

Vocabulary

1. Complete the text with one word for each item. There is one space for each missing letter. The first letter of each word is given.

My grandparents have an old cottage in the (1) c_____. It's not (2) h____ – it's only got two bedrooms, but there's plenty of (3) s_____ outside for us to play or just relax. My favourite room is my bedroom – it has a fantastic (4) v_____ of the lake. I love it there because it's so quiet and (5) p_____. It's true it's not as (6) c_____ as being in London – the nearest shop is miles away – but I love going for walks in the (7) f_____ by the lake. In winter, it is very (8) c_____ sitting by the fire after a freezing walk outside.

2. Complete the sentences with these words. There are three words you do not need to use.

gallery | coast | lively | mountains | historical | cosy | jungle | freezing | castle | events
| sociable

1. I love going for walks up in the _____ because you can enjoy some amazing views.
2. Did you know this _____ was built over five hundred years ago by King Henry II?
3. He's not very _____ and doesn't like parties.
4. Come in, it's _____ outside. You'll get a cold.
5. The town centre can be very _____ during the summer.
6. We're going to travel up the _____ of Australia from Brisbane to Cairns.
7. It's a beautiful old city with lots of _____ buildings.
8. This town puts on a lot of cultural _____ such as art shows and historical tours.

Grammar

3. Rewrite the sentences using the correct form of *used to*.

1. Today elderly people are more active than in the past.
Today elderly people _____.

2. My mum buys most of her clothes online, but she never bought anything online until a few years ago.

My mum _____, but now she does.

3. What time did you go to bed when you lived in Spain?

What time _____?

4. It has been raining for weeks now – it has never rained so much.

It has been raining

_____.

5. Did you sing in a group when you were my age?

_____ when you were my age?

6. When I was younger, I liked parties, but now I don't anymore.

When I was younger, _____.

7. I didn't enjoy going to the mountains when I was young, but now I love hiking.

_____, but now I love hiking.

8. Dad, were you a good student when you were at school?

_____ when you were at school?

4. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

1. We agreed _____ (meet) at the train station.

2. I haven't _____ (make) a choice yet – can you wait a couple of hours?

3. I can't imagine _____ (live) without my smart phone – can you?

4. He never apologised for _____ (be) rude to me.

5. Tom _____ (do) really well in his job and his boss was very satisfied.

6. I suggest _____ (keep) a diary of your holidays.

7. My dad taught me _____ (always/tell) the truth.

8. He _____ (do) nothing without his parents' permission.