

# 1 GRAMMAR time sequencers and connectors

a Circle the correct words or phrases.



<sup>1</sup> **The summer** / One summer, I decided to travel to Peru. I flew to Lima, and then travelled to a town near Machu Picchu to spend the night. <sup>2</sup> **Next day** / **Afterday**, I climbed the mountain to visit the monument. I was quite tired <sup>3</sup> **when** / **then** I reached the top.

<sup>4</sup> **Sudden** / **Suddenly**, I saw a man who was in my English class back home. <sup>5</sup> **Two minutes later** / **Two minutes after**, he came over to speak to me and he was just as surprised as I was.

<sup>6</sup> **After that** / **When**, we decided to travel together. We had a great summer, and we carried on seeing each other back home. In fact, we got married two years later, and we now have a beautiful daughter called Hannah.

**b** Look at each group of sentences. Complete each sentence with *so*, *because*, *but*, or *although*.

- 1 a Linda ran to the station because she was very late.  
b Linda was very late \_\_\_\_\_ she ran to the station.  
c \_\_\_\_\_ Linda ran to the station, she was too late and she missed the train.
- 2 a \_\_\_\_\_ we couldn't go out, we had a really good afternoon at home.  
b It was raining \_\_\_\_\_ we stayed at home.  
c We stayed at home last Sunday \_\_\_\_\_ it was raining.
- 3 a The tickets were really expensive \_\_\_\_\_ they managed to sell them all in an hour.  
b \_\_\_\_\_ the tickets were really expensive, they sold them all in an hour.  
c They sold the tickets quickly \_\_\_\_\_ the concert was very popular.