

1 Circle the correct verb form.

- 1 The waitresses **wear** / **are wearing** new uniforms.
- 2 Theo **has** / **'s having** ice cream today.
- 3 I **'m looking** / **look** out of the window at the moment.
- 4 Hurry up! The café **closes** / **'s closing** now.
- 5 How often **is your family coming** / **does your family come** here?
- 6 Look at that bird! What **does it do** / **is it doing**?
- 7 It **doesn't snow** / **isn't snowing** in summer.
- 8 Mandy **'s washing** / **washes** her hair right now.

2 Write sentences. Use the adverb in brackets.

- 1 I cycle to school. (usually)
I usually cycle to school.
- 2 They sit by the door. (always)

- 3 Dora's hungry at 5 o'clock. (sometimes)

- 4 Beth goes shopping during the week. (never)

- 5 Grandpa and Grandma are at home on Sundays. (usually)

- 6 I'm late for school. (never)

3 Complete the text. Use the past simple of the verbs in brackets.

Last Saturday, we ¹ had (have) a party to celebrate the end of term. Charlie, Harry and I ² _____ (invite) all our friends. There ³ _____ (be) lots of people there. Many of them ⁴ _____ (arrive) with some food or drink. My friend Gemma ⁵ _____ (play) the piano. Everyone ⁶ _____ (have) so much fun. We ⁷ _____ (be) very happy because the holidays were starting.

4 Tick (✓) the correct sentences.

1 We arrived three days ago. ☒
We arrived ago three days. ☐

2 The concert was last year good. ☐
The concert was good last year. ☐

3 Diana rang me evening yesterday. ☐
Diana rang me yesterday evening. ☐

4 Two weeks ago, I visited Zoe. ☐
I two weeks ago, visited Zoe. ☐

5 Night last, it rained. ☐
Last night, it rained. ☐

6 Yesterday, we had a party. ☐
We had a yesterday party. ☐

5 Complete the sentences. Use the past simple of the verbs in brackets.

1 Emma saw (see) dinosaurs at the museum. She didn't see (not see) fish.

2 They _____ (eat) outside. They _____ (not eat) inside.

3 Sidney and I _____ (go) to school. We _____ (not go) to the swimming pool.

4 The girls _____ (buy) cheese. They _____ (not buy) fruit.

5 I _____ (hear) a cat. I _____ (not hear) a dog.

6 Seb _____ (make) lunch today. He _____ (not make) breakfast.

6 Look at exercise 5. Write past simple questions and answers.

1 Emma / see / dinosaurs

Did Emma see dinosaurs? Yes, she did.

2 where / they / eat

Where did they eat? They ate outside.

3 Sidney and I / go / to the swimming pool

4 the girls / buy / fruit

5 what / you / hear

6 what / Seb / make