

Reading Comprehension: A Scary Camping Adventure in Canada.

Read the passage about a spooky experience and put the verbs in brackets into the past simple tense.

I'm Jodie and I'm an adventurer! I have travelled the world and visited thirty different countries. I have had many strange and unusual experiences, but there is one, in particular, which really scared and unnerved me!

It _____ (happen) five years ago. I _____ (go) to Canada on a solo camping trip. I _____ (fly) there from my home town, London. When I _____ (arrive), I _____ (stop) off at a store and _____ (buy) enough dry food to last me for the nine days and nights I was staying. I was going to a huge forest. There were streams in the area, so I _____ (have) access to fresh water. I _____ (set) off in wonderful weather. I _____ (feel) good about things. As I _____ (walk) along, I _____ (whistle) or _____ (sing). I _____ (see) moose, deer and - a bear, in the distance, thankfully! I _____ (not see) another person. Nobody at all. I _____ (take) photos with my specialist camera and with my mobile phone. It was bliss, just myself and the elements. I _____ (have) the best time ever and _____ (return) home feeling refreshed and in love with my life. So, what was freaky? When I _____ (develop) the photos on my camera, there were nine of me asleep in my sleeping bag. One photo for each night I was there. I swear to you, there was no-one else anywhere near me on that trip. Now, what do you make of that? Pretty spooky, eh?



Find out everything about Jodie! Read what she says and complete her personal profile

Age: _____
Address: _____
Marital status: _____
Eye colour: _____
Hair colour: _____
Height: _____
Weight: _____
Hobbies: _____

I'm quite tall, 5'10, and at 9 stone, I'm very slim. My eyes are blue and my hair is brown. I live at 22 Grosvenor Square, London. I love travelling, as you know, but I also enjoy reading and watching films. I am 24 years old and I am not married. When I do get married, it will have to be someone who enjoys travelling!

With all the information you now have about Jodie, decide if the sentences are true or false

1. **T/F** She went on a camping trip to Canada six years ago.
2. **T/F** She went there by plane.
3. **T/F** She has got brown hair and green eyes.
4. **T/F** She is short and slim.
5. **T/F** While walking through the forest, she listened to her radio.
6. **T/F** When she developed her photos, she got a big surprise!
7. **T/F** She met lots of other people in Canada.
8. **T/F** She is single.
9. **T/F** She ate lots of fresh food on her camping trip.
10. **T/F** She saw lots of wild animals on her trip.

