

SEQUENCING WORD

We use sequencing words and expression to show the order in which event happened :

One day - At some time in the future

Ex: **One day** Sam woke up early and went swimming

Soon - a short time after now

Ex: **Soon** it was time for breakfast

Then - used to indicate what happens or happened next

Ex: **Then** he went back to the campsite

By then - referring to a process that will take place between the now and the *then* (the distant event)

Ex: **By Then** his family were eating

Later - At some time

Ex: **Later** they all went to the beach

In the End - in conclusion

Ex: **In the end** they stayed at the beach until 10pm

Read the Story.

Complete it with using these sequencing words below

later

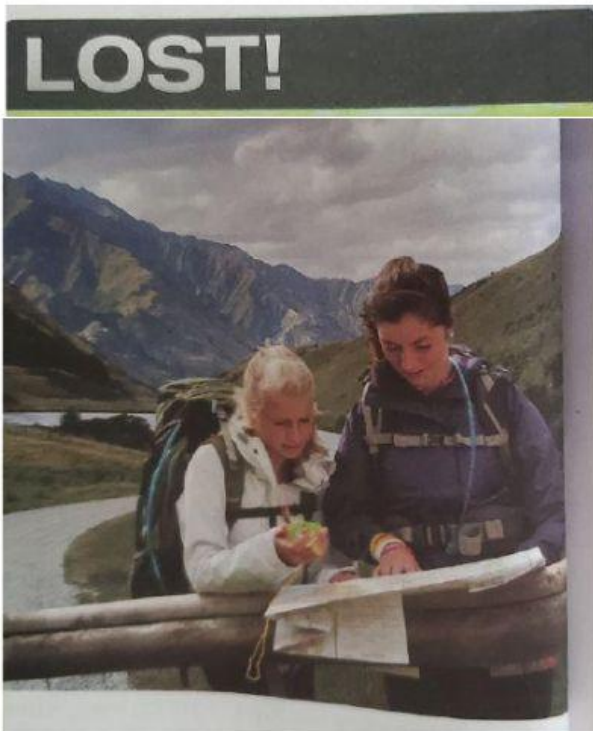
Soon

Then

In the end

One day

By then



_____ my friend Rosie and I decided to go for a walk in the mountains. The sun was shining when we set off, but _____ the weather changed. It was very foggy and we couldn't see where we were going. _____ we were lost. We didn't know what to do. _____ I remembered I had my mobile phone in my bag! I tried to phone my dad, but my phone wasn't working. _____ it was getting dark and we were cold and frightened. Suddenly we heard the sound of a helicopter. We couldn't believe our luck! It was coming to rescue us. Everything was alright _____ - but we learned our lesson. Next time, we'll check the weather forecast before we go for a walk in the mountains!.

Read the Story again and answer these questions

1) Which phrases often go at the beginning of a story

A. Soon	B. Then	C. One day
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2) Which phrases often go at the end of the story

A. In the end	B. Later	C. by then
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3) Which phrase is often followed by the past continuous

A. Then	B. By then	C. Soon
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4) What tense we usually use with the other words

A. Past simple	B. Present simple	C. future simple
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