

Resource 9

An article

2.7 Writing (narrative tenses)

Last month my girlfriend and I ¹_____ (go) to Austria and ²_____ (try) snowboarding. We ³_____ (both/ski) before, but snowboarding ⁴_____ (be) a completely new sport for us.

We ⁵_____ (book) some lessons before we ⁶_____ (arrive), and on the first morning we ⁷_____ (hire) our helmets, boots and boards. We ⁸_____ (both/feel) quite nervous, but very excited as we ⁹_____ (take) the lift up the mountain. The first lesson ¹⁰_____ (be) really challenging and we ¹¹_____ (fall over) A LOT! By the end of the first day, we ¹²_____ (be) exhausted.

The following morning, our legs ¹³_____ (ache), but we ¹⁴_____ (not give up). After three days of lessons, we ¹⁵_____ (feel) more confident and we ¹⁶_____ (really/start) to enjoy ourselves.

On the fourth day, we ¹⁷_____ (try) a more difficult slope and I'm proud to say I ¹⁸_____ (get) all the way to the bottom without falling over. By the end of the week, we ¹⁹_____ (both/fall) in love with snowboarding and we ²⁰_____ (not want) to go home.
