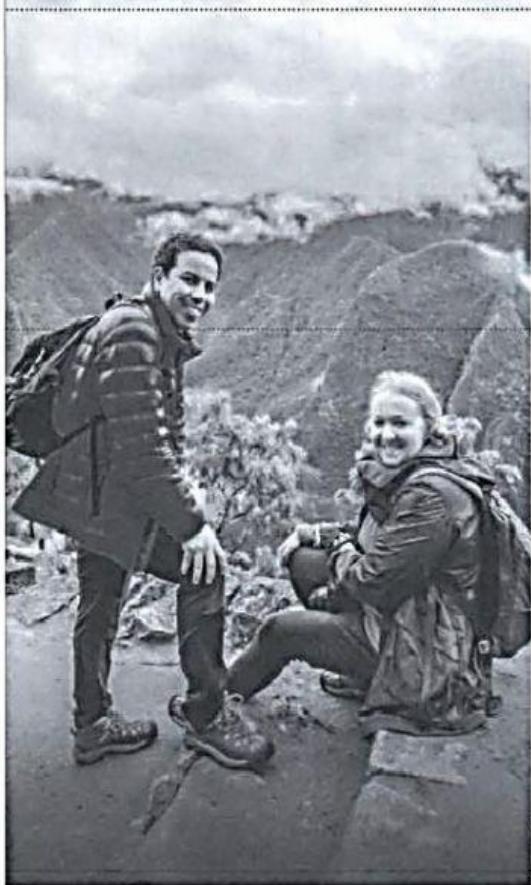


## 1 GRAMMAR time sequencers and connectors

a Complete the text with phrases from the list.

After that One summer Suddenly The next day Two minutes later when



# An AMAZING holiday



<sup>1</sup>One summer \_\_\_\_\_, I decided to travel to Peru. I flew to Lima and then travelled to a town near Machu Picchu to spend the night. <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, I climbed the mountain to visit the monument. I was quite tired <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ I reached the top! <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, I saw a man who was at the same university as me. <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, he came over to speak to me, and he was just as surprised as I was. <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, we decided to travel together. We had a great summer, and we carried on seeing each other when we got home. In fact, we got married two years later, and we now have a beautiful daughter called Beth.

b Circle the correct ending, a or b.

- 1 Although James was very late,  
a his boss didn't say anything.  
b his boss got very angry.
- 2 I got up late, so  
a I didn't have time for breakfast.  
b I didn't hear the alarm clock.
- 3 The tickets were really expensive, but  
a I decided not to buy one.  
b I decided to buy one.
- 4 Laura ran to the station because  
a she was late.  
b she missed the train.
- 5 Although my flat is small,  
a I need a bigger one.  
b it's perfect for me.

c Complete the sentences with a word from the list.

although (x2) because but (x2) so (x2)

- 1 I didn't have time, so I didn't have any breakfast.
- 2 It was really hot, \_\_\_\_\_ I had a great holiday in Egypt.
- 3 \_\_\_\_\_ I don't really like Ryan, I went on a date with him.
- 4 The door to my flat was open, \_\_\_\_\_ I called the police.
- 5 \_\_\_\_\_ Mark has a lot of money, he's really mean.
- 6 Mandy cancelled her credit cards \_\_\_\_\_ she couldn't find her purse.
- 7 We wanted to go for a meal after the cinema \_\_\_\_\_ all the restaurants were closed.

## 2 PRONUNCIATION word stress

### a Write the words in the chart.

across after again along although awful  
because before behind birthday evening  
hurry invite perfect quickly summer

1 First syllable stressed	2 Second syllable stressed
after	across

### b 2.3 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.

## 3 VOCABULARY verb phrases

### a Match the sentence halves.

1 Jamie and Hannah met	<u>d</u>	a her to dinner.
2 He played	<u>  </u>	b for her at the door.
3 She left	<u>  </u>	c a great time.
4 He waited	<u>  </u>	d in a club.
5 She gave	<u>  </u>	e to a nice restaurant.
6 He invited	<u>  </u>	f the club very late.
7 He took her	<u>  </u>	g a song for her.
8 They had	<u>  </u>	h him her phone number.



### b Complete the sentences with a verb from the list.

'm driving gave invited  
left played ran waiting

- 1 We had a great night at the club, and we only left at about five in the morning.
- 2 Sally was alone in the restaurant, but I think she was    for somebody.
- 3 Oliver liked Helena, so he    her to dinner.
- 4 I can't talk now because I    in a hurry.
- 5 When I saw Harry, he was    along the high street in his new car.
- 6 Lara spoke to the DJ, and he    her favourite song.
- 7 The cat    across the road, but I stopped the car in time.
- 8 Jane wanted to stay in touch, so I    her my phone number.

### c Answer the questions about you. Write full sentences.

- 1 When was the last time someone invited you to dinner?

\_\_\_\_\_.

- 2 How often do you leave home late for work / class?

\_\_\_\_\_.

- 3 When you go to parties, do you usually have a good time?

\_\_\_\_\_.

- 4 Where do you usually meet your friends?

\_\_\_\_\_.

- 5 Have you ever waited more than an hour for somebody who was late?

