

Good memories

1 Past tense

A Write the past tense of these verbs.

Verb	Past tense	Verb	Past tense
be	<u>was/were</u>	hide	_____
become	_____	laugh	_____
do	_____	lose	_____
email	_____	move	_____
get	_____	open	_____
have	_____	scream	_____

B Complete this paragraph. Use the past tense of each of the verbs in part A.

My best friend in school was Michael. He and I _____ in Mrs. Gilbert's third-grade class, and we _____ friends. We often _____ crazy things in class, but I don't think Mrs. Gilbert ever really _____ mad at us. For example, Michael _____ a pet lizard named Peanut. Sometimes he _____ it in Mrs. Gilbert's desk drawer. Later, when she _____ the drawer, she always _____ loudly, and the class _____. After two years, Michael's family _____ to another town. We _____ each other for a few years, but then we _____ contact. I often wonder what he's doing now.



2 Complete the questions in this conversation.

- Sarah:** Welcome to the building. My name's Sarah Walker.
- Benedito:** Hello. I'm Benedito Peres. It's nice to meet you.
- Sarah:** Nice to meet you, too. Are you from around here?
- Benedito:** No, I'm from Brazil.
- Sarah:** Oh, really? Were you born _____ in Brazil?
- Benedito:** No, I wasn't born there, actually. I'm originally from Portugal.
- Sarah:** That's interesting. So, when _____ to Brazil?
- Benedito:** I moved to Brazil when I was in elementary school.
- Sarah:** Where _____?
- Benedito:** We lived in Recife. It's a beautiful city in northeast Brazil. Then I went to college.
- Sarah:** _____ to school in Recife?
- Benedito:** No, I went to school in São Paulo.
- Sarah:** And what _____?
- Benedito:** Oh, I studied engineering. But I'm here to go to graduate school.
- Sarah:** Great! When _____?
- Benedito:** I arrived last week. I start school in three days.
- Sarah:** Well, good luck. And sorry for all the questions!

