

Skating

This winter I _____ (learn) to skate!
A friend of mine _____ (have) an extra
pair of skates. He _____ (persuade) me
to go skating with him one Saturday afternoon
in February. I _____ (borrow) the skates
and we _____ (go) skating!



It _____ (be) cold outside! We _____ (wear) hats, scarves and
mitts to keep warm. He _____ (show) me how to put on the skates. He
_____ (help) me walk onto the ice. He _____ (show) me how to
start moving. He also _____ (teach) me how to stop!
I _____ (move) very slowly at first and lots of people _____
(skate) past me. When I _____ (fall) nobody _____ (laugh) at
me. Instead, they _____ (help) me get back up. I _____ (keep)
trying! Soon I _____ (feel) much better. I _____ (like) skating!



An evening out

Last night I _____ (go) to Nathan Phillips
Square at City Hall in Toronto. It _____ (be)
a beautiful summer evening. It _____ (be)
warm and sunny. Lots of people _____ (be)
there because of the Pan Am games celebrations.

I _____ (stand) and _____ (watch) the crowd.
Many people _____ (sit) by the water. Some people _____ (talk)
with friends or family. Lots of people _____ (take) pictures.
A band _____ (play) music on the stage. People _____ (stand)
by the stage. They _____ (listen) to the music. Others _____
(watch) the performance on large video screens. Everyone _____
(enjoy) the summer evening.

