Check and reflect: Units 1 and 2

Complete the sentences with one word.

1 One thing _____ really helps me switch off is cooking.
2 _____ I like most about her is how encouraging she always is.
3 One thing I love about the game is the _____ that anyone can play it!
4 What I enjoyed most about the experience _____ how relaxing it was.
5 What I've never understood _____ why it's not more popular.
6 The _____ I love about it is that sometimes a beginner can beat an expert!

Complete the questions with the correct form of the verbs in the box. Then ask a partner three of the questions (1–6).

come up with distract go on have point smash

1 Have you ever _____ the finger of blame at someone and later found out they weren't at fault?
2 When was the last time someone _____ a go at you?
3 What kinds of things usually _____ you when you're trying to concentrate?
4 Do you think you're good at _____ solutions to problems?
5 Do you know anyone who always _____ about their problems – or about how great they are?
6 Have you ever lost your temper and _____ something? When? Why?

Complete the sentences with one word.

1 It was awful! I thought I was _____ to faint.
2 I was _____ about to go out when it started raining.
3 We were _____ to land at six, but we got delayed.
4 I _____ going to call you, but couldn't find my phone.
5 I wasn't sure, but I had a feeling that this _____ happen.
6 We _____ about to give up and get a cab when the bus arrived.

Complete each pair of sentences with one of the verbs in the box. Use the past perfect simple in one sentence and the past perfect continuous in the other.

drive make offer stay try

1 a I _____ there before and liked it, so this time was a real disappointment.
  b He _____ with friends for weeks and was desperate to get his own place.
2 a It was weird. I _____ to remember his name when he messaged me unexpectedly.
  b She _____ loads of different keep-fit activities, but didn't really take to any.
3 a After I _____ the decision to move to Spain, I started to take Spanish classes.
  b They _____ noise for hours so eventually their neighbours called the police.
4 a We _____ all day so I decided to pull over and take a break.
  b It was the first time I _____ on the left!
5 a We _____ to meet and discuss it three times, but they always refused.
  b He _____ to babysit for us for ages so in the end, we decided to give him a try.

Complete the negative questions using the words in the box.

Aren't you Didn't you Haven't we Can't you Don't you Won't you

1 _____ once tell me you wanted to be an actor?
2 _____ find it worrying when it's this hot in February?
3 What's the rush? _____ wait until I'm ready?
4 _____ met before? You look familiar.
5 _____ bored of it all? It's been going on so long.
6 _____ miss your train if you don't leave soon?

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