1 Circle the incorrect spelling in each sentence. Write the correct word.

1 You where an athlete in 2002. _____
2 Suki woz born in 1985. _____
3 Wer you a soccer player on the English team? _____
4 We weren'nt on vacation last month. _____
5 Waz Marco at the movie theater last night? _____
6 He wasant an Olympic Champion. _____

2 Complete with *was, were,* or *wasn't.*

David Beckham is a famous footballer.
He (1) _____ born in England.
He (2) _____ a soccer player for Manchester United for thirteen years.
In June 2003 he (3) _____ at the World Cup, because he (4) _____
in Japan with his wife. The Japanese people (5) _____ very happy because they love David Beckham. The Beckhams

3 Circle the correct words.

1 Dad **was** / **were** a soccer player when he was young.
2 **Was** / **Were** you born in 2001?
3 They **wasn't / weren't** inventors.
4 **Was** / **Were** Pablo in Mexico last week?
5 We **wasn't / weren't** born in the U.S.
6 Freddie **wasn't / weren't** in my class.

4 Fill in the blanks. Use *was*, *were*, or *wasn't.*

Michael Jordan (1) _____ born in 1963. He (2) _____ a big basketball star in the 1980s and 1990s. He (3) _____ a player for the Chicago Bulls. Today, Michael lives in Illinois, but he (4) _____ born there. He was born in New York.

In 1984 and 1992, Michael and the U.S. basketball team (5) _____ at the Olympics. They (6) _____ the gold medal winners.

5 Write the questions for these answers.

1 _____?
No, I wasn't born in England.
2 _____?
Yes, she was in Brazil last year.
3 _____?
Yes, they were in Ecuador in 1990.
4 _____?
No, Pelé wasn't an Olympic Champion.
5 _____?
Yes, I was a student last year.
6 _____?
Yes, we were on vacation in the summer.

2 Music quiz. Circle the correct word.

1 Mozart and Bach wrote **pop** / **classical** music.
2 The home of **country** / **reggae** music is Nashville, Tennessee in the U.S.
3 Bob Marley played **reggae** / **rap** music.
4 **Jazz** / **Rock** bands often play trumpets and saxophones.
5 **Rap** / **Classical** music became popular in New York in the 1980s.
6 The Foo Fighters are a **rock** / **soul** band.

1 point for each correct answer. **Total 6 points**

3 Match the type of music to the musical instruments.

1 classical ___ a drums and guitars
2 rock ___ b trumpets and saxophones
3 jazz ___ c violins and pianos

1 Write the words in the correct order.

1 year / We / lived / Australia / last / in _____.
2 to / They / in / moved / London / October _____.
3 May / 2014 / I / in / visited / Buenos Aires _____.
4 sister / studied / at / My / University / Colorado _____.
5 last / traveled / Taipei / We / to / summer _____.
6 stopped / four / at / game / The / o'clock _____.

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Write complete sentences in the simple past.

1 I / live in Sao Paulo / last year

_____

2 We / carry / the books home

_____.

3 Polly and Leo / stay in Mexico / for three years

Read about Tom's vacation. Write the verbs in the simple past.

I live in Vancouver, in Canada. Last year, we (1) _____ (have) a vacation in a cabin in the mountains. It was great. We (2) _____ (spend) three weeks there in the summer. It (3) _____ (be) really hot! One day, we (4) _____ (go) to the coast. We wanted to go out to sea on a boat. We (5) _____ (see) a whale and five dolphins. My dad (6) _____ (give) me his camera and I (7) _____ (take) some really cool photos.

9 Write the simple past form of the verbs. Then Write the questions for these answers.

1 *Did you go out last night?*
No, I didn't go out last night.

2 _____?
Yes, we listened to some great rock music yesterday.

3 _____?
Yes, I watched the Olympic Games on TV.

4 _____?
No, she didn't go on vacation with her family.

5 _____?
Yes, they visited their friends in Boston.

6 _____?
No, I didn't see the game show.

7 _____?
No, you didn't lend me your phone.

5 Complete the answers with the words below.

we No they did she didn't

1 Did you go to Florida?
No, I _____.

2 Did you read about Egypt?
Yes, I _____.

3 Did the Egyptians build the pyramids?
_____

4 Boris / travel to Ecuador / last week

_____.

5 I / learn English / in Los Angeles

_____.

6 They / move to New York / last week

_____

Yes, _____.did.

4 Did we see the Nazca Lines?
No, _____ didn't.

5 Did the Incas live in Brazil?
_____, they didn't.

6 Did she visit the Gavea Rock?
Yes, _____ did.

8 Write negative sentences. Use the simple past form of the verbs in parentheses.

1 Pretoria _____ (go) to school today.

2 I _____ (do) my homework last night.

3 Darren _____ (see) Jane at the party.

4 Tess _____ (help) her mom this morning.

6 Write these sentences as negative sentences.

1 Johnny Depp won an Oscar in 2014.

_____.

2 The Romans invented the radio.

_____.

write *R* for regular or *I* for irregular.

1 carry _____ ☐

2 see _____ ☐

3 arrive _____ ☐

4 travel _____ ☐

5 sing _____ ☐

6 give _____ ☐

7 stop _____ ☐

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She (7) _____ (tell) me about a nice boy!

Read the dialogue. Write the verbs in the simple past.

Mark: Hi, Rachel. Were you on vacation last week?

Rachel: Yes, I was. I (1) _____ (go) to Canada with my parents.

Mark: Did you go by plane?

Rachel: No, we (2) _____ (travel) by train. Were you at school last week?

Mark: Yes, I was. We (3) _____ (learn) about transportation.

Rachel: Were you at Paca's party?

Mark: Yes, I was. I (4) _____ (stay) for two hours.
I (5) _____ (meet) a nice girl called Lucy.

Rachel: Oh! I (6) _____ (see) Lucy yesterday.

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