Pronunciation

Reduction of *did you*

Pronunciation Help	
How we spell it	**How we say it**
Did you	Didja

CD 3-43 ▶ Task 1

Listen and repeat.

1. *Did you* cut yourself?
2. How *did you* break your arm?
3. *Did you* go to the doctor?
4. Why *did you* go to the doctor?

▶ Task 2

Read the questions to a partner. Be sure to reduce *did you*.

Dictation

CD 3-44 ▶ Task 1

Listen. Write the missing words.

A: How _____ _____ _____ your leg, Craig?

B: Oh, I tripped and fell when I was playing soccer.

A: Ouch. _____ _____ _____ to the hospital?

B: Yes, I did. My leg really hurt, so I got x-rays.

A: Really? _____ _____ _____ your leg?

B: No, it's just a sprain. But I won't be able to play soccer for the rest of the season.

A: Oh, no. That's too bad.

▶ Task 2

Practice the conversation with a partner. Be sure to reduce *did you*.

Conversation

Work in pairs. Think of a time when you injured yourself.
Tell your partner about it.

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