

Language Test 3B**

Grammar

1 Complete the sentences with the Past simple form of the verbs in the box.

be come do give have listen see take travel write

- 1 Joe and I Julia at the cinema last Thursday.
- 2 Frank a great story for the school magazine.
- 3 You home at one o'clock in the morning.
- 4 The little girl to the songs on her brother's MP3 player.
- 5 We all a terrible time at the party on Sunday night.
- 6 Mum and Dad me a brilliant present for my birthday.
- 7 Sandy her homework in her bedroom last night.
- 8 I photos of all my friends at school.
- 9 Maurice and Sandra at the football match yesterday.
- 10 The Brown family to Australia by plane.

2 Complete the text with the Past simple form of the verbs in the box.

chat go have not get up not see not swim open

Last weekend was my birthday. I ¹ early. Mum, Dad and I
² breakfast at ten, and then I ³ my present. It was a
new mobile phone! In the afternoon we ⁴ to the beach, but we
⁵ because the water was cold. I ⁶ my friends in the
evening, but I ⁷ to them on my new phone!

3 Write a dialogue with the Past simple.

- A** ¹ (you / see) the documentary on TV last night?
- B** Yes, ²
- A** ³ (what / your sister / do?)
- B** ⁴ (she / read / her book)
- A** ⁵ (you / cook / dinner) for your family?
- B** No, ⁶

- A** 7 (what time / you / finish) your homework?
- B** 8 (it / be / about eight)

Vocabulary

1 Match the words (1–8) with the sentences (a–h).

1	queen	a	People fight with this thing.
2	century	b	This is not a building but there are a lot of men in it!
3	soldier	c	This is a dark, scary place.
4	castle	d	This man fights.
5	sword	e	This is a strong, old building.
6	dungeon	f	This is a hundred years.
7	army	g	This woman lives in a big, strong building.
8	plague	h	This is a terrible disease.

2 Choose the correct options.

A long, long time ago, a queen lived in a big castle. She had a(n) ¹ *servant* / *army* with thousands of ² *kings* / *soldiers*. The men fought with long ³ *swords* / *knights* and they ⁴ *died* / *killed* a lot of men. But then there was a ⁵ *plague* / *dungeon* and the queen ⁶ *died* / *killed*.

3 Complete the text with the words in the box.

fell	got	got	graduated	had	left	moved
retired	started	was	went			

Maude Barlow ¹ born in 1935. She ⁽²⁾ school when she was six and finished when she was eighteen. She ³ home in 1953 and ⁴ to university in York. She ⁵ from there in 1957 and then she ⁶ a job.

One day she met a young man outside a cinema and they ⁷ in love. The young man's name was Joe Alley. He and Maude ⁸ married in 1960 and they ⁹ a baby in 1962. They ¹⁰ house in 1964. Maude ¹¹ in 2001.

Speaking

1 Complete the dialogue with the words and phrases in the box.

because don't be silly say 'cheese' why do you want to why not

- Valerie** Hey Eliot. Do you want to go ice-skating? It's a very hot day.
- Eliot** No way! Ice-skating is so boring!
- Valerie** ¹ Ice-skating is exciting. And it's fun!
- Eliot** Well, I don't like the ice-skating rink.
- Valerie** All right. What about going to the cinema?
- Eliot** No, I don't want to see a film.
- Valerie** ² ?
- Eliot** I haven't got my money with me. I've got a good idea! Let's go to the park.
- Valerie** ³ go there?
- Eliot** ⁴ I want to take some photos of the ducks. I can use them for my Science project.
- Eliot** OK, but first I want to take a photo of you. Give me your mobile phone. Now ⁵ !

2 Put the dialogue in the correct order.

- Why don't you want to go there?
- Don't be silly! They're brilliant places.
- No way!
- Because Science museums are really boring.
- Why don't we go to the Science museum in town this afternoon?