

1. Read the article and match the heading with the paragraphs. There is one extra heading.

- What's next?
- In your backpack
- Keeping in touch
- Money matters
- Learning new things
- An American abroad
- Possible problems

2. Write T (true) or F (false) next to each statement.

- a) 25,000 young people in the UK take a gap year every year. ☐
- b) The main reason for taking a gap year is to travel. ☐
- c) You can learn new skills by volunteering. ☐
- d) An American student wrote a novel about his gap year experiences. ☐
- e) His gap year made him feel more independent. ☐
- f) The number one item young people take is a tablet. ☐