

## Reading and Writing

Read about Amy and answer the questions



Last month I got the new Zphone 8 and I love it. It looks great and it's easy to use. Here are some of the pros and cons:

It's light and it has a large screen so it can display more information. The big screen makes it very easy to see what I'm reading. This is good when I look up things on the internet. Also, it's a bit bigger than the Zphone 7 and I can look at photos easily. The camera is excellent too. It works really well. The main disadvantage is the battery life. It doesn't last very long if you want to play games or film videos.

In conclusion, I think that the Zphone 8 is great. It's quite expensive, but I would recommend it!

1.TRUE or FALSE?. Select the correct answer.

	TRUE or FALSE
Amy bought a new phone last month	
Amy really likes her phone	
The phone is big and heavy	
The phone has a good camera	
She finds it difficult to use it	
Amy has problems when reading on the internet	
Amy can play with the mobile for a long time	
Amy thinks the mobile is cheap	
Amy is recommending it to everybody	
This text is an interview	

2. Rewrite the following sentences from the text in Past Simple

I love it

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It looks great and it is easy to use

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It has a large screen

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The big screen makes it easy to see the texts

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The battery doesn't last very long

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I think that the phone is great

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**3. Complete the following sentences using the Past Simple affirmative of the verbs in brackets.**

- 1 Mary \_\_\_\_\_ (take) a plane to New York last week.
- 2 My sister's boyfriend \_\_\_\_\_ (get) a job in MacDonald's.
- 3 My teacher \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) confident when he \_\_\_\_\_ (talk) to us.
- 4 James \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a generous person.
- 5 Your friends \_\_\_\_\_ (speak) to my mum
- 6 My neighbors \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) the lights on when they  
\_\_\_\_\_ (go) on holiday in summer.

**4. Write sentences in exercise 3 in the negative form of the Past Simple**

- 1 \_\_\_\_\_
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_
- 4 \_\_\_\_\_
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Complete the following sentences using the Past Continuous of the verbs in brackets**

- 1 The birds \_\_\_\_\_ (fly) South by then.
- 2 All the animals of the zoo \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) at the same time.
- 3 My classmates \_\_\_\_\_ (not - study) for the exam during the break.
- 4 Last Monday at 7:00 pm my parents \_\_\_\_\_ (travel) to LA
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ the teachers \_\_\_\_\_ (swim) in the pool at 10:00?