



## Grammar:

### be born; simple past; time expressions



✚ Complete the conversation with the verbs give. Circle the correct words.  
Then listen and check.

- A. Where **was** your mother **born** (be born)?  
\_\_\_\_\_ your father \_\_\_\_\_ (be born) there, too?

B. My parents \_\_\_\_\_ be born in Vancouver **in/to** 1945.
- A. Where \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (live) when you were young?  
\_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (grow up) in a big city?

B. Actually, I \_\_\_\_\_ (grow up) in Seattle. We \_\_\_\_\_ stay there **from/until** I started high school.
- A. Who \_\_\_\_\_ (be) your best friend in school? How long \_\_\_\_\_ (be) your friends?  
B. Well, my best friend \_\_\_\_\_ (be) Jane. We \_\_\_\_\_ (be) friends **for/from** a long time.
- A. \_\_\_\_\_ you and your best friend ever \_\_\_\_\_ (argue) What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (fight) about?  
B. We \_\_\_\_\_ (not fight) a lot. But one time we \_\_\_\_\_ (not/talk) **for/until** three weeks
- A. Who took care of you **ago/when** you \_\_\_\_\_ (be) little?  
\_\_\_\_\_ your mother \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a job?  
B. My mother \_\_\_\_\_ (work), so no one \_\_\_\_\_ (be) home **when/then** I \_\_\_\_\_ (get) home from school. I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to a neighbor's house. But I \_\_\_\_\_ (not/be) there **long/until**.
- A. \_\_\_\_\_ you ever \_\_\_\_\_ (get) in trouble? What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ (do)?  
B. Oh, I \_\_\_\_\_ (get) in big trouble one time **when/then** I was seven. My mom \_\_\_\_\_ (be) mad at me **for/from** days! **Then/ When** I \_\_\_\_\_ (make) her a card saying. "Sorry".