

## 2 DESCRIBING A PHOTO

# MY FAVOURITE PHOTO BLOG

Post your favourite photo on the website, together with a short description of why the photo is important to you.



This week's winner is Marc, a teacher from Swansea.



- 1 **This is one of my favourite photos.** It's <sup>1</sup> two storks. I took the photo <sup>2</sup> the spring of 2018 when I was on holiday <sup>3</sup> some friends <sup>4</sup> Andalucia, in the south of Spain, at a place called Doñana National Park.
- 2 Doñana is a nature reserve which is famous because there are lots of wonderful birds there, <sup>5</sup> storks and flamingos. Storks are my favourite birds in the world because they're big birds, but they're very elegant. I love taking photos <sup>6</sup> animals and birds, but I'm not very good <sup>7</sup> it! Here I was learning how to use the zoom on my new camera, because the storks were quite far <sup>8</sup> from us on the top of a tree. I needed to keep very still because I didn't want to frighten them, but for the first time I got a really good close-up shot.
- 3 **I love this photo because** it was my first successful wildlife photo, and the blue sky **reminds me of** the wonderful weather in Andalucia. I **have it** <sup>9</sup> my phone and as the background on my laptop.

a Read the description and complete it with a word from the list.

at away in (x2) like of (x2) on with

b Match the questions to paragraphs 1–3.

- What was happening when you took the photo?
- Where do you keep it?
- Why do you like it?
- Where were you when you took the photo, and who with?
- What's your favourite photo?
- Who took the photo? When?

c Plan your description. Think about your answers to the questions in b.

d Write about your favourite photo. Answer the questions in b. Use the highlighted phrases if you can.

e Check your description for mistakes (grammar, punctuation, and spelling). Attach a copy of the photo.

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