

Empower B1 U2A

Simple past

A. Correct the wrong sentences.

EX: 1 The train not arrived until 22:30, so we got home around midnight.

EX: The train didn't arrive until 22:30, so we got home around midnight.

2 I slept very badly on the plane, so I feeled very tired the next day.

3 Did you took the train from New York to Washington?

4 We flyed from London to Manchester because it was really cheap.

5 They spended two nights in a hotel and then they stayed at a friend's house for three days.

6 I didn't enjoyed my trip to Scotland because the weather wasn't very good.

7 When I got back to my hotel, I finded a message from my sister.

8 We unpacked our suitcases and eated dinner in the hotel restaurant. It cost 100 euros!

B. Complete the exchanges with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets. Use contractions where possible.

1 A How was (be) your flight?

B Fine, thanks, but I _____ (not sleep) because the seats (not be) comfortable.

2 A What _____ (you, do) last summer?

B We _____ (not have) much money, so we _____ (decide) to stay in the UK.

3 A Where _____ (Ben, go) on holiday last year?

B He _____ (go) to Canada.

4 A _____ (you, bring) back any souvenirs from Jamaica?

B Yes, I _____ (do). I _____ (buy) some Blue Mountain coffee.

5 A _____ (you, meet) your French friends when you were in Paris?

B Yes, we _____ (do). We _____ (meet) them for dinner one evening.

6 A _____ (you, visit) your cousins in Los Angeles?

B No, we _____ (not have) time.