

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 f Did you go on holiday last year?
- 3 g How many times have you visited New York?
- 4 h Did you do anything special this weekend?
- 5 i Have they ever been to a musical on Broadway?
- 6 j 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 ¹Have you ever been / Did you ever go to London?

B Yes, I ²have / did. I ³'ve stayed / stayed there lots of times on business.

A ⁴Have you ever seen / Did you ever see any musicals in the West End?

B No, I ⁵didn't / haven't. However, I ⁶went / 've been to the theatre a few times.

A Really? What ⁷have you seen / did you see the last time you went?

B I ⁸saw / have seen Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet* at The Globe Theatre last summer.

A Who ⁹have you been / did you go with?

B I ¹⁰went / have been with some English friends.

A ¹¹Have you enjoyed it / Did you enjoy it?

B Yes, I ¹²have / did. The acting ¹³was / has been brilliant!