

LANGUAGE IN ACTION AND VOCABULARY

present and past simple and continuous

1 Write the sentences in the past.

1 Dan is reading the paper.

Dan was reading the paper.

2 They aren't listening to music.

3 Am I making a lot of noise?

4 Beth usually plays football on Saturday.

5 They don't live in a flat.

6 Does Michael eat meat?

2 Complete the conversation with the verbs in the box in the correct tense.

be do enjoy have help visit

A How ¹ was your trip to Paris?

B Great, thanks! I ² enjoyed it a lot!

A What ³ did you (you) do there?

B We ⁴ visited lots of tourist attractions!

A You're so lucky! While you ⁵ were a great time

in Paris, I ⁶ helped my dad to paint the house!



3 Answer the questions with true information.

1 What did you do last weekend?

2 What were you doing at nine o'clock last night?

3 What does your dad do?

4 What's your mum probably doing at the moment?

Ways of communicating

4 Circle eight more communication verbs in the word snake.

post shout whisper describe smile translate shake hands greet wave

5 Complete the table with the verbs from Exercise 4. Some verbs go in both columns.

| You can use your hands to do this | You can use your mouth to do this |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <u>post</u> | 5 _____ |
| 1 _____ | 6 _____ |
| 2 _____ | 7 _____ |
| 3 _____ | 8 _____ |
| 4 _____ | 9 _____ |
| | 10 _____ |

6 Complete the sentences with the verbs from Exercise 4.

1 Do you know anyone who can translate from English into Chinese?

2 Could you help this letter for me?

3 Please don't shout! I can hear you!

4 How would you describe your personality?

5 When you smile, you feel happier.

6 If you don't know the answer when the teacher asks you, I'll whisper it to you very quietly.

7 When film stars arrive at the Oscars, they often shake hands to the crowd.

8 When I have my interview tomorrow, how should I greet the person who is interviewing me? Should I wave with them?