

7.2 purpose, cause and result

1 Match questions 1–8 with answers a)–f).

1 Why did you give up your job?

2 Why did you travel around the world?

3 Why didn't you go to university?

4 Why did you learn Portuguese?

5 Why did you write a blog?

6 Why did you become a nurse?

7 Why did you move to Scotland?

8 Why did you get a part-time job?

a) To keep in touch with my family and friends.

b) To pay for my studies.

c) Because I hated the long hours.

d) So that I can help people.

e) Because there was nothing I wanted to study.

f) So that I could speak to people when I got to Brazil.

g) Because there is a good teaching hospital in Edinburgh.

h) To learn about different people and cultures.

2 Join the sentences using *so*, *to* or *because*.

1 She bought a dictionary. She wanted to look up difficult words.

She bought a dictionary to look up difficult words.

2 He gave up his job. He hated it.

3 I was very late. I took a taxi.

4 We had to study hard. We needed to pass our exams.

5 He went to the doctor. He felt ill.

6 He is an artist. He can draw very well.

7 She's thinking about becoming a dentist. Dentists earn good money.

8 She felt very tired. She decided to have a break.

9 He arrived late for the interview. He missed the bus.

10 She bought some chocolate. She wanted to make a cake.