

**2 A** Choose the correct alternatives to complete the sentences.

- 1 We **intended** / **was intended** to sell our house last year but in the end, we decided not to move.
- 2 Bridget **plans** / **was planning** to move to Sydney after university, but she got a job in Melbourne.
- 3 They **were expecting** / **were hoping** us to arrive at 8 p.m. but our train was delayed.
- 4 I was **hope** / **hoping** to see Alex, but he was busy.
- 5 I **meant** / **meant to** come clean to you, but I was scared of what you would say.
- 6 I sent him flowers because I thought **it would** / **it** make him happy.

**B**  The sentences below have a mistake. Choose the best option to correct the mistake.

- 1 They intend to finish the project last week, but they were delayed.  
a were intend to  
b intended to  
c didn't intend to
- 2 I wasn't trying to upset you. I was mean to help you.  
a wasn't meaning to  
b meant  
c didn't mean
- 3 Was she going pretend that nothing was wrong?  
a Was she going to  
b She was going to  
c Is she going
- 4 They planning to visit us last summer, but they couldn't afford the plane tickets.  
a plan  
b planned  
c are planning

**C** Complete the conversation with the correct form of *was/were going to*.

- A: Hey Simon, sorry I didn't phone you yesterday.  
I <sup>1</sup> ..... call you after work, but it was late.
- B: That's OK. How was your weekend?
- A: It was good. I <sup>2</sup> ..... visit Karis in London, but the train was cancelled.
- B: What a shame! What <sup>3</sup> ..... you ..... do with Karis?
- A: We <sup>4</sup> ..... go to the new exhibition at the Science Museum and I was really looking forward to it.
- B: What did you do instead?
- A: I <sup>5</sup> ..... do anything, but then Martina called so I went to the cinema with her. We <sup>6</sup> ..... watch that new action film, but there weren't any tickets, so we saw a drama about a hoax instead. It was pretty good.
- B: Oh, I want to watch that. I <sup>7</sup> ..... see it at the weekend, but I wasn't feeling well.
- A: Are you feeling better now? Do you want to meet up later?
- B: I <sup>8</sup> ..... do anything today, but sure! Where do you want to meet?