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6 Read the text and cross out the alternatives that are not possible.

My life ¹*used to be/would be* much more complicated before I ²*got/used to get* my first mobile phone. In those days, I ³*always arranged/would always arrange* exactly where and when to meet my friends and we ⁴*tried/used to try* our best to get there on time.

Sometimes we ⁵*used to wait/would wait* hours for people to turn up. I remember once I ⁶*rang/would ring* a friend's mum to tell her I was going to be late, and my friend then ⁷*called/used to call* home to see if there had been any messages! People did things like that then. I also ⁸*knew/would know* loads of phone numbers by heart. Now I can hardly remember my own! It's funny, though, because even though I now carry my phone everywhere, I actually think I ⁹*called/would call* my friends more back then. I guess it's because we ¹⁰*never used to have/wouldn't have* emails, texts or messaging apps.