

## Grammar Practice

### Present perfect and past simple

#### 1 Circle the correct words.

My parents love adventures and travelling. We <sup>(1)</sup> **ve seen** / saw some amazing places. We <sup>(2)</sup> **ve been** / went to Africa and South America and last summer we <sup>(3)</sup> **ve stayed** / stayed in the Arctic for three weeks. We <sup>(4)</sup> **haven't stayed** / didn't stay in a hotel; we went camping. Over the last five years, we <sup>(5)</sup> **ve met** / met some interesting people and my mum <sup>(6)</sup> **has bought** / bought some unusual souvenirs!

#### 2 Complete the sentences with the present perfect or the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

We bought (buy) a guidebook last week.

1 That man get (get) on the train ten minutes ago.

2 We be (be) on the bus for six hours now.

3 We feel (feel) very tired when we got to the top of the mountain.

4 James work (work) in Australia since 2008.

5 I not travel (not travel) much.

#### 3 Complete the dialogue with the present perfect or the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

A <sup>(1)</sup> **Have** you ever been (be) to another country?

B Yes, I have. I <sup>(2)</sup> visit (visit) the USA.

A Really? When <sup>(3)</sup> you (go) there?

B I <sup>(4)</sup> go (go) last year when I was visiting my cousins in Las Vegas. They <sup>(5)</sup> live (live) there for two years. It's the best experience I <sup>(6)</sup> have (have) ever take (take) hundreds of photos when I was there!

### Quantity

#### 4 Circle the correct words.

We haven't got **much** / many time. Hurry up!

1 There aren't **much** / many things to do in the town.

2 I've got a **few** / a little money.

3 I've got a **few** / a little €10 notes in my purse.

4 There aren't **a few** / any new teachers at the school.

5 There are **a lot of** / any new students.

#### 5 Complete the sentences with *some*, *any*, *much* or *many*.

How many different countries have you been to?

1 He didn't send postcards from New York – not one!

2 We didn't buy souvenirs – just one or two.

3 How food have you got in your suitcase?

4 They haven't got money – only a few euros each.

5 'Are there seats near the window?' 'Yes, there are two.'

#### 6 Correct the errors in the red words. Rewrite the whole sentence.

How **much** people go there every year?

How many people go there every year?

1 She drinks **a few** water every 30 minutes.

2 I've got **a lot** friends in the USA.

3 It's empty – there aren't **some** books in it.

4 There's a **little** food, but not **many**.

5 Complete the sentences with the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 She has \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in Tenerife for five years. She loves it there.
- 2 My brother \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to England last summer. He had a great time.
- 3 My friends \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) to Italy. They want to go there next year.
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) any souvenirs when you were in Paris?
- 5 I \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) the new film. Is it good?
- 6 We're going to be late. The plane leaves in three hours and we \_\_\_\_\_ (not pack) our suitcases!

Score \_\_\_/6

6 Complete the sentences with the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in the box.

buy go go live spend work

- 1 I \_\_\_\_\_ all my money! I haven't got anything left.
- 2 I \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of new clothes on Saturday.
- 3 My sister \_\_\_\_\_ to Ireland. She's staying in Dublin for two weeks to learn English.
- 4 I \_\_\_\_\_ to Ireland last year. I had a really good time.
- 5 They \_\_\_\_\_ in Canada for 10 ten years. They really like it there.
- 6 My parents \_\_\_\_\_ in a car factory in France when they were younger.

Score \_\_\_/6

7 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

any any a little a lot of much some

- 1 My father has been to \_\_\_\_\_ different countries. I think he has been to more than thirty.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ of my friends were at the party.
- 3 My sister can speak \_\_\_\_\_ German. She can say 'thank you' and 'good morning'.
- 4 How \_\_\_\_\_ milk is there in the fridge?
- 5 I couldn't answer \_\_\_\_\_ of the questions in the maths test. They were all too difficult.
- 6 Did you send \_\_\_\_\_ postcards when you were on holiday?

Score \_\_\_/6

8 Complete the text with *much*, *many*, *some* or *any*.

Last year, we went to Greece on holiday. I bought (1) \_\_\_\_\_ souvenirs for my parents, but I didn't buy (2) \_\_\_\_\_ because they were quite expensive and I didn't have (3) \_\_\_\_\_ money. I sent postcards to (4) \_\_\_\_\_ of my friends and I saw (5) \_\_\_\_\_ interesting things during the holiday. I met a few interesting people during the holiday but I didn't meet (6) \_\_\_\_\_ English people.

Score \_\_\_/6