Travels in Africa



Lesson:5

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Objectives:

1. **Identify the correct verb form**
2. **Read for specific information**

Past simple	Go-went	Eat-ate	Play-played	Do/does-did	Write-wrote
Past continuous	Was /were going	Was/were eating	Was/were playing	Was/were doing	Was/were writing

Examples:

1. As she **was going** up the river, she stopped.
2. I **was watching** TV when they came.
3. When the phone rang, I **was sleeping**

Activity 2 Reading

Look at the article. What do you think it is about? Circle the correct answer.

to collect: to get things and keep them

a a country **b** a person's journey **c** Europe



Mary Kingsley

In 1895, a European woman named Mary Kingsley [1] ***arrived / arriving*** on the west coast of Africa. Her plan was to travel up the Ogooué River in Gabon. She [2] ***wanted / was wanting*** to study the way people lived in that part of the world.
On 5th June, she left the port of Glass and travelled by boat to Ndjolè. When she was [3] ***traveling / travelled*** she changed to a canoe because the boats couldn't travel further up the river.
As she was [4] ***go / going*** up the river, she [5] ***stopped / stopping*** to collect fish. She collected 65 different types of fish. Three of them were named after her.
In 1897, Mary [6] ***write/wrote*** a book about her travels. It is called *Travels in Africa*.

1. _____ 2._____

3._____ 4._____

5._____ 6. _____

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Activity5: Writing



Read the start of the diary entry of an explorer's trip to Gabon, Africa. What do you think the explorer did, felt and saw?



Activity 6 Writing

Complete the diary with your own ideas. Use your notes from Activity 5 to help you.



07/04/2019 **My trip to Gabon**

I arrived in Gabon last week, I did so many things _____

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I saw_____

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I felt _____

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