

1 Complete the sentences with the past simple of the verbs in the box.

go leave not be not send
not watch spend

- 1 You _____ at school yesterday. Why not?
- 2 I _____ to the supermarket last night.
- 3 Tom _____ TV last night.
- 4 Yesterday, we _____ the house early.
- 5 Clara _____ me a message.
- 6 I _____ a lot of money yesterday!

2 Complete the dialogue with the past simple of the correct verb in brackets.

- A Where ¹_____ (be / see) you yesterday evening?
- B I ²_____ (not stay / not go) out. I ³_____ (spend / stay) at home.
- A Really? I ⁴_____ (text / send) you three times but you ⁵_____ (not say / not answer)!
- B Sorry! I ⁶_____ (have / take) some problems with my phone, so I ⁷_____ (put / take) it to the shop. I ⁸_____ (not have / not stay) it last night.

3 Put the words in the correct order and put the verbs into the past simple.

- 1 pen / not take / your / I / .

- 2 his homework / do / all / Hamza / .

- 3 people / be / the party / many / there / at / ?

- 4 all evening / study / Chloe / .

- 5 us / not arrive / you / before / .

- 6 happy / not be / parents / James' / .

- 7 present / me / friends / give / my / a / .

2 Complete the sentences with suitable adjectives.

- 1 Parrots aren't ____ birds. They make loud noises to communicate with other birds and they're very good at copying noises that they hear.
- 2 I watched a TV programme about the green anaconda, a huge species of snake. It's really ____ – over 7 metres!
- 3 Monkeys are very _____. Some monkeys can open bottles of water and even use money to buy food.
- 4 Be careful! There are _____ hippos in this area. Stay in the car and don't open the window.
- 5 African elephants are very _____. Baby African elephants weigh about 90 kg and some adults weigh over 6,000 kg.

3 Complete the article with suitable animals and adjectives.

Amazing animals: the blue whale



Blue whales are ¹**b**_____ animals, but they're amazing for lots of other reasons, too. They're very large. Some adult blue whales are 30 metres ²**l**____. And, of course, they're very ³**h**____. One adult blue whale weighs about 136,000 kg – that's the same as 300 ⁴**h**____, 2,200 men or 6 million ⁵**m**____! Blue whales are also very ⁶**n**____. They communicate in different ways using different sounds. It's difficult for humans to hear these noises, but to other whales, they aren't ⁷**q**____ at all – whales can communicate over very long distances. They're very ⁸**c**____, too. For example, it's possible that they understand numbers.