

2 Put the verbs in brackets into the correct past tense to complete the exchanges. **CHECK** ...
Justify your answers.

- ? 1 A: How ... **(be)** your holiday in Spain?
B: Great, thanks. I ... **(have)** a fantastic time.
- ? 2 A: What ... **(you/do)** when the phone ... **(ring)**?
B: I ... **(wash)** my hair and I ... **(not/hear)** it.
- ? 3 A: Tony ... **(surf)** the Net when he ... **(find)** a great deal
on a trip to Paris.
B: I know, but by the time he ... **(tell)** me about it, I ...
(already/book) my holiday to Berlin.
- ? 4 A: How ... **(you/miss)** your flight?
B: We ... **(shop)** in the duty-free shop and we ...
(not/hear) the announcement.
- ? 5 A: ... **(you/stay)** in a hotel during your holiday?
B: No. We ... **(rent)** an apartment for two weeks.
- ? 6 A: Jane ... **(look)** exhausted when I saw her.
B: That's because she ... **(work)** long hours for the last three weeks.



6 Put the verbs in brackets into the correct tense. **CHECK** ...

- 1 She **(visit)** Rome twice. ...
- 2 She ... **(get)** into the taxi
and ... **(head)** for the station.
- 3 They **(move)** to Madrid in 2010. ...
- 4 **(you/ever/try)** scuba diving? ...
- 5 We **(not/book)** our flight yet. ...
- 6 What time **(they/arrive)** last night? ...

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7 Choose the incorrect word/phrase. ...

- 1 As a child, my mum **would go/used to go/was going** to France on holiday. ...
- 2 My grandad **had/used to have/would have** jet black hair when he was young. ...
- 3 We **went/were going/used to go** fishing every morning on holiday. ...
- 4 When she was younger, she **would stay/was staying/stayed** with her cousins every summer. ...
- 5 He **would have/used to have/had** a part-time job as a waiter during summer while he was studying in England. ...
- 6 Where **did you use to live/would you live/ did you live** as a child? ...



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5 Put the verb in the brackets into the correct *past form*. **CHECK** ...

When Jim Harrison 1) *organised* (**organise**) a weekend in Paris for himself and his girlfriend Rachel, little did he know that it would turn out to be a disaster.

The trouble 2) ... (**start**) at the train station. The couple

3) ... (**only/queue**) for the Eurostar for five minutes when they

4) ... (**hear**) an announcement that their train had been delayed by four hours! And when Jim and Rachel finally 5) ... (**arrive**) in Paris

they discovered that, instead of the luxury hotel Jim thought he 6) ... (**book**), they were staying in a dirty, cramped room!

On Saturday, the couple 7) ... (**go**) sightseeing. As the sun

8) ... (**set**), Jim suggested they visit the Eiffel Tower.

He 9) ... (**reserve**) a table at the restaurant on the second level and he was planning to propose to Rachel there. They 10) ... (**sit**) at their

table for only a few minutes, when Jim discovered that he 11) ...

(**lose**) his bag. Inside was his wallet, his passport and Rachel's engagement ring! The couple

12) ... (**spend**) the next day getting Jim a new passport. They are now back in London and Rachel has agreed to marry Jim – although she will be planning their honeymoon herself!

