

## GRAMMAR

### I. Complete the sentences. Put the verb in parentheses in the present perfect or the past simple. (Write contractions where negatives)

Example: Did you go (go) to any museums when you were on vacation?

- 1 I \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) Brian since we left school in 1999.
- 2 My dad \_\_\_\_\_ (not study) French in school.
- 3 Karen \_\_\_\_\_ (live) in her house for three years. She loves it.
- 4 Lucas \_\_\_\_\_ (not say) hello to me yesterday.
- 5 What time \_\_\_\_\_ Sheila \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) at work this morning?
- 6 Annette and Gary \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) a house in Vancouver last year.
- 7 "How long \_\_\_\_\_ they \_\_\_\_\_ (work) here?" "Since May."

### II. Complete the sentences with the correct word.

Example: The shopping mall was opened by a well-known actress in June 2008.  
opened painted built

- 1 The tea we sell is \_\_\_\_\_ in China.  
**created**      **discovered**      **produced**
- 2 When was America \_\_\_\_\_?  
**discovered**      **used**      **designed**
- 3 This movie was \_\_\_\_\_ by Steven Spielberg.  
**directed**      **played**      **invented**
- 4 The picture Guernica was \_\_\_\_\_ by Pablo Picasso.  
**played**      **called**      **painted**
- 5 The movie The Da Vinci Code is \_\_\_\_\_ on a book by Dan Brown.  
**given**      **based**      **invented**
- 6 Who was Princess Diana's wedding dress \_\_\_\_\_ by?

- used**      **designed**      **built**
- 7 Many people believe that the board game chess was \_\_\_\_\_ in India.  
**invented**      **directed**      **based**

### III. Complete the email. Put the verb in parentheses in the Past Simple or Past Perfect.

Hi Elaine,

Did you go (you / go) anywhere interesting for New Year's Eve? Alan and I

1 \_\_\_\_\_ (decide) to go to Vancouver because we 2 \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) to Canada before. When we 3 \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) there everything was wet because it 4 \_\_\_\_\_ (rain) earlier in the day. It 5 \_\_\_\_\_ (take) two hours to find a place to stay, because we 6 \_\_\_\_\_ (not make) a hotel reservation. We 7 \_\_\_\_\_ (spend) New Year's Eve with one of Alan's college friends. They had a lot to talk about because they 8 \_\_\_\_\_ (not see) each other for a long time.

Happy New Year,  
Yuko

