

Reading

I just got back from the best summer vacation! It was so fantastic that I never wanted it to end. I spent eight days in Medellin, Colombia. My best friends, Alana and Math, were with me. We had a beautiful room at the Dann Carlton hotel, and it wasn't even expensive. We had a balcony with a wonderful view.

We visit many famous tourist places. My favorite was the Arvi park, a well-known park. I was always interested in nature, so it was a special gift for me. The park is so big that you could spend days there. Math got tired of walking through the museum and said, "Enough! I need to take a break and rest." We wanted to go to Guatapé to visit El Peñol, but we couldn't because Laura is afraid of heights and didn't want to climb so high.

We took many breaks and sat on the different benches that were along the way. The Colombian food we ate was delicious. Finally, we could try the famous paisa tray. Laura's favorite part of the vacation was the hotel breakfast. She said she would be happy if she could eat breakfast like that, she said that the best are the corn arepas and the hot chocolate. We had so much fun that we are already talking about our next vacation!

Right, my name is James, I'm from Canada and it was nice talking to you.

Select the correct answer.

1. What city did they go to for their summer vacation?

- a. Arvi
- b. Medellín
- c. Guatapé
- d. Canada

2. How long was the summer vacation?

- a. One week
- b. One Month
- c. Eight days
- d. Eight weeks

3. What did their hotel room have?

- a. A bottle of wine
- b. A view of the metro
- c. A bed
- d. A balcony

4. Who got tired walking in the Arvi Park?

- a. Math
- b. Laura
- c. James
- d. Dann

5. What did Laura enjoy the most?

- a. The hotel breakfast
- b. The Peñol of Guatapé
- c. The Arvi Park
- d. The paisa tray

Writing.

Exercise 1. Complete the sentences using the present continuous.

1. Carlos is _____ (work) in a restaurant
2. They are _____ (speak) in Italian
3. Sara is _____ (cry) because her toy is broken
4. The plane is _____ (leave) the airport
5. She is _____ (sell) books there

Exercise 2: Turn the sentences from the previous exercise into negatives.

1. Carlos _____ in a restaurant
2. They _____ in Italian
3. Sara _____ because her toy is broken
4. The plane _____ the airport
5. She _____ books there

Exercise 3: Translate the following sentences.

1. Emma está buscando la llave del armario

Emma _____

2. Los taxis en Colombia son amarillos

The _____

3. Ellos están comiendo en el restaurante de mi mamá

They _____

4. Mi mejor amiga está viajando a Europa

My _____

5. Nosotros estamos planeando una fiesta

We _____

Exercise 4: Translate the following words into English.

1. Saltar: _____
2. Comprar: _____
3. Trabajando: _____
4. Calle: _____
5. Berenjena: _____
6. Rinoceronte: _____
7. Atardecer: _____
8. Medicina: _____
9. Planetas: _____
10. Conducir: _____
11. Elevador: _____
12. Edificio: _____
13. Computador: _____
14. Dorado: _____
15. Enviar: _____
16. Nacer: _____

Listening

Listen to the following audios and answer the questions.

Audio 1:

1. How old is the school Fred attends?

2. What does Fred usually have for breakfast?

3. Why does Fred walk to his school?

4. How many classes does Fred have after lunch?

5. What time does Fred have dinner?

Audio 2:

1. Who teaches Spanish and math?

2. What is Nona's job?

3. Who wants to own a bar and a restaurant?

4. What is Ninfa's dream job?

5. What is Richard's job?

6. Who is bartender?

Speaking

Read the following story aloud and follow the story including the different objects shown in the images.

It was once a dog named Klaus, he found a magic bone that transported him to a parallel dimension where everything was the opposite of what he used to be, Klaus was very confused, did not know what to do or where to go, far away He saw approach a turtle that ran very fast. Klaus wanted to stop her, but he was unsuccessful when he suddenly saw that an owl was walking behind, Klaus approached him and wanted to ask him what place it was, but he was surprised to realize that he could speak as humans did. Klaus explained what was happening to him, coincidentally, Mr. Owl also came from Klaus's dimension and began to explain everything. Mr. Owl told him that in this dimension humans died thousands of years ago, that penguins can fly and that all animals are vegetarians. He also told him that the only way to fly to the other dimension is for the queen bee to grant her wish, but since all animals are very happy there they decide not to return.

Five days passed and Klaus decided to return to his dimension. Klaus went to where the queen bee and this granted him the wish, the queen bee waved its wings and from them came yellow flashes which caused Klaus to wake up from sleep.

1. Where did Klaus travel?



2. Who did Klaus talk to?



3. Who granted Klaus the wish?



4. What animal ran very fast?



5. What object transported Klaus?



6. How many days was Klaus in the other dimension?

