Listen to the recording about the history of ice skating. While listening, answer the questions using a maximum of FOUR words. Write your answers into the boxes on the right.

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<td>Ice skating is described as __________.</td>
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<td>According to Professor Formenti there is doubt as to ______.</td>
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<td>Skating has been around ______.</td>
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<td>The original purpose of skating was ______ when getting about.</td>
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<td>When moving about in Southern Finland, people will often find ______ in their way.</td>
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<td>Early skates have been found in Finland and in ______ in general.</td>
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<td>______ were the basic material of the original skates.</td>
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<td>The early skaters moved forward by ______.</td>
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<td>For safety reasons, the base of the early skate had to be ______.</td>
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<td>______ on the early skates was a challenge.</td>
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KEY
(recommended answers – other answers may of course be possible)

1. pleasant / joyful
   pleasant but weird
   pleasant but weird experience
2. where skating started / was invented
   what humans started skating
   who started / invented skating
   the origins (of skating)
   where ice skating originated
   where it started
3. (for about) four thousand years
   since (about) 2000 B.C.
4. saving energy (and time)
5. (a lot of) lakes
   frozen lakes
   at least one lake
   heaps of lakes
6. Central and Northern Europe
   all across Northern Europe
   Northern Europe
7. animal bones
   cow / horse bones
   bones of animals (available)
8. pushing with a stick / pushing sticks
   using a stick
9. flat (at the bottom)
   flattened
10. making turns
    making a turn
    a turn