

## **Unit 3: A long time ago and today**

### **Grammar: Contrast with but and instead**

#### **1. Choose:**

a) A long time ago, people didn't have mobile phone, they're use landlinephone \_\_\_\_\_.

A. but

B. instead

C. and

D. too

b) Many years ago, people didn't have email. They wrote letter instead.

A. But

B. instead

C. and

D. too

c) Many years ago, people didn't have cars, \_\_\_\_\_ but some people had horses.

A. but

B. instead

C. and

D. too

d) Many years ago, people couldn't play computer game, \_\_\_\_\_ they played fun board games.

A. but

B. instead

C. and

D. too

#### **2. Essay section**

- 1 **Read and write.** Combine the sentences from the table.  
Use the word in brackets.

A long time ago ...	Today ...
1. people wrote with feathers	we write with pens and pencils
2. people didn't eat chocolate	we eat and drink it
3. TV programmes were in black and white	they are in colour
4. people used umbrellas in the sun	we use them in the rain
5. people wore watches on their clothes	we wear watches on our arms

1. *A long time ago, people wrote with feathers. Today, we write* \_\_\_\_\_ (instead)  
*with pens and pencils instead.*
2. \_\_\_\_\_ (but)
3. \_\_\_\_\_ (instead)
4. \_\_\_\_\_ (but)
5. \_\_\_\_\_ (instead)