

Find the mistake, underline it and write the correct word.

- a. Some people think that a dragon lives in a lake called Loch Ness. monster -----
- b. When he saw it, St Columba told the monster to come out. -----
- c. In 1933, Nessie crossed the road in front of someone's bicycle. -----
- d. A video of Nessie was taken by a doctor, but it was fake. -----
- e. Exploring the lake is easy because it is very deep and very dark. -----
- f. People have explored the lake with cameras, telephones and sonar. -----
- g. Nessie could be just a giant eel, a large bird, a tree or a bear. -----
- h. One explanation is that Nessie is a plesiosaur, a type of bird. -----

Exercise 5. Choose the correct answer.

1. John always gets high marks. I'm sure he _____ study very hard.

a. can't b. may not c. might d. must

2. Susan lives in an enormous villa in Monte Carlo on the French Riviera. She ___ be very rich.

a. couldn't b. must c. may not d. can't

3. Carol isn't at home. She _____ be out shopping now, but I'm not really sure.

a. can't b. couldn't c. must d. may

4. Mary's not in her office, but I'm sure she ___ be having lunch already! It's only 9 a.m.

a. can't b. must c. could d. may not

5. You've been sightseeing all day. I'm sure you _____ be exhausted.

A. Can't b. May c. Must d. Might not

6. It's 10:30 p.m. Now, Carol's train arrives at 10 p.m., so she ___ be here any minute now.

A. Can't b. could c. Should d. Won't

7. Someone's knocking at the door. It _____ be Joe; he's still in school.

A. Can't b. Must c. Should d. Has

Exercise 3. Put the verb in the correct form. Past simple or Present perfect.

1. How long you _____ (learn) English?
2. I _____ (have) this shirt for nearly 4 years.
3. Joanna _____ (tidy) her desk, but now it's in a mess again.
4. Mike _____ (lose) his key. He can't find it anywhere.
5. The last time I (go) _____ to Brighton was in August.
6. I _____ (finish) my homework. I _____ (do) it before tea.
7. And the race is over! And a mickey Simpson _____ (win) in a record time.
8. Martin _____ (be) to Greek five times. He loves the place.
9. Of course I can ride a bike. But I _____ (not/ride) one for years.
10. I don't know Carol's husband. I never _____ (meet) him.
11. Rupert _____ (leave) a message for you. He _____ (ring) last night.
12. Your car looks very clean. You _____ (wash) it?
13. We _____ (move) here in 1993. We _____ (be) here for a long time now.

Exercise 5. Choose the correct answer.

1. I'm really hungry. I (haven't eaten / didn't eat) yet.
2. They (arrived / have arrived) a week ago.
3. We (have worked / worked) here for three years.
4. They (didn't recognise / haven't recognised) me at yesterday's meeting.
5. Our neighbour (was / has been) in hospital since Friday.
6. (Have you travelled / Did you travel) abroad many times?

Exercise 6. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

Use the Past Simple or the Present Perfect Simple.

1. John _____ (not call) me recently.
2. They _____ (buy) a new car last month.
3. The teacher _____ (not return) the tests yet.
4. How long _____ she _____ (know) about this problem?
5. _____ you ever _____ (hear) such an unbelievable story?
6. When I was a child, I _____ (live) in England for two years.
7. He _____ (buy) me a beautiful gift for my birthday.
8. I am so excited to have a dog. I _____ (always / want) on