

## PRESENT AND PAST TENSES REVISION

### 1. Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the **PRESENT SIMPLE** or **PRESENT CONTINUOUS**.

I <sup>1.</sup> ..... (watch) a documentary at the moment on YouTube. It says that scientists  
<sup>2.</sup> ..... (learn) more and more about animal emotions these days. Many people  
<sup>3.</sup> ..... (think) that animals <sup>4.</sup> ..... (not have) feelings the way humans  
do,  
but according to experts, this isn't true. One good example is elephants. They  
<sup>5.</sup> ..... (feel) sad when another elephant <sup>6.</sup> ..... (die), and they often  
<sup>7.</sup> ..... (rescue) each other even if it means endangering themselves. According to  
the experts, this <sup>8.</sup> ..... (mean) that they care about each other.

Look at this! It's an elephant mother in Africa. She <sup>9.</sup> ..... (try) to save her baby  
from lions, but she can't. Wait - now the lions <sup>10.</sup> ..... (run) away because a family  
of elephants  
<sup>11.</sup> ..... (come) to help her. This is really amazing!

### 2. Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use the **PAST SIMPLE** or **PAST CONTINUOUS**.

As soon as we <sup>1.</sup> ..... (arrive) at the wedding, I realised that I <sup>2.</sup> ..... (not  
wear) the right shoes. The wedding took place in a forest and people <sup>3.</sup> ..... (walk)  
around in comfortable shoes, but I was in high heels! I tried to walk carefully, but I  
<sup>4.</sup> ..... (fall) while  
I <sup>5.</sup> ..... (carry) a plate of food. As I <sup>6.</sup> ..... (try) to get up with the empty  
plate still in my hand, I <sup>7.</sup> ..... (hear) people laughing. I <sup>8.</sup> ..... (think) that  
all the guests <sup>9.</sup> ..... (look) at me. But then I <sup>10.</sup> ..... (see) where the noise  
<sup>11.</sup> ..... (come) from. Some people at another table <sup>12.</sup> ..... (laugh)  
because someone <sup>13.</sup> ..... (tell) a joke.