

Grammar

1 Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets. Use the present simple or the present continuous.

- Ken _____ a spooky film every weekend. (watch)
- Why _____ me? It's very annoying! (you / always criticise)
- I _____ with my parents right now. (not live)
- Now I _____ what you mean about the haunted house. I'll never go in it again! (see)
- Jack _____ of writing a mystery about the Bermuda Triangle. (think)
- We _____ more and more frustrated with our two children. (become)
- My plane _____ at 5 pm tomorrow. I'll text you when I land. (arrive)
- Stop shouting at me! You _____ very good friend at the moment. (not be)

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2 Circle the correct words.

- That's the girl **who** / **which** my brother is marrying.
- The castle, **where** / **which** is in Scotland, is haunted.
- That boy, **whose** / - biological parents are famous, is my best friend.
- That's the year **that** / **when** people first heard about Area 51.
- The reason **which** / **why** I don't watch spooky films is because they scare me.
- The person **whom** / **to whom** I was speaking is one of my colleagues.
- The house, **which** / **that** I've just built for my extended family, is in the countryside.
- That's the building **that** / **where** Sir Arthur Conan Doyle lived.

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3 Complete the sentences with these verbs. Use the past simple or the past continuous.

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- The historian _____ the rare book he was looking for in the library.
- The ghost _____ softly when I saw it in the narrow dark corridor.
- My grandparents _____ with us when I was young; our house was too small.
- _____ the archaeologist _____ the ancient grave at nine o'clock yesterday?
- The alien _____ the UFO, opened the door and came down the steps.
- My brother _____ the laundry while I was cleaning; he was asleep!
- We were walking down the street when we _____ a loud scream.
- _____ Marge _____ the mystery of 'The Lady in White' she was investigating?

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4 Complete the sentences with one word.

- Peter _____ to be frightened of things like monsters.
- Dad _____ tell us a scary story every night at bedtime.
- Are they _____ used to living with their relatives?
- Sally _____ used to cooking the family meals; she's been doing it for years.
- _____ they use to live in Transylvania?
- We didn't _____ to want children, but we do now.

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