

## VOCABULARY

## 1 Put the letters in order to make words for objects you can find in a house.

1. I don't have a **evdut** on my bed in the summer. It's too hot. \_\_\_\_\_
2. I only use one **olwilp** when I am sleeping. \_\_\_\_\_
3. Put the dirty plates in the **kins** and I'll wash them later. \_\_\_\_\_
4. Don't forget to put the milk back in the **drfeiq**. \_\_\_\_\_
5. We often make popcorn in the **vwiromace** before we watch a film at home. \_\_\_\_\_
6. Have you got a **elwot** I can use to dry my hands? \_\_\_\_\_
7. I looked in the **rorimr** to see if I had chocolate on my face. \_\_\_\_\_

## 2 Complete the dialogues with the correct past simple form of the verbs in the box. You need to use some of the verbs more than once.

DO	EARN	GO	HAVE	MAKE	MEET	SPEND	TAKE
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- 1 A: Yesterday, I \_\_\_\_\_ three hours doing those physics exercises for homework.  
B: It \_\_\_\_\_ me a long time, too. \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ the maths problems?
- 2 A: My sister \_\_\_\_\_ a music degree at university and now she plays in an orchestra.  
B: \_\_\_\_\_ she \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of money when she started?  
A: No, but she \_\_\_\_\_ fun.
- 3 A: I \_\_\_\_\_ to a summer camp last July.  
B: \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ many friends?  
A: Yes, I \_\_\_\_\_ people from lots of different countries.
- 4 A: I \_\_\_\_\_ (not) very well in the exam last week. I know I \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of mistakes.  
B: That's because you \_\_\_\_\_ (not) much time revising.  
A: I know. I thought I \_\_\_\_\_ a good memory, but I was wrong!

**GRAMMAR**

**3 Put the words to make sentences.**



1. a / go / gym / I / the / to / twice / week.

2. an / hour / I / more / hardly ever / spend / than / there.

3 an / for / half / hour. / I / run / sometimes.

4 I / I'm / listen / music / running. / to / usually / while

5 always / exhausted. / get / home, / I / I'm / When

6 every / Friday. / friends / go / I / my / out / with

**4 Complete the sentences with the present simple or present continuous form of the verbs in the box.**

COST HAVE HELP OWN PREFER SMELL THINK  
WANT WEIGH

1. A: How much \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_, Ben?

B: I don't know. About 60 kilos, maybe? I \_\_\_\_\_ not to know actually.

2. Paul is a computer expert. He \_\_\_\_\_ people with their IT problems.

3. The flowers in our garden \_\_\_\_\_ beautiful.

4 My flatmate \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of problems with his car at the moment.

5 A cinema ticket \_\_\_\_\_ €15! I \_\_\_\_\_ that's a lot of money.

6 Lucas \_\_\_\_\_ a new bike, but he \_\_\_\_\_ to sell it.

**5 Complete the sentences with the past simple or the past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.**

1 I \_\_\_\_\_ (switch off) the computer because it \_\_\_\_\_ (make) a strange noise.

2 My dad \_\_\_\_\_ (listen) to classical music when I \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) home from school.

3 We \_\_\_\_\_ (play) video games when my mum \_\_\_\_\_, (say) 'Turn the volume down!'

4 My cousin \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) his wife, Bianca, while he \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in Italy.

5 My little sister \_\_\_\_\_ (draw) a picture while I \_\_\_\_\_ (study) for my French exam.

6 While they \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to fix the computer, all the lights \_\_\_\_\_ (go out).

7 When we \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) school yesterday, it \_\_\_\_\_ (pour) with rain.

8 When you \_\_\_\_\_ (see) Paul, he \_\_\_\_\_ (wear) a black jacket?

9 I \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to log on when the WiFi \_\_\_\_\_ (stop) working.

10 While Dad \_\_\_\_\_ (print) an article, the printer \_\_\_\_\_ (run out) of paper.

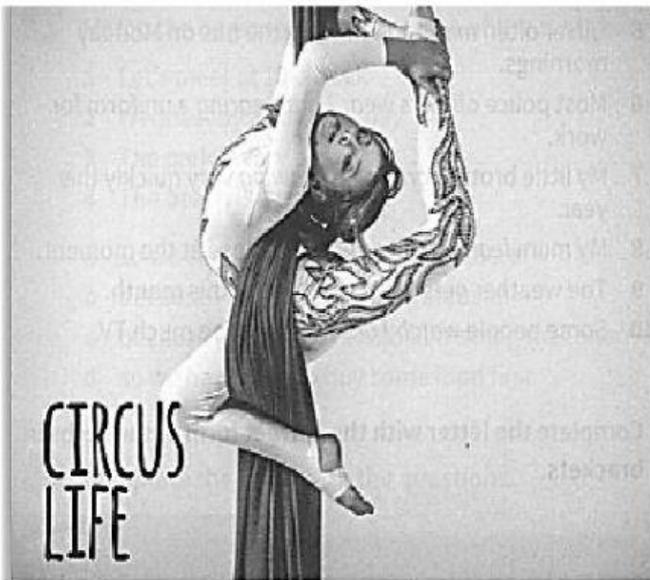
**6 Complete the story with the correct past tense form of the verbs in brackets.**

Sometimes I hate computers! Once, when I 1 \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to do my English homework on my laptop, the battery 2 \_\_\_\_\_ (run out). I 3 \_\_\_\_\_ (lie) on my bed and I was listening to music on Spotify. It helps me to concentrate. I 4 \_\_\_\_\_ also \_\_\_\_\_ (chat) to my friend Daniel on Facebook. OK, so I 5 \_\_\_\_\_ (not concentrate) very hard on my homework and I 6 \_\_\_\_\_ (forget) to plug in my laptop! I didn't notice that the battery was getting low. I was just finishing the essay when the screen 7 \_\_\_\_\_ (go) black. I 8 \_\_\_\_\_ (lose) everything. I 9 \_\_\_\_\_ (scream) in frustration. My dad 10 \_\_\_\_\_ (come) running into my bedroom. I 11 \_\_\_\_\_ almost (cry) so he 12 \_\_\_\_\_ (give) me his laptop.

I 13 \_\_\_\_\_ (try) to remember everything in my essay – it 14 \_\_\_\_\_ (be) quite difficult especially because Daniel was sending me lots of funny videos. Anyway, while I was watching one, the WiFi stopped working. In the end it was probably better because I 15 \_\_\_\_\_ (manage) to finish the essay.

**READING**

**7 Read the text and choose the correct option.**



Saran is an acrobat. She works in a circus that travels around the world. What is unusual is that she is eleven years old and already a full-time circus performer. Her daily (1) \_\_\_\_\_ is actually quite strict. Most days she gets up late and (2) \_\_\_\_\_ maths, science and English classes with the rest of the children in the circus. She trains for two hours every afternoon before the (3) \_\_\_\_\_ in the evening. Normally, Saran, like all of the other members of the circus, does five or six performances a week, so it's (4) \_\_\_\_\_ work. Her parents are also part of the circus and make sure Saran gets enough sleep and has a healthy (5) \_\_\_\_\_. Although she doesn't have many hours of school, she speaks four languages and has been to many countries, so her (6) \_\_\_\_\_ of the world is greater than most children her age.