

Put each verb into their correct past form.

Last summer I _____ **(CYCLE)** in the rain along a country road in France with my best friend Tom. We _____ **(DECIDE)** to go on a cycling holiday in northern France. Neither of us _____ **(BE)** to France before, but we _____ **(LEARN)** a little bit of French at school and we _____ **(MANAGE)** to brush up on the basics.



Now we _____ **(WONDER)** if we _____ **(MAKE)** the right decision. We _____ **(PLAN)** our route carefully for months, but we _____ **(FORGET)** one important factor: the weather. It _____ **(RAIN)** heavily since our arrival and that night we _____ **(END UP)** sleeping in the waiting room at a railway station.

When we _____ **(RIDE)** down a steep hill the next morning my bike _____ **(SKID)** on the wet road and I _____ **(FALL)** off. I _____ **(REALISE)** immediately that I _____ **(BREAK)** my left arm and after a visit to the hospital I _____ **(CATCH)** the next train to Calais for the ferry home.

Unfortunately, my parents _____ **(NOT EXPECT)** me home for a fortnight, and _____ **(GO)** away on holiday. So, I _____ **(SPEND)** a miserable couple of weeks alone, reading books about cycling in bad weather.