Answers to Writing about a bar chart – exercises

1. Check your understanding: true or false
1. True
2. False
3. True
4. True
5. False

2. Check your writing: picture matching – describing changes in bar charts

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3. Check your writing: matching – useful language
1. Introducing your analysis
2. Summarising the main trend
3. Expressing a contrast
4. Talking about numbers going up
5. Talking about numbers going down
6. Talking about numbers staying the same

4. Check your writing: gap fill – prepositions
1. of
2. between
3. in
4. In
5. from / to

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