UNIT 8 IN THE NEWS 3

1. **Present Perfect or Past Simple: Read and complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets:**

Brighton is a city on the south coast of England. People_____(live) there for hundreds of years, although it_____ (only / be) a city since 2000.
Brighton _____(begin) as a village in the 5th century. At that time, it was called Beorthelms Tun. The village _____(grow) bigger, and by the 14th century it _____(be) a busy market town. It _____(be) called Brighton since 1660. Today Brighton is an exciting and popular city but it _____(experience) problems over the years. The French_____ (destroy) many of its houses in the 16th century, and at the beginning of the 18th century a terrible storm _____(kill) many people.
Things _____(change) in the late 18th century when the Prince of Wales and his friends_____(visit) Brighton. Since then, many tourists _____(make) Brighton their holiday choice. There _____(be) a railway station in Brighton since the middle of the 19th century, as well as a hospital, a museum and a library. The town's swimming pools and cinemas_____(open) a few decades after that. In recent years, several big music festivals _____(bring) a party feeling to the city.
Today the population of Brighton is 156,000. In the last few years, it _____(become) a very expensive place to live, but it is a still a great place to visit.

2. Complete the following sentences using **ever, never, already, just, still, yet:**

I've _____ had lunch but I'll join you for coffee.

They say they posted it two weeks ago but it _____ hasn't arrived.

They haven't cleaned their room _____.

I have _____ met Clara in person. I wonder what she looks like.

I haven't found a flat _____. Everything around here is so expensive.

I've _____ seen this film. Let's watch something else.

Is Dale here? - Oh, he's _____ left.

He's only 22 and he's _____ written a best-selling book.

They said they'd have the results yesterday but they _____ haven't phoned.

I'm sure she's on her way. I've _____ seen her in reception.

Have you _____ taken my pen?! I swear it was here a minute ago.

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3. **Read and complete the text using the words/ phrases in the box:**

google	on	contact	clicked on
request	video link	decline	video calls
click	accepted	type...into	via

For some time, I've wanted to be able to stand on my head. Yesterday, a friend sent me a _____. I _____ the link and watched the video. It gave some really good tips. After a few days of practice, I can now stand on my head!

The internet is useful in so many ways. If you want to find out about something, you just _____ a few words _____ your phone and _____it. You _____ on it, and you've got the information. I've shown my gran how to use the internet to _____friends _____ social media. She sent a friend _____ to my cousin Meilin in Australia, whom we hardly ever see. Meilin _____ the request and as soon as they became friends _____ social media, they started to make regular _____. Meilin also taught gran how to _____ a friend request from a person she doesn't know. That day, my gran said to me, '' the internet is a magical thing!'' I couldn't stop laughing.

Read the text again. Find the corresponding English translation of the following phrases:

Nhấn chuột vào đường link: _____

Chấp nhận lời mời kết bạn: _____

Gửi đường link video: _____

Đánh/ gõ nội dung gì đó trên điện thoại: _____

Tìm kiếm thông tin trên google: _____

Thực hiện các cuộc gọi video: _____

Liên lạc với bạn bè qua mạng xã hội: _____

Gửi lời mời kết bạn: _____

Tìm hiểu thông tin về một điều gì đó: _____

Từ chối lời mời kết bạn: _____

Trở thành bạn bè trên mạng xã hội: _____

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