

## 1. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE CORRECT OPTION

- 1 I first went abroad  
 A twice already this year.  
 B two years ago, when I was thirteen.
- 2 While I was taking a selfie,  
 A a girl suddenly put her face in the picture.  
 B a girl was putting her face in the picture.
- 3 He didn't really join in. He  
 A was always playing computer games instead of enjoying the trip.  
 B 's been playing computer games instead of enjoying the trip.
- 4 We were going to get tickets for the water park  
 A and it was great fun.  
 B but it was closed on Sunday.
- 5 Dad was due to join us for the second week  
 A but he was ill and couldn't make it.  
 B and he loved the area too.
- 6 There was no one to help us. We got to the hotel after midnight and  
 A the receptionist went home.  
 B the receptionist had already gone home.
- 7 I was happy, but really tired after  
 A we've been exploring the city all day.  
 B we'd been exploring the city all day.

## 2. COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH THE PAST FORM OF THESE VERBS

going to + skype / be      read / miss / have to      swim / step  
 take off / wait      used + spend / would + collect      walk / crash

- 1 We ..... along the beach when suddenly a huge wave ..... over the rocks.
- 2 By the time the plane actually ..... , we ..... on the runway for an hour.
- 3 I ..... home, but the signal in the hostel ..... hopeless.
- 4 My sister ..... already ..... out to the rock by the time I ..... into the water.
- 5 I ..... on the bus, so I ..... my stop and ..... walk 5 km back to the campsite.
- 6 As I young child, I ..... a week with my aunt and uncle near the coast. I ..... shells and stones from our walks along the beach.

## 3. COMPLETE THE CHATROOMS POST WITH THE CORRECT FORM OF THE VERBS

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I <sup>1</sup> ..... (go) to Croatia last month to stay with a girl I met online, Nika. I <sup>2</sup> ..... (never/travel) abroad without my parents before and I really <sup>3</sup> ..... (miss) them. Nika and I <sup>4</sup> ..... (not/get on) from Day 1. It was strange because we <sup>5</sup> ..... (write) to each other for ages and we seemed to like the same things. I <sup>6</sup> ..... (be due/stay) three weeks and I lasted only one! 😞

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Last summer holidays I <sup>7</sup> ..... (go/have) a week in Boston with my best friend's family. I <sup>8</sup> ..... (look forward) to it for ages, but then suddenly my parents said no. They <sup>9</sup> ..... (used/have) us all together over the summer. I <sup>10</sup> ..... (already/make) loads of holiday plans, but dad <sup>11</sup> ..... (not think) it was fair on my brother! 😞