

2 VOCABULARY past time expressions

a Circle the correct answer.

- 1 I chatted to my friends for an hour **last night** / **yesterday night**.
- 2 My girlfriend finished university **ago two years** / **two years ago**.
- 3 They travelled abroad **last month** / **the last month**.
- 4 Did you call me **last morning** / **yesterday morning**?
- 5 It stopped raining **two hours ago** / **two ago hours**.
- 6 My brother worked in Greece **last July** / **the last July**.
- 7 We watched that film **before two weeks** / **two weeks ago**.
- 8 David booked the tickets **yesterday afternoon** / **last afternoon**.
- 9 Steve was born **in 1990** / **on 1990**.
- 10 I played golf **the day yesterday before** / **the day before yesterday**.

3 PRONUNCIATION -ed endings

a **iChecker** Listen to the words. Underline the word where -ed is pronounced /ɪd/.

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| 1 booked | checked | wanted | walked |
| 2 painted | arrived | finished | travelled |
| 3 asked | waited | looked | stopped |
| 4 called | played | chatted | listened |
| 5 missed | watched | cooked | started |
| 6 followed | decided | lived | relaxed |

b Listen again and repeat the words.

4 READING

a Read the article and choose the best title.

- 1 The wrong match
- 2 The wrong destination
- 3 The wrong player

b Read the article again and answer the questions.

- 1 How old was Bojana when the incident happened?
- 2 Where was the tennis tournament?
- 3 How did she travel to Carlsbad?
- 4 Where did Bojana travel to first?
- 5 When did she arrive at the tournament?
- 6 Who did she play in her first match?
- 7 Did she win?

Serbian tennis player Bojana Jovanovski was only 19 when she played in the San Diego Open. However, she very nearly missed the tournament. Her first match was in Carlsbad, California, so her agent booked a seat for her and gave her the ticket to Carlsbad. It was a long journey because Bojana needed to take three different planes. When she finally arrived in Carlsbad, she was surprised to find that the airport was empty. She waited for 15 minutes and then called Tournament Transport. The problem was that Bojana was in Carlsbad, New Mexico and the transport service was in Carlsbad, California where the tournament was. So, Bojana stayed in New Mexico for the night and then travelled to Carlsbad, California the next morning. She arrived only 30 minutes before the start of her match with the Italian player Roberta Vinci. Unfortunately, the day finished badly for Bojana because she lost the match 3-6, 6-4, 6-1. After that, she just wanted to go home!



b Complete the sentences with *ago*, *in*, *last*, or *yesterday*.

- 1 My husband changed his job *in* _____ 2016.
- 2 I called a taxi five minutes _____.
- 3 We talked to our bank manager _____ month.
- 4 She posted her holiday photos on Facebook _____ morning.
- 5 They arrived in Venice the day before _____.
- 6 I booked the restaurant three days _____.
- 7 Jack and Diane lived in San Francisco _____ 2010.
- 8 We travelled to Asia _____ summer.

5 LISTENING

a **iChecker** Listen to four speakers describing bad journeys. How did they travel (e.g. by car, etc.)?

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| 1 _____ | 3 _____ |
| 2 _____ | 4 _____ |

b **iChecker** Listen again and match the speakers 1-4 to the sentences a-d.

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- A A stranger helped me.
- B Someone in my family helped me.
- C I started my journey twice.
- D I didn't arrive at my destination.