

4  Read the stories (A–C). Write the sentences (1–6) in the correct place.

- 1 I was working for an airline last year.
- 2 She was looking at her phone and seemed a bit worried.
- 3 I wasn't ill. I was just feeling fed up with my friends.
- 4 She was sitting at the kitchen table.
- 5 He was loading the dishwasher in the kitchen.
- 6 One day I was answering all the phone calls.

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PAWEŁ, WARSAW, POLAND, AGE 15

One morning last week I didn't want to go to school.  
3 I wasn't ill. I was just feeling fed up with my friends.  
So I went to my dad.

I said that school was cancelled for the day. He said, 'Oh, great. Let's go to the cinema then.' I was so happy. I was also amazed that he believed me. We got in the car and he drove me straight to school...

TRUDI, WISCONSIN, USA, AGE 19

I had a job at the customer service desk in the airport.

A lady phoned and asked if she could take her dog on a plane with her. I said the dog needed a dog basket to travel in. I explained, 'The basket needs to be big enough for the dog to stand up, sit down, turn around, and lie down.' The customer was anxious. She said, 'I can't teach him to do all of those things by tomorrow!'

MIKEY, BRISTOL, UK, AGE 14

I walked into the kitchen and saw my grandma.

She had her very first mobile phone in her hand.

I asked if I could help. She turned round and said, 'Oh hi, Mikey. What do IDK, LY, and TTYL mean?' I answered, 'I don't know, love you, talk to you later.' She said, 'OK then, I will ask your sister.'

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## Writing

5 a  What was happening yesterday evening? Complete the text with the past continuous form of the verbs in the box.



celebrate chat enjoy have dinner  
look forward play push

Yesterday evening my family and I  
1 were having dinner in a local restaurant. We  
2 were looking forward to Dad's birthday. It was a lovely  
evening. Music 3 was playing. People  
4 were talking to each other. Everybody  
5 was enjoying the delicious food. The waiter  
6 was pushing a trolley of amazing cakes  
over to our table. I 7 was looking forward to eating  
the big chocolate one!

b  Describe what happened next. Complete the text with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

Unfortunately, my baby sister's toy 8 was (be) on the floor. The waiter 9 didn't see (not see) it. And he 10 fell (fall) over the toy! The trolley 11 crashed (crash) into our table and then the cakes 12 flew (fly) into the air.

Fortunately for me, the big chocolate cake landed on my plate!

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