

WRITING

A review



- 1 ☐ Have you seen **STOMP** yet? You haven't? Then what are you waiting for? **STOMP** is perfect for adults and kids – it's the best show I've ever seen.
- 2 ☐ **STOMP** isn't a musical or a dance show. It's a performance with a difference. The performers create powerful rhythms with objects like brushes and newspapers. There are no lines, singing or story, but the sounds and movements are amazing.
- 3 ☐ What I liked about it was that the performers were so talented. I've never seen anything like it before. It was a bit loud sometimes, but great fun really.
- 4 ☐ **STOMP** is on at a theatre near Broadway and tickets are a really good price. I recommend it because it's so creative and original.

1 Look at the photo and answer the questions.

- 1 What type of show is it?
- 2 Have you ever seen a similar performance?

2 Read Camila's review of the show. Did she enjoy it?

3 Match information a–d with paragraphs 1–4.

- a a description of the event
- b what she liked / didn't like about it
- c where you can see it
- d who it is for

4 Complete the phrases in the *Useful language* box. Then check in the review.

Useful language

I ¹ _____ it because ...
 It's the best show I ² _____ seen.
 I've never ³ _____ anything like it before.
 (STOMP) is ⁴ _____ at ...
⁵ _____ I liked / didn't like about it was ...

School of Rock, the musical!

Great family entertainment!

Dewey Finn fails as a rock star! But can he become a good teacher and turn his students into an amazing rock group? Winter Garden Theater, Broadway, New York.

Write your own review of a performance

PLAN

- 5 Look at the *School of Rock* poster or think of a performance you have been to. Make notes.

Where did you see it? _____

Who was the performance for? _____

What was it like? _____

What did you like / not like about it? _____

- 6 Decide what information to include in each paragraph. Use the information in Exercise 3 to help you.

WRITE

- 7 Write your review. Remember to include four paragraphs, the present perfect and phrases from the *Useful language* box.

CHECK

- 8 Do you ...
 - describe the event?
 - say who it is for?
 - say what you liked / didn't like about it?



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