

6 ★ Put the verbs in brackets into the *past simple*, the *present perfect* or the *present perfect continuous*.



Easter Island is an island in the Pacific Ocean. People 1) **have been living** (live) there for over 1,000 years. But life on Easter Island 2) ..... (not/always/be) easy. When people first 3) ..... (arrive) there around 800 AD, the island had many trees and there was plenty of food. But the forests 4) ..... (disappear) about 600 years ago and life 5) ..... (become) very difficult for the people of Easter Island. These days, life is easier because tourists 6) ..... (start) coming to the island. But the visitors 7) ..... (already/have) a negative effect on the island and its culture. For years now, the mayor of Easter Island 8) ..... (try) to find a way for tourists to enjoy the island without damaging it, but so far the problem remains unsolved.

### Prepositions & Phrasal verbs

7 ★ Choose the correct item.

- 1 Gary applied **about/for** an office job.
- 2 Jane was lost **in/at** the middle of a strange city.
- 3 You must check **in/on** to the hotel by 2 pm.
- 4 We had to put **off/away** our skiing trip until there was more snow.
- 5 We were very proud **with/of** him.

### Word formation

8 ★ Complete the sentences with the correct forms of the words in brackets.

- 1 Martin's going on a ..... holiday hiking in Nepal for three weeks. (**CHALLENGE**)
- 2 We refused to let the ..... weather spoil our holiday. (**DEPRESS**)
- 3 Molly finds it very ..... to work as a volunteer. (**SATISFY**)
- 4 They were ..... about missing their flight. (**WORRY**)
- 5 Melissa felt ..... to paint the beautiful landscape in front of her. (**INSPIRE**)