Empower A2 U11B

1 GRAMMAR

Present perfect or past simple

a Match questions 1–6 with answers a–f.

1 [e] Has he ever won an Oscar?
2 [ ] Did you go on holiday last year?
3 [ ] How many times have you visited New York?
4 [ ] Did you do anything special this weekend?
5 [ ] Have they ever been to a musical on Broadway?
6 [ ] Did she enjoy her birthday party?

a I've only been there once, in 2010.
b No, not really. We just went out for a pizza on Saturday night.
c Yes, they have, actually. They saw *The Lion King* when they were in New York last year.
d Yes, she did. She had a fantastic time.
e Yes, he has. He got one for the film *The Artist* in 2011.
f Yes, we did. We went to Cancún in Mexico.

b Underline the correct words to complete the conversation.

A [1]*Have you ever been / Did you ever go* to London?
B Yes, I [2]*have / did*. I [3]*'ve stayed / stayed* there lots of times on business.
A [4]*Have you ever seen / Did you ever see* any musicals in the West End?
B No, I [5]*didn't / haven't*. However, I [6]*went / 've been* to the theatre a few times.
A Really? What [7]*have you seen / did you see* the last time you went?
B I [8]*saw / have seen* Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet* at The Globe Theatre last summer.
A Who [9]*have you been / did you go* with?
B I [10]*went / have been* with some English friends.
A [11]*Have you enjoyed it / Did you enjoy it*?
B Yes, I [12]*have / did*. The acting [13]*was / has been* brilliant!

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