

FIRST WEEK – GENERAL REVIEW

FILL THE GAPS:

Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets. Use the Present Simple, Present Continuous, Past Simple, Past Continuous.

1. John _____ the dishes right now. (wash)
2. They _____ come yesterday night. (come)
3. _____ it _____ all weekend? (rain)
4. I _____ an important football match yesterday. (play)
5. She _____ French fluently and now she _____ Italian. (speak) (study)
6. Last year, we _____ our holidays in Greece. (spent)
7. She _____ me a letter when I _____ her. (write)(phone)
8. My grandfather _____ to school by bike, he _____ on foot. (go) (go)

Complete the sentences with the verbs in brackets. Use the Future Simple, be going to or the Present Continuous. There may be more than one correct answer.

1. My older brother (study) at university next year.
2. Sam..... (be) a famous actor one day.
3. Do you think they (call) us before they go?
4. I (babysit) for Sue tonight.
5. Don't worry! I (lend) you my bike till you buy your own.
6. Tara (invite) a few friends over this evening.

Complete the dialogues with the verbs below. Use the Future Perfect or Future Continuous.

VERBS: drive • write • have • wait • eat • learn

- A) Jim: On Saturday, James 1. his annual barbecue at home.
Susan: Oh, no! I know by the time I leave, I 2. far too much.
- B) Teacher: We 3. to write an informal letter this week.
Mary: 4. we letters to real people during the lessons?
- C) Peter: By the time we get home today, we 5. over 3,000 miles.
Liam: I'm sure the children 6. for us.

INFORMAL LETTER: Fill in the spaces with either present simple, past simple or present continuous. Don't use contractions.

Dear David

How are you doing? I _____ (receive) your letter last weekend. Thank you for _____ (send) the recipe for the cookies I _____ (ask) for. I made it yesterday and it _____ (be) very tasty. I now _____ (have) a new job in a bank in the city centre..I usually _____ (go) there every day at 9 o'clock in the morning and _____ (work) there until 3 PM. I am very happy because my sister _____ (work) there too so we commute to and from work together.

I _____ already _____ (get) my first wage. As soon as I _____ (get) it, I _____ (go) shopping immediately! I _____ (buy) a new stereo for my bedroom. It is gold and black and _____ (look) very nice.

My brother _____ (come) to stay with me for a few days next month. He _____ (arrive) on Saturday, so I am going to collect him from the station. After I collect him, we are going to that Mexican restaurant near the park. _____ (you/want) to come with us? You can _____ (call) me to tell me if you want to come or not.

John _____ (tell) me that you _____ (pass) your Spanish exam last month. Congratulations! _____ (it/be) difficult? You know that I _____ (be) terrible at languages but you are better than me. _____ (you/go) to visit Spain for your next holiday so you can practice it?

Please drop me a line David.

All the best,
Mary