


Unit 1: 'Look ahead, look back'

UNIT CHECK

Review

1  **1.8** Listen to a girl talking about a history project. Number the events she describes in the correct order (1–8). Which two events happened at the same time?

- A sister talked to gran
- B sister left phone with gran
- C sister collected phone
- D sister prepared questions
- E gran did recordings
- F sister did some research
- G gran went about her usual day
- H sister prepared material for presentation

2 Complete the conversation using polite expressions. Use the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- A:** Aunt Jane, I really want to record some memories of when we used to go the beach as children.
I ¹ (wonder / mind) helping me?
- B:** Sure, but I'm really busy over the next few days.
- A:** Well, I ² (think / could) do it in stages – just five minutes every day maybe?
- B:** Oh, OK. When did you want to start?
- A:** ³ (would / be) OK to start tomorrow? I've got some questions to ask you.
- B:** Yes. As long as it's short, that's fine.
- A:** Er ... and I ⁴ (hope / have) some photos you could dig out for me as well?
- B:** I'm afraid that will have to wait until next month!

3 Complete the sentences with the correct past form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 I was so tired when you called. I (study) for over three hours.
- 2 When I lost my phone, I lost all my photos. Unfortunately, I (delete) them from my laptop.
- 3 When you used those settings, did you realise you (give) everyone access to your account?
- 4 When my sister closed her Facebook account, she (already / be) on it for three years and she said it was getting boring.
- 5 I was late for the video session. Actually, when I got there, they (film) for over two hours and I felt very guilty.
- 6 No one even saw my post – they (all / play) some massive online game!

4 Complete the second sentence so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence, using the word given. Do not change the word given. Use between three and six words.

1 None of the tickets were left when we got to the cinema.

TIME

All the tickets we got to the cinema.

2 Immediately after Sam posted the Snapchat story, he got over 100 likes.

SOONER

Sam found that the Snapchat story than he got 100 likes.

3 It was only after telling everyone he'd made a vlog that Mike got lots of views.

HAVING

Mike only got lots of views

..... everyone he'd made a vlog.

4 My account was hacked and then I became quite worried.

REALISED

When I, I became quite worried.

5 I took the only option open to me and closed my account.

DID

What I, which was the only option open to me.

6 I don't think my blog is going to be very successful, which is worrying.

ABOUT

I my blog not being very successful.

5 Complete the sentences with prepositions. Use two different prepositions for each pair.

1 A He was annoyed her response to his video.

B I was annoyed him for not calling me.

2 A Her parents were prepared the news.

B His performance had been prepared the help of his tutor.

3 A They said they had always been frightened spiders.

B I was frightened my life!

4 A His video was removed the website.

B The post can be removed the permission of the administrator.

6 Your friend posts a vlog about a TV programme she watched. Write a comment saying what you think of her review and making one suggestion on how she can improve it.