

CONSOLIDATION 2 UNITS 5-8

7 Complete the text with a word from the box. Use each word once only.

a advised	d decided	g know	j suppose	m whether
b asked	e doubt	h rather	k told	n wish
c been	f if	i said	l were	o would

A holiday in Scotland

If you go on holiday anywhere in the UK in summer, you never (1) what kind of weather to expect. A few years ago some friends of mine (2) to go on holiday to Scotland, and I was (3) whether I wanted to go too. 'I (4) I could come,' I said, 'but I have already booked a holiday in Italy.' Then I told them that I had been to Scotland before, so they asked me (5) I could give them any tips. I (6) them to take plenty of warm clothes and raincoats. 'If I (7) you, I'd carry umbrellas with you wherever you go,' I told them. 'I (8) whether you'll have a single sunny day, and it'll probably feel more like winter than summer!' 'We'd (9) not carry too much luggage,' they said. 'But (10) it rains every day?' I said. 'What will you do then?' I didn't see them again until we had both come back from our holidays. They were all very sun-tanned, and they told me that the weather had (11) really fantastic. '(12) we had taken your advice,' they said, 'we (13) have made a terrible mistake. Luckily we checked with the weather centre before we left, and we were (14) that it was really hot in Scotland. In fact, it is (15) to have been the hottest two weeks in July in Scottish history!'