

## Exercises

**36.1** Look at the pictures. Complete the sentences with **used to ...**.

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| <p>1 This is me a few years ago.</p>  <p>She <u>used to have</u><br/><u>long hair.</u></p> | <p>2 When I was younger ...</p>  <p>He _____<br/>football.</p> | <p>3 I'm a hairdresser now.</p>  <p>a taxi driver.</p> |
| <p>4 We live in London now.</p>  <p>in the country.</p>                                    | <p>5 This is me 20 years ago. I never wear glasses now.</p>    | <p>6</p>  <p>This building _____</p>                   |

**36.2** Karen works very hard and has very little free time. A few years ago, things were different.

| Karen a few years ago                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           | Karen now                                                                                                                                            |
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| <p>Do you do any sport? → Yes, I swim every day and I play volleyball.</p> <p>Do you go out much? → Yes, most evenings.</p> <p>Do you play a musical instrument? → Yes, the guitar.</p> <p>Do you like reading? → Yes, I read a lot.</p> <p>Do you travel much? → Yes, I go away two or three times a year.</p> |  <p>I work very hard in my job. I don't have any free time.</p> |

Write sentences about Karen with **used to ...**.

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| 1 <u>She used to swim every day.</u> | 4 _____ |
| 2 She _____                          | 5 _____ |
| 3 _____                              | 6 _____ |

**36.3** Complete these sentences. Use **used to** or the present simple (**I play / he lives** etc.).

- I used to play tennis. I stopped playing a few years ago.
- 'Do you do any sport?' 'Yes, I play basketball.'
- 'Do you have a car?' 'No, I \_\_\_\_\_ one, but I sold it.'
- George \_\_\_\_\_ a waiter. Now he's the manager of a hotel.
- 'Do you go to work by car?' 'Sometimes, but most days I \_\_\_\_\_ by train.'
- When I was a child, I never \_\_\_\_\_ meat, but I eat it now.
- Mary loves watching TV. She \_\_\_\_\_ TV every evening.
- We \_\_\_\_\_ near the airport, but we moved to the city centre a few years ago.
- Normally I start work at 7 o'clock, so I \_\_\_\_\_ up very early.
- What games \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ when you were a child?