

Put each verb into their correct past form.

Last summer I \_\_\_\_\_ (**CYCLE**) in the rain along a country road in France with my best friend Tom. We \_\_\_\_\_ (**DECIDE**) to go on a cycling holiday in northern France. Neither of us \_\_\_\_\_ (**BE**) to France before, but we \_\_\_\_\_ (**LEARN**) a little bit of French at school and we \_\_\_\_\_ (**MANAGE**) to brush up on the basics.



Now we \_\_\_\_\_ (**WONDER**) if we \_\_\_\_\_ (**MAKE**) the right decision. We \_\_\_\_\_ (**PLAN**) our route carefully for months, but we \_\_\_\_\_ (**FORGET**) one important factor: the weather. It \_\_\_\_\_ (**RAIN**) heavily since our arrival and that night we \_\_\_\_\_ (**END UP**) sleeping in the waiting room at a railway station.

When we \_\_\_\_\_ (**RIDE**) down a steep hill the next morning my bike \_\_\_\_\_ (**SKID**) on the wet road and I \_\_\_\_\_ (**FALL**) off. I \_\_\_\_\_ (**REALISE**) immediately that I \_\_\_\_\_ (**BREAK**) my left arm and after a visit to the hospital I \_\_\_\_\_ (**CATCH**) the next train to Calais for the ferry home.

Unfortunately, my parents \_\_\_\_\_ (**NOT EXPECT**) me home for a fortnight, and \_\_\_\_\_ (**GO**) away on holiday. So, I \_\_\_\_\_ (**SPEND**) a miserable couple of weeks alone, reading books about cycling in bad weather.