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Grammar

Past simple (affirmative): regular

I can talk about past events.

1 Complete the email. Use the past simple affirmative form of the verbs in brackets.

To: mason@email.com

Dear Mason,

I really [1]_____ (enjoy) the safari holiday in Tanzania. We [2]_____ (arrive) by plane at Kilimanjaro Airport. Then we [3]_____ (travel) by bus to the Serengeti National Park. After that, we [4]_____ (explore) the park for five days in a Jeep with a guide. During that time, I [5]_____ (photograph) lots of elephants and giraffes, but I really [6]_____ (want) to see some big cats – lions or cheetahs. And then, on the last day, a family of cheetahs [7]_____ (walk) in front of our Jeep. We [8]_____ (stop) and [9]_____ (wait). The cheetahs [10]_____ (stay) near us and we [11]_____ (watch) them for about ten minutes. Amazing! We [12]_____ (return) home to the UK two days ago. What a fantastic holiday!

See you soon!

Madison



2 Complete the sentences with the past simple affirmative form of the verbs below.

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1 My mum _____ chemistry at Oxford University.
2 Our clock _____ at exactly half past seven.
3 That comment nearly _____ a fight!
4 We _____ the Cup Final on TV in my hotel room.
5 They _____ from Dublin to New York.
6 My great-grandfather _____ a new kind of bicycle.
7 My uncle _____ a woman from New Zealand.
8 They _____ Antarctica on foot.

3 Complete the past simple sentences. Use the words in brackets.

1 I usually walk to school. (cycle)
Yesterday, I cycled to school.
2 I usually watch TV before school. (listen to music)
This morning, _____.
3 Most weekends, I play football. (play basketball)
Last weekend, _____.
4 We're visiting the USA. (live there)
Ten years ago, _____.
5 She's often late for school. (arrive early)
Yesterday morning, _____.
6 This month, the weather is fantastic. (rain every day)
Last month, _____.
7 I usually go on holiday with friends. (travel alone)
Last summer, _____.

4 Complete the sentences with your own ideas. Use the past simple form of the verbs from exercises 1–3.

1 Last weekend, _____.
2 Two years ago, _____.
3 Yesterday, _____.
4 Last summer, _____.
5 Yesterday morning, _____.
6 Last month, _____.

5 Underline one mistake in each sentence. Write the sentences correctly.

1 I started school ago six years. ✗
_____
2 We trainned for six months for this competition. ✗
_____
3 I chat to my cousins in Italy last night. ✗
_____
4 We planed our holiday this morning. ✗
_____
5 I watched a great DVD afternoon yesterday. ✗
_____
6 My parents both studyed maths. ✗
_____
7 My uncle moved to Canada last summer ago. ✗
_____
8 The bus stoped in front of the town hall. ✗
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