

GRAMMAR

Circle the correct answer, a, b, or c.

What's _____ name?

a yours **b** your c you

1 Where _____ on holiday last year?

a you went
b did you go
c you did go

2 He didn't _____ to come to France with us.

a wanted
b wants
c want

3 We _____ to San Francisco last August.

a flown
b fly
c flew

4 When I took the photo you _____ looking at me.

a weren't
b wasn't
c didn't

5 What _____ doing when you phoned him?

a he was
b was he
c were he

6 Who _____ that song?

a did write
b wrote
c did wrote

7 When _____?

a he died
b died he
c did he die

8 She was driving fast _____ she was late.

a although
b because
c so

9 _____ the music was bad, we danced all night.

a But
b Although
c So

10 It was dark _____ she didn't see him.

a but
b so
c because

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VOCABULARY

a holiday verbs

Complete the phrases with a verb.

_____ go _____ shopping

1 _____ photos

2 _____ for a walk

3 _____ in a hotel

4 _____ two days in Paris / 1,000 euros

5 _____ a good time

b prepositions

Complete the sentences with *at*, *in*, or *on*.

I'm sitting _____ *in* a taxi.

1 We met _____ a party.

2 The two lovers were talking _____ a balcony.

3 We were sitting _____ the garden.

4 There was a photo _____ the wall.

5 I was waiting _____ the bus stop.

c question words

Complete the questions with a question word.

_____ *What* is Sting's real name?

1 _____ did The Police make their first record?

2 _____ wrote their songs?

3 _____ records did they sell?

4 _____ happened to them in the end?

5 _____ of their albums do you like best?

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PRONUNCIATION

a Underline the word with a different sound

| | | | | |
|---|---|--------|------------|----------|
| 1 |  wore | wrote | thought | saw |
| 2 |  took | could | found | put |
| 3 |  shop | choose | exhibition | musician |
| 4 |  whose | how | who | when |
| 5 |  job | argue | jealous | manager |

b Underline the stressed syllable.

information

incredible horrible photographer suddenly although

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CAN YOU UNDERSTAND THIS TEXT?

Mountain climbers rescued by text message



Two British climbers were rescued yesterday after sending an SOS text message to a friend in London.

Rachel Kelsey, 34, and her partner, Jeremy Colenso, 33, who are both experienced climbers, were on a climbing holiday last week in Switzerland. But on Saturday night, when they were 3,000 metres up in the mountains, there was a terrible storm. The wind was incredibly strong and the snow was two metres deep. They couldn't move and they had to spend the night on the mountain. Rachel had her mobile phone with her, so she sent a text message to five friends in the UK asking for help.

About four hours later, one of her friends, Avery Cunliffe in London, replied with a text message. Avery said, 'I don't usually have my mobile in the bedroom. At about 4 a.m. I woke up and saw Rachel's message. I found the number of the police in Switzerland and phoned them. They contacted the mountain rescue team.'

But the weather was so bad that the helicopter couldn't get to the two climbers. The rescue team sent a text message to Rachel and Jeremy telling them that they had to spend a second night on the mountain. The message said: 'So sorry Rachel. We tried. Wind too strong. Have to wait till morning. Take care. Be strong.' Rachel said, 'I thought we were going to die. It was freezing, -15°C, and really windy on the mountain. We spent the night talking and planning a holiday in the sun!'

Next morning the storm passed and the helicopter arrived to take them off the mountain. Avery said, 'When I heard that Rachel and Jeremy were safe I was dancing around my flat.' Rachel said that she and Jeremy were now looking forward to a hot bath and a good meal. But first they were going to buy the rescue team a bottle of whisky!

Adapted from a British newspaper

a Read the article and mark the sentences T (true), F (false), or DS (doesn't say).

- 1 Rachel and Jeremy were climbing for the first time.
- 2 They couldn't go down the mountain because of bad weather.
- 3 Avery was sleeping when Rachel's message came.
- 4 He called the mountain rescue team in Switzerland.
- 5 Rachel's other four friends didn't reply.
- 6 The helicopter couldn't rescue them immediately.
- 7 Rachel and Jeremy spent three nights on the mountain.
- 8 They wanted to buy Avery a bottle of whisky.

b Underline and learn six new words or expressions from the article. Use your dictionary to check the meaning and pronunciation.

CAN YOU UNDERSTAND THESE PEOPLE?

a **2.21** Listen and circle the correct answer, a, b, or c.

- 1 Where did the woman go on holiday this year?
a Portugal b Scotland c Spain
- 2 What was the weather like in Italy?
a It rained. b It was hot. c It was sunny.
- 3 Where did the photographer take the photo of the actor?
a On the stairs. b In reception. c In the street.
- 4 What was the model doing when he took the photo?
a Talking b Reading c Walking on the 'catwalk'
- 5 What year did the pop group make their last album?
a 2001 b 2002 c 2003

b **2.22** Listen to the story and mark the sentences T (true) or F (false).

- 1 She was driving to work.
- 2 It was raining.
- 3 She saw a man in the road asking her to stop.
- 4 The two men drove away in her car.
- 5 She rang the police on her mobile.

CAN YOU SAY THIS IN ENGLISH?

a Can you...? Yes (✓)

- talk about your last holiday
- talk about your favourite photo
- talk about your favourite singer or band

b Complete the questions with *was*, *were*, *do*, *did*, or *-*.

- 1 What kind of books _____ you read?
- 2 Where _____ you at 9.00 this morning?
- 3 What _____ happening when you got home last night?
- 4 What _____ you doing on September 11th 2001?
- 5 How many people _____ came to class today?

c Ask your partner the questions in b. Ask for more information.