

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.



3c Grammar in use

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? ...



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? ...



3c Grammar

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!

