

REVISION UNIT 1-6

1 Match the verbs (1-8) with the nouns they collocate with (a-h).

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| 1 arrange / go to | a my own company |
| 2 train / need | b a project |
| 3 apply for / lose | c a new part |
| 4 order / install | d a contract |
| 5 negotiate / sign | e a job |
| 6 work on / manage | f a sofa |
| 7 run / start | g an appointment |
| 8 buy / lie on | h staff |

3 Match the sentence halves.

- I was able to check in
- It was only when I joined the queue
- We got to the airport in plenty of time but it took ages
- The trains weren't running, so I called
- The plane was rather late
- When I checked the departures
- We got stuck in heavy traffic on
- I quickly ran to the boarding

2 Complete the text by writing the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

I'm at college and I ¹ _____ (train) to become an electrician. I ² _____ (really like) the course and I ³ _____ (do) quite well. Last week we ⁴ _____ (learn) how to install all the electrics in a house. It's quite complicated, but I ⁵ _____ (pass) the test with 90%. Every weekend I ⁶ _____ (work) in a café in town. I mainly ⁷ _____ (make) coffees and teas, but I sometimes ⁸ _____ (help) in the kitchen. It's OK to get some money, but I ⁹ _____ (want) to find a job with an electrician to get some experience. Last week I ¹⁰ _____ (have) an interview, but I ¹¹ _____ (not get) the job. The college ¹² _____ (organise) a meeting with several electrical companies next month so maybe I'll find something then.

- taking off, but still managed to land on time.
- the way to the airport and missed the flight.
- board, it said 'delayed' next to my flight.
- gate, and was the last person to board the plane.
- online, so I had more time to spend in the duty free.
- a taxi to take me to the airport.
- to board that I realised I was at the wrong gate!
- to go through security, and we nearly missed our flight.

4 Complete the story with the correct past simple or past continuous form of the verb in brackets.



I was really excited about my holiday in Hawaii. So, I ¹ _____ (go) shopping and ² _____ (buy) some new clothes. When the day ³ _____ (come) to leave, it ⁴ _____ (rain), so I ⁵ _____ (call) a taxi to take me to the airport. I ⁶ _____ (ask) the driver to stop at a chemist's so that I could buy some tablets for my allergy. As I ⁷ _____ (get) out of the taxi, a bus ⁸ _____ (go) past and splashed water all over me! So, when I ⁹ _____ (arrive) at the airport, I quickly went to the bathroom to change my clothes. After that, it ¹⁰ _____ (take) ages to go through check-in. Then, as I ¹¹ _____ (go) through security, they ¹² _____ (stop) me to search my hand luggage. By this time it ¹³ _____ (get) late, and so I had to run to the boarding gate. I ¹⁴ _____ (get) there as they ¹⁵ _____ (close) the gate! Fortunately, the woman from the airline let me onto the flight.

5 Complete the sentences. Use the word in brackets to form a word that fits in the space.

- There has been a huge _____ in the number of people cycling in recent years. (grow)
- Stopping smoking has made a huge _____. I can run a lot faster now. (different)
- You can't play tennis in this _____. Let's play later, when it's cooler. (hot)
- The football club has tried to improve _____ at matches, but there are still some problems. (secure)
- There was some trouble at the match between the rival _____. (support)
- My sister's room is quite messy, but in other ways she's very _____. (organise)
- My mum taught for years and she's given me lots of _____ advice since I started as a teacher. (practice)
- I'd like to get a job in _____, when I finish university. (publish)
- The _____ of the books haven't been very good, unfortunately. (sell)
- We probably need to do some _____ marketing to sell more. (addition)

6 Complete the sentences with both, neither, all, none, whereas or but.

- Sally and Ginny _____ enjoy going to the cinema.
- Sally's favourite actor is Brad Pitt, _____ Ginny prefers Clive Owen.
- Ralph and I _____ like playing sport, but _____ of us likes watching it on TV!
- _____ of my friends are Linkin Park fans. We're going to their concert in September!
- Jane and I are a little lazy. _____ of us likes tidying up our room!
- _____ of us is very patient. We _____ get frustrated easily and shout a lot!
- The two are very different. Zach is very outgoing and friendly, _____ Kevin is rather shy.
- My gran's very practical and makes things, _____ Grandad's rather careless and breaks them!