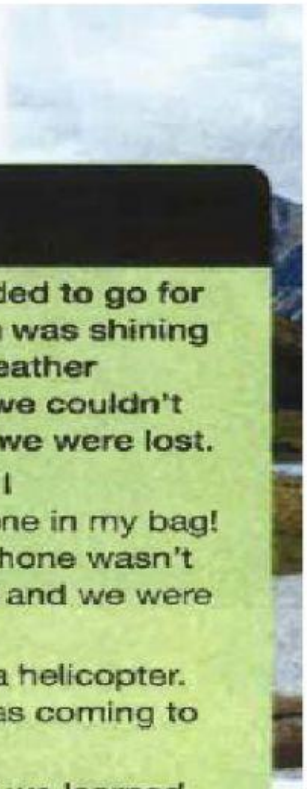
Writing
A fictional narrative



LOST!

(1) ... my friend Rosie and I decided to go for a walk in the mountains. The sun was shining when we set off, but (2) ... the weather changed. It was very foggy and we couldn't see where we were going. (3) ... we were lost.

We didn't know what to do. (4) ... I remembered I had my mobile phone in my bag! I tried to phone my dad, but my phone wasn't working. (5) ... it was getting dark and we were cold and frightened.

Suddenly we heard the sound of a helicopter. We couldn't believe our luck! It was coming to rescue us.

Everything was alright (6) ... – but we learned our lesson. Next time, we'll check the weather forecast before we go for a walk in the mountains!

1 1.47 **Read the story. Complete it with the words and expressions in bold in the Writing focus. Then listen to check your answers.**

WRITING FOCUS

Sequencing words and expressions

We use the following words and expressions to show the order in which events happened.

One day *Sam woke up early and went swimming ...*
Soon *it was time for breakfast.*
Then *he went back to the campsite.*
By then *his family were eating.*
Later *they all went to the beach.*
In the end *they stayed at the beach until 10 p.m.*

Answers:

1._____

2._____

3._____

4._____

5._____

6._____

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3 Read the story again and answer the questions about sequencing words and phrases.

1 Which phrase often goes at the beginning of a story?
2 Which phrase often goes at the end of a story?
3 Which phrase is often followed by the past continuous?
4 What tense do we usually use with the other words?

Answers:

1._____

2._____

3._____

4._____

4 Rewrite the sentences with the words in the correct position. More than one answer is possible.

1 She **soon** was tired so she sat down to have a rest.
2 Sam didn't want to go on the trip, but he **in the end** enjoyed it.
3 I was feeling **by then** hungry because it was lunchtime.
4 It went cloudy and it started **then** raining.

Answers:

1._____

2._____

3._____

4._____

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