

GRAMMAR

1. Put words in order to make sentences. Use the Simple Past (5x1=5)

1. a horse / ride / in the summer holidays /

2. not have/we/last Saturday/a great party

3. buy / two years / they / ago / the house

4. we / not sleep / in a tent / at the weekend

5. friends / watch /you /last night /?

2. Complete the email using the Past Simple or Past Continuous form of the verbs. (7x1=7)

Hi Anna,

Thanks very much for your email.

I ⁰ was finishing. (finish) my homework on the computer when it ¹ _____ (arrive). And

² _____ (you / have) dinner when I ³ _____ (call) you later in the evening? Sorry! My family and I ⁴ _____ (travel) to London last weekend to see my grandma when we

⁵ _____ (decide) to go shopping too. And you'll never guess – we ⁶ _____ (walk) along Oxford Street in London when I ⁷ _____ (see) a boy called Harry, from my class! Amazing! See you soon,

Sara

3. Complete the text using the verbs in brackets in the correct tenses, or using an *-ing* form. (10x1=10)

Hello! My name's Della, and welcome to my blog! I ⁰ live with my family, so first of all I want ¹ _____ (talk) about them a little bit. Well, today, my dad ² _____ (travel) to Spain for a meeting! That's for his company. My mum ³ _____ (not work) for a company – she's got her own business. As for me, I'm still at school. I usually ⁴ _____ (do) my homework in the evening, but now I ⁵ _____ (write) this blog! Yesterday ⁶ _____ (be) Saturday, and I ⁷ _____ (meet) all my friends in town. And while we ⁸ _____ (do) some shopping, we ⁹ _____ (saw) our favourite singer! We all love ¹⁰ _____ (listen) to his music!

4. Choose the correct options to complete the sentences. (10x1=10)

- 0 There isn't anybody / nobody at home.
- 1 I sometimes / never have pizza – maybe twice a month.
- 2 Dad thought I need / needed help, so he rang me.
- 3 Sorry! I wasn't realising / didn't realise you were here.
- 4 We've got something / anything to do for homework.
- 5 I'm taking my sweater as well as / then my coat.
- 6 I waited for Matt. However / Although he didn't come.
- 7 I'm at school so / but I need to study hard.
- 8 Why don't we have / having a drink at the cafe?
- 9 You scared me! What did you do / were you doing that for?

5. Match the beginning of a sentence (1–5) with the correct ending (A–H). There are two endings which you do not need to use. (5x1=5)

0 You could look	<u>C</u>	A sure what I want to do.
1 What about	<u>—</u>	B mind about it.
2 I'm not	<u>—</u>	C online for information.
3 I didn't mean	<u>—</u>	D well as a dog.
4 I've got a cat as	<u>—</u>	E to break it – sorry!
5 I go to bed early on	<u>—</u>	F watch a film?
		G weekdays.
		H going out later?