

1) Read about Nate Williams. Complete the text with these verbs in the Past Simple:

**BUY – COST – FALL – FEEL – FIND – TELL – SEE – WRITE**

### **“SORRY NATE! NOT UNTIL PAYDAY!”**



Nate Williams, ten, was shopping with his mum, Tracey, in an ASDA supermarket in Liverpool when he spotted a huge toy panda – it \_\_\_\_\_ €15. Nate immediately \_\_\_\_\_ in love with it - he picked it up and carried it \*. But at the checkout, \*, his mum \_\_\_\_\_ her sad little boy that she couldn't afford the panda until her next payday.

Nate didn't want to say goodbye to his new friend, 'Pandy'. So he \_\_\_\_\_ a cardboard box and \_\_\_\_\_ a message on it for other shoppers to read. It said: *"My mum didn't have enough money to buy me Pandy today, so she's buying me Pandy on the 15th June – so please don't buy him as it will make me cry. Thank you so much, from hopeful future owner."*

Some shop workers noticed Nate's message. They \_\_\_\_\_ sorry for the boy, and so they clubbed together and \_\_\_\_\_ the toy for him. They posted a message on Facebook to try and find him. They posted a message on Facebook to try and find him. Tracey \_\_\_\_\_ the post, and they returned to the shop to get 'Pandy'. She couldn't believe how kind the staff were. She said: \*. Nate turned to me and said that it was the best day of his life.

2) What regular Past Simple verbs can you find in the article?

3) These lines come from the article. Where exactly do they go?

\* *when we were leaving the shop*

\* *while they were doing their shopping*

\* *when she was paying*