Chapter 01 Land & People

1) T  2) F  3) F  4) F  5) T

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1) 3. The Serbs, the Croats, and the Bosniaks.
2) 3. 4 years.
3) The Chairman of the Council of Minsters.

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1) Because of better economic and living conditions abroad.
2) In our own country, we’d better coexist with other ethnic groups peacefully and try our best to avoid wars.

Chapter 02 Values & Attitudes

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1) F  2) T  3) T  4) T  5) T
1) Family
2) No, it is not. Because Bosnian family is rather conservative. Men tend to be more “macho” and work outside while women opt to be more domestic.

3) Because Bosnians are proud.
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2) To approach their culture, to show respect and sympathy to the country and the people, etc.

Chapter 03 Holidays & Celebrations

1) forty-day, fast  2) twice  3) end  4) march 1, closed
5) root, uncommon.

2) Seven. They are Ramadan, Bajram, Christmas, New Year, May Holiday, Independent Day and Easter.
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2) Because they want to celebrate Bosnian independence from Yugoslavia on March 1, 1992.
3) During Ramada, they often fast from dawn until nightfall. And they also pray to God in order to ask for forgiveness and guidance. During Bajram, Muslims celebrate Eid ul-Fitr with family and
friends, put on their best clothes, and give gifts to the poor. During the second Bajram, Eid al-Adha, some Muslims will be on pilgrimage to Mecca.

1) We celebrate Spring Festival through eating good food, wearing new clothes and say blessed words to our families and friends.
2) Gift registries are not common in Bosnia while they are common in China.

Chapter 04 Making Friends

1) F  2) F  3) T  4) T  5) T

2) The best way is to accept invitations from your colleagues or to ask suggestions from others who are in your situation and who have been there longer than you have.
2) It means they would like to be your friends and will probably offer to pay.

3) Because Bosnian people's friendships are locally based and centered on family and religious groups. They tend to go out in groups and not
strike up conversations with strangers in bar or cafe.

2) Respect their country; show interests to their language and culture; accept and reciprocate invitations from colleagues and neighbors.

Chapter 05 The Bosnians at Home

1) Relaxed 2) Close-knit, patriarchal 3) common

2) F 2) F 3) T 4) T 5) F

3) Jobs with international companies and diplomatic missions.
2) Because they tend to be reasonably stable and the pay and working conditions are generally good.

Chapter 06 Time Out

1) D 2) A 3) C 4) D 5) C 6) C 7) A 8) A

2) Local brandies are fruit- or herb-based, and tend to be quite strong.
2) No. Because much of food is seasonal and local, and most waiters and
waitresses speak English.

Chapter 07 Travel, Health, & Safety

1) B  2) B  3) D  4) C  5) A/C

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1) 5. Taxis, trams, buses, trains, and walking.
2) Less than 0.05 percent.

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1) Taxis, because it's cheap and convenient.
2) Because there is a lack of funding and coordination between health care facilities and the doctors are not so qualified there.

Chapter 08 Business Briefing

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1) T  2) F  3) T  4) T  5) T

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1) C  2) B  3) C  4) A
Chapter 09 Communicating

1)
1) identical  2) phonetic  3) capitalize
4) news, entertainment, sports

2)
1) F  2) F  3) T  4) F  5) T

3)
1) Because when language fails, body language is a good way to communicate with local people.
2) Because they represent different political importance.