

Lesson 8A

GRAMMAR | past simple: regular verbs

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VOCABULARY

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1 A Match the sentence beginnings (1–10) with the endings (a–j).

- 1 We always book
 - 2 Stefan plans
 - 3 I never change
 - 4 At the weekend they like to walk
 - 5 I always stay in
 - 6 I usually travel
 - 7 On holiday I like to relax
 - 8 I like to arrive
 - 9 I always try
 - 10 I don't want to
- a my plans.
 - b and do nothing.
 - c to France on holiday.
 - d at the airport early.
 - e tickets online, not by phone.
 - f visit museums at the weekend.
 - g around the park.
 - h every minute of his holidays.
 - i an expensive hotel.
 - j different types of food on holiday.

B Complete the verbs in the text.

At the weekend I don't usually go out – I¹s _____ at home and do nothing. I'm tired and I²w _____ to³r _____. But sometimes I⁴c _____ my plans and my friends and I⁵t _____ to a different city for a weekend break. We usually⁶a _____ on Friday and leave on Sunday. We always⁷b _____ train tickets and a hotel room online, but we don't⁸p _____ every minute of the weekend. We like to⁹w _____ around the city centre, take photos and visit famous places. Often, we go to a local restaurant and¹⁰t _____ some typical food.

C Choose the correct alternative.

- 1 My parents **stay** / **book** / **travel** the same hotel for their summer holiday every year.
- 2 Sai never **travels** / **walks** / **arrives** early – she's always late!
- 3 I don't like trains so I usually **change** / **travel** / **book** by bus.
- 4 On holiday, we go to restaurants and **try** / **want** / **plan** different food.
- 5 Javi never **relaxes** / **changes** / **stays** his routine. He does the same thing every day!
- 6 I usually stay in a hotel, but this year I **want** / **change** / **travel** to do something different.

GRAMMAR

past simple: regular verbs

2 A Complete the sentences with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Last summer I _____ (stay) at an amazing hotel at the beach.
- 2 He _____ (not want) to clean his apartment at the weekend.
- 3 It was cold yesterday so we _____ (change) our plans.
- 4 I _____ (try) Japanese food for the first time last year – it was great!
- 5 We _____ (not arrive) at the hotel early last night. We were late.
- 6 Last year Kasia and her friends _____ (travel) from London to Istanbul by bike!
- 7 They _____ (stop) the football game because the weather was bad.
- 8 She _____ (study) French at school but now she can't remember it.

B The sentences below have a mistake. Choose the best option to correct the mistake.

- 1 Kwame stays at home and relaxed last weekend.
a did stay b didn't stayed c stayed
- 2 I not booked a table at the restaurant, and it was busy.
a book b didn't booked c didn't book
- 3 When I was at school, classes do finish at 4 o'clock.
a finishes b finished c finish
- 4 I didn't watched television last night. I listened to a podcast.
a didn't watch b don't watch c watch

C Complete the email with the past simple of the words in the box.

be book look love not like not want
plan stay travel try visit walk

Hey Sayyid,

Nice to hear from you! It's great that you're in Tokyo now. It's my favourite city! My brother and I¹ _____ there last year and² _____ for a week. It³ _____ amazing! We⁴ _____ to stay in a hotel so we⁵ _____ an apartment in the city centre. It was very small, but we⁶ _____ it. We⁷ _____ every minute of every day and we were very busy! We⁸ _____ around the city centre and⁹ _____ at the big buildings. One day, we¹⁰ _____ the fish market and¹¹ _____ some typical food. My brother¹² _____ it, but I loved it!

Write and tell me about your visit!

Alina



PRONUNCIATION

3A  **8.01** | **-ed endings** | Listen to the pronunciation of the **-ed** endings and choose the correct sound (a–c).

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| 1 travelled | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 2 walked | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 3 watched | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 4 started | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 5 stopped | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 6 planned | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 7 arrived | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 8 visited | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 9 wanted | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |
| 10 liked | a /t/ | b /d/ | c /ɪd/ |

B  **8.01** | Listen again and repeat.

LISTENING

4A  **8.02** | Listen to the conversation. Where was Sally at the weekend?

- a Brussels b Paris c Amsterdam

B  **8.02** | Listen again. Choose the things in the photos (A–F) you hear.

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| Photo A | Photo D |
| Photo B | Photo E |
| Photo C | Photo F |

C  **8.02** | Listen to the conversation again and choose the correct alternative.

- Sally and Luisa arrived at **5 p.m.** / **7 p.m.** on Friday.
- They stayed in a hotel next to the **museum** / **river**.
- They **stayed** / **didn't stay** in the hotel they booked online.
- The people in the hotel were very **happy** / **friendly**.
- The food in the hotel restaurant was **cheap** / **expensive**.
- The weather was **good** / **bad**.
- They tried **cakes** / **cheese** at the food market.
- On Sunday they visited a **museum** / **some shops**.

