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2. The fort field trip was totally lit! I assumed it would be boring, but I was wrong. Our guide was engaging and the food was delicious. Beyond that, the battle reenactments were genuinely impressive.



4. The importance of sleep cannot be understated. Sure, sometimes your brain just won't shut up at midnight. Habitual sleep loss, however, negatively impacts overall health. Both quantity and quality are key.

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Answers will vary but must be more formal.
