
3. the pungent smell/perfume/stench of the fish market
4. a weak/slight/bitter aftertaste
5. a faint hint/flavour/aroma of expensive perfume
6. the bland flavour/taste/savour of mashed potato

Task 5

1. Since my cold I've lost my **sense of smell**.
2. This delicious spice really **brings out the flavour**.

- 3.This drink contains no **artificial flavourings**.
- 4.Our delicious appetisers will **tickle your taste buds**.
- 5.The pack of fox hounds **lost the scent**.

Task 6

- 1.Yes, I can hear you **loud and clear**.
 - 2.It's nice to get some **peace and quiet**.
 - 3.I need to get out of all the **hustle and bustle**.
 - 4.The city was filled with strange **sights and sounds**.
 - 5.The saucepans fell down with **an almighty crash**.
- a.bustle, b.clear, c.crash, d.quiet, e.sounds