

Past simple

- 1 a** Complete the story of Jenny's holiday. Put the verbs in brackets into the past simple tense.

Jenny ¹ *was* (be) very happy. It ² _____ (be) the first day of her holiday. She ³ _____ (pack) her suitcase and ⁴ _____ (put) her ticket and passport in her rucksack. She ⁵ _____ (leave) the luggage in the hall and ⁶ _____ (phone) for a taxi. Then she ⁷ _____ (wait), but the taxi ⁸ _____ (be) late. When the taxi finally ⁹ _____ (arrive), Jenny ¹⁰ _____ (rush) to the door. She ¹¹ _____ (forget) that her suitcase and rucksack ¹² _____ (be) in the hall. She ¹³ _____ (trip) over them, ¹⁴ _____ (fall) and ¹⁵ _____ (break) her arm. The taxi driver ¹⁶ _____ (not take) Jenny to the airport. He ¹⁷ _____ (take) her to the hospital. So Jenny ¹⁸ _____ (not go) on holiday. She ¹⁹ _____ (stay) at home for two weeks. And the weather ²⁰ _____ (be) terrible. It ²¹ _____ (rain) every day. Jenny ²² _____ (not be) happy.

- b** Put the pictures in the correct order.



1. _____, 2. _____, 3. _____, 4. _____, 5. _____, 6. _____,

Past simple: questions

2 a Use the cues. Make questions to complete the conversation.

- 1 You / away / last week?
Yes, I was. We were on holiday.
Were you away last week?
- 2 Where / you / go?
We went to Italy.
- 3 You / have / a good time?
Yes, we did. It was really good.
- 4 the weather / good?
Yes, it was very nice.
- 5 You / stay in a hotel?
No, we didn't. We were in an apartment.
- 6 There / other young people there?
Yes, there were. I made a lot of new friends.
- 7 What / you do / there?
We spent most of the time on the beach.