5 Complete the sentences with the verbs in the box in the correct tense: present perfect, past simple or past perfect simple. There are two extra verbs you do not need to use.

break | get | go | live | manage | tell | take

1 They _____ here for long. They only moved in last week.

2 I couldn't take part in the swimming lesson because I _____ my leg.

3 By the time we _____ to my grandmother's house, she'd already finished her dinner.

4 So far I _____ to read about half of *The Lord of the Rings* but it's taken me a long time.

5 Why _____ you _____ me you couldn't meet me? I waited for you for twenty minutes.

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6 Complete the text.

Lessons from Gandhi

Any list of the most influential people of the 20th century is sure to include Mahatma Gandhi because there are so many important lessons we can learn from him. For much of his life, he was involved in trying to solve the problems of inequality and poverty. He's most famous for leading the Indian independence movement but before that he (**1**) _____ spent many years defending the rights of Indian workers in South Africa. (**2**) _____ to that point, he had tried to work with the British rulers to achieve change. However, he realised that this (**3**) _____ the best way to bring about the changes he wanted. Instead, he organised peaceful demonstrations and acts of non-cooperation, which have inspired protest movements ever (**4**) _____ . Now people (**5**) _____ used to the idea of non-violent protest, but Gandhi's methods were very innovative 60 years ago.

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