

1. Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets, then read the article and write the correct names: USED TO

- _____ wrote Harry Potter.
 _____ started Starbucks.
 _____ founded the famous Cirque du Soleil.

INSPIRATIONAL PEOPLE

These three inspirational people had a dream - to change their lives. But what did their lives use to be like? Read on and find out!

Howard Schultz's family ¹_____ (have) much money. But Howard ²_____ (dream) of a different kind of life. Fortunately, he was good at sports and he won a scholarship to go to university. Then he started work at a coffee company.

JK Rowling ³_____ (be) one of the richest women in the UK or an important supporter of charities. In fact, she ⁴_____ (live) in a small apartment in Edinburgh, Scotland. And there she created the character of a young wizard.

Guy Laliberté ⁵_____ (manage) a famous company. In fact, he ⁶_____ (play) the accordion on the streets. And he ⁷_____ (perform) tricks such as eating fire and walking on stilts.



2. Complete the sentences with the correct option. USED TO

1. I _____ skinny when I was young.
 a. used to be b. used be c. used to

2. We _____ in New Jersey.
 a. used be living b. used live c. used to live

3. Lisa speaks English now, but she _____ it when she was young.
 a. didn't used to speak b. not used to speak c. didn't use to speak

4. People _____ to the radio more in the old days.
 a. used to listening b. used listen c. used to listen

5. Can you believe that Grandpa _____ tennis when he was young?
 a. used to play b. used play c. used to be playing

6. I _____ much years ago, but now I read every day.
 a. didn't used to read b. didn't use to read c. used to not reading

3. Choose sentences with these actions and used to /didn't use to about Mr. Thomas.

- (+) go to the cinema: _____
 (-) climb mountains. _____
 (+) make cakes. _____

(-) do the homework. _____

(+) use the computer in the class. _____

4. Complete the phrase using present perfect progressive.

1. Mrs. Bareño (teach) _____ at our school for 20 years.

2. He (feel) _____ well for two weeks.

3. Kevin and Dilan (cycle) _____ for an hour.

4. It's been so hot. That's why I (play) _____ tennis.

5. Turn the TV off now. You (watch) _____ it for hours.

6. This radio (work) _____ properly for some times.

7. The baby (cry) _____ for an hour.

8. Jhon is tired. He (drive) _____ for ten hours.

9. I'm putting on weight because I (go) _____ to the gym for a while.

10. Those children (make) _____ a terrible noise in the street for an hour.

5. Write the correct sentence in present perfect progressive.

1. (cook / they / spaghetti / have been)

2. (he / write / the articles / has been)

3. (have been / you / speak / with the doctor)

4. (in the hammock / she / sleep / has been)

5. (drive / the tractor / have been / I)
