

Use of English section

Grammar section

**1 Complete the sentences with SO, BECAUSE, BUT or ALTHOUGH**

Example: *Although* it was late, we weren't tired.

- 1 Amal doesn't eat meat \_\_\_\_\_ he's a vegetarian.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ the restaurant was expensive, the food was awful.
- 3 Tomas doesn't like his job, \_\_\_\_\_ he's looking for another one.
- 4 It was a nice day, \_\_\_\_\_ we went to the beach.
- 5 They're learning Spanish \_\_\_\_\_ they want to visit Argentina.
- 6 I invited Ian to the party, \_\_\_\_\_ he didn't want to come.  
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**2 Complete the dialogue with the correct form of the verbs in brackets**

**Lucy** *Did you enjoy* (you enjoy) your trip to Italy?  
**Jean** I had a great time!  
**Lucy** That's good. Where <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (you stay)?  
**Jean** In a really nice hotel in Sorrento.  
**Lucy** Who <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (you go) with?  
**Jean** Sandy and Mel. We had a few problems while we were there.  
**Lucy** What <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (happen)?  
**Jean** Mel lost her passport and her purse.  
**Lucy** Really? What <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (she do)?  
**Jean** We went to the police station.  
**Lucy** What <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (they say)?  
**Jean** Well – Mel's things were there!  
**Lucy** That was lucky! Who <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (find) them?  
**Jean** Two children – at the beach.  
**Lucy** That was very lucky!

**3 Complete the dialogue with past simple or past continuous**

Example: We drove (drive) to Manchester last week.

- 1 It \_\_\_\_\_ (not snow) when I went to bed.
- 2 When \_\_\_\_\_ she \_\_\_\_\_ (pass) her driving test?
- 3 Donna \_\_\_\_\_ (not come) to the theatre with us last night.
- 4 What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (do) at six o'clock last night?
- 5 I \_\_\_\_\_ (not study) when you rang.
- 6 Last year they \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a new house.
- 7 We \_\_\_\_\_ (see) Rachel at the restaurant yesterday.
- 8 \_\_\_\_\_ Dan \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) his suit when you saw him?

**4 Read the letter and complete with with present simple or present continuous**

Hi Mandy

My name's Paloma and I live (live) in Madrid. I go to the cinema sometimes, but I<sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (love) the theatre. What about you? <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (prefer) the cinema or the theatre?

I'm a student, but it's the winter holidays, so now I<sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not study) - I<sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (work) in a shop. I<sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (want) some extra money because I'm going to visit Russia next year! I<sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not speak) Russian very well, so I<sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (have) some lessons. <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (learn) any languages at the moment?

Write soon

Paloma

**5. Look at the pictures of Jackie twenty years ago. Complete the questions with the correct form of used to and the verbs below.**

**Then write answers**

have - live - play - wear - work



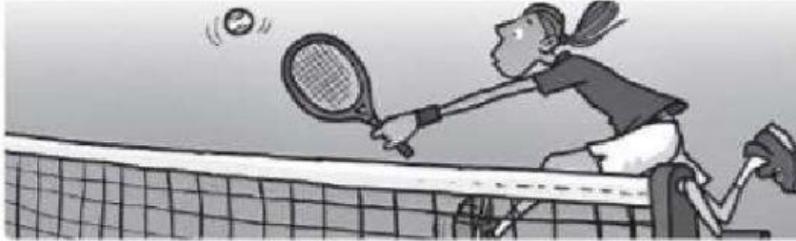
1 Did she use to live in London?

No, she used to live in Paris

2 \_\_\_\_\_ short hair?

\_\_\_\_\_

3 \_\_\_\_\_ in a shop?



\_\_\_\_\_

4 \_\_\_\_\_ football at weekends?

\_\_\_\_\_

5 \_\_\_\_\_ a tracksuit?

\_\_\_\_\_

### Vocabulary section

#### 1. Choose the correct form

1 **MEET - RUN - HAVE** someone to a restaurant

2 **HAVE/ LEAVE/ WAIT** a good time

3 **INVITE/ GIVE/ DRIVE** somebody to dinner

4 **WAIT/ MEET/ DRIVE** along the road

5 **RUN/ BE/ PLAY** in a hurry

6 **WAIT/ RUN/ INVITE** for a friend

7 **TAKE/ PLAY/ GIVE** a song

#### 2. Complete the sentences with the correct preposition

- 1 What did you do \_\_\_\_\_ the weekend?
- 2 There was nowhere to sit \_\_\_\_\_ the train.
- 3 They played basketball \_\_\_\_\_ the morning
- 4 Stefano was born \_\_\_\_\_ Rome
- 5 They sat \_\_\_\_\_ the balcony.
6. We arrived \_\_\_\_\_ bus left. the bus stop just before the bus left

### 3. Complete the sentences with the correct words

1. You need a passport if you want to go **BY PLANE- ON HOLIDAY - ABROAD**
2. The food at the restaurant was **COMFORTABLE - DELICIOUS - CROWDED**
3. The weather was lovely. It was **FOGGY - CLOUDY – SUNNY** every day.
4. Julie and Andy **BOOKED - HIRED – RENTED** their flights online.
5. I **BUY - GO - SPEND** most of my time at the beach when I'm on holidays.
6. Did you **BUY - TAKE - HAVE** any souvenirs when you were in Brazil?
- 7 We went **BY CAR - AWAY – OUT** for a few days over Christmas.
8. He's **SHORT - MEDIUM - TALL** height and a little bit overweight.
9. Mary never does any work! She's very **GENEROUS - HARD WORKING - LAZY**
- 10 Tamsin's very **EXTROVERTED - HARD WORKING – CLEVER.** She loves meeting new people.
- 11 Antonio is **THIN - OVERWEIGHT - SLIM** because he doesn't do any exercise.
- 12 My teacher's really **FUNNY - MEAN - FRIENDLY.** She's nice to everybody.

13 Jamie doesn't have any hair. He's **FAIR - BALD - BLOND**

14 Olga has **BIG - STRAIGHT - LONG** curly hair.

15 David makes me laugh. He's really **FUNNY - QUIET - SERIOUS**

**4. Read the definitions and complete them with a suitable word**

1. Jewellery you wear on your finger. \_\_\_\_\_

2. A jacket and a pair of trousers or a skirt.  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. A top you wear in summer. \_\_\_\_\_

4. You wear them on your hands when it's cold. \_\_\_\_\_

5. Winter footwear. \_\_\_\_\_

6. You wear it over your clothes when you go out.  
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