

**a Complete the conversations with the Past Simple form of the verbs in brackets.**

1 A Is this your first time in the UK, Anne?

B No, I <sup>0</sup> had (have) a holiday in Scotland last year.

A Really? I love Scotland! Where <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (stay)?

B We <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (stay) in Edinburgh. We <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (book) a hotel online, but unfortunately when we <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) we <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not like) it. So we <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (leave) that hotel and <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (rent) an apartment. It was great! What about you? When <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) you in Scotland?

A Oh, a long time ago. I <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (start) a university course there. I <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ not finish the course, but I <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (love) Scotland!

2 A Hi, Alex. Welcome home! How <sup>13</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) your flight?

B Hi, Mum. It <sup>14</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not be) bad. I <sup>15</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not sleep) much, but I <sup>16</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (watch) some good films.

A And <sup>17</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you <sup>18</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (like) New Zealand?

B Yes! It <sup>19</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) fantastic! I <sup>20</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (have) a great time. It's a really beautiful country and I <sup>21</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) some amazing people. I <sup>22</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not want) to come home!

A <sup>23</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ you <sup>24</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (take) many photos?

B Yes, I <sup>25</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (take) a lot. I can show you when we get home.

**b** Look at the pictures and complete the sentences with the past simple and past continuous forms of the verbs in brackets.



- 1 I was sleeping (slept/ was sleeping) when you sent (sent/ were sending) me the message.
- 2 Susan \_\_\_\_\_ around Italy when she \_\_\_\_\_ her boyfriend.
- 3 We \_\_\_\_\_ some old photos when we \_\_\_\_\_ the house.
- 4 They \_\_\_\_\_ for the bus when they \_\_\_\_\_ the accident.
- 5 It \_\_\_\_\_ to rain when they \_\_\_\_\_ to school.
- 6 A dog \_\_\_\_\_ into the road when I \_\_\_\_\_ home.

**c** Complete the story with the past simple OR past continuous form of the verbs in brackets.

Last summer, I <sup>1</sup> was living (live) in Hawaii. One Saturday morning I <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (wake up) early, and it <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a beautiful day. The sun <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (shine), and I <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (feel) really happy. I <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not need) to go to work that day, so I <sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (decide) to go surfing. Most of my friends <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (work) and my girlfriend <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) her parents, so I <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to the beach alone. When I <sup>11</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive), the beach <sup>12</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (be) already crowded. A lot of people <sup>13</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (sunbathe), children <sup>14</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (play) games and people

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<sup>15</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (swim) in the sea. Everyone <sup>16</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (enjoy) the lovely summer day. I <sup>17</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (put) my things down on the beach, and then I <sup>18</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (begin) walking to the sea with my surfboard.

Suddenly, a man <sup>19</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (shout) , 'Shark! Shark! Get out of the water!' At first, I <sup>20</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not can) see anything, but then I <sup>21</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (see) a big shark.

Luckily, it <sup>22</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not attack) anyone and <sup>23</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (swim) away quickly. I <sup>24</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (not stay) at the beach after that, and I <sup>25</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ (go) home without going surfing!

**d Match the two columns to make meaningful sentences**

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| 1 The weather was awful...                  | ...so I invited her to dinner.           |
| 2 I didn't give him my phone number...      | ...although it had a happy ending.       |
| 3 Paul came to work...                      | ...but we couldn't find the house.       |
| 4 It was her birthday...                    | ...because I didn't want him to call me. |
| 5 Jake is an intelligent student...         | ...although he was ill.                  |
| 6 I ran to the shop...                      | ...but we had a wonderful evening.       |
| 7 They didn't want to dance...              | ...so we didn't go out.                  |
| 8 We didn't go anywhere special...          | ...because I was in a hurry.             |
| 9 It was a sad story...                     | ...but he's very lazy.                   |
| 10 We drove along the street very slowly... | ...so they left the club early.          |