

**1 GRAMMAR** review of verb forms: present, past, and future

a Circle a, b, or c.

- 1 You were shouting in your sleep last night. What \_\_\_\_\_ about?  
 a are you dreaming  
 b did you dream  
 c were you dreaming
- 2 My dad \_\_\_\_\_ to that school when he was young.  
 a goes  
 b went  
 c has been
- 3 Thanks for lending me your car. I promise \_\_\_\_\_ after it.  
 a I look  
 b I'll look  
 c I'm going to look
- 4 My brother wants to find a new job because he never \_\_\_\_\_ any free time.  
 a has  
 b had  
 c is having
- 5 I'm sorry, what did you say? I \_\_\_\_\_.  
 a haven't listened  
 b didn't listen  
 c wasn't listening
- 6 Could you get me some butter from the shop? \_\_\_\_\_ a birthday cake for Tim.  
 a I make  
 b I'll make  
 c I'm going to make
- 7 Mum, turn the TV down! \_\_\_\_\_ to do my homework.  
 a I try  
 b I'm trying  
 c I've tried
- 8 I'll always remember that holiday in Italy. \_\_\_\_\_ a great time.  
 a We had  
 b We've had  
 c We're having
- 9 Oh no! I think \_\_\_\_\_ my leg.  
 a I was breaking  
 b I've broken  
 c I broke

b Complete the conversations with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use contractions where possible.

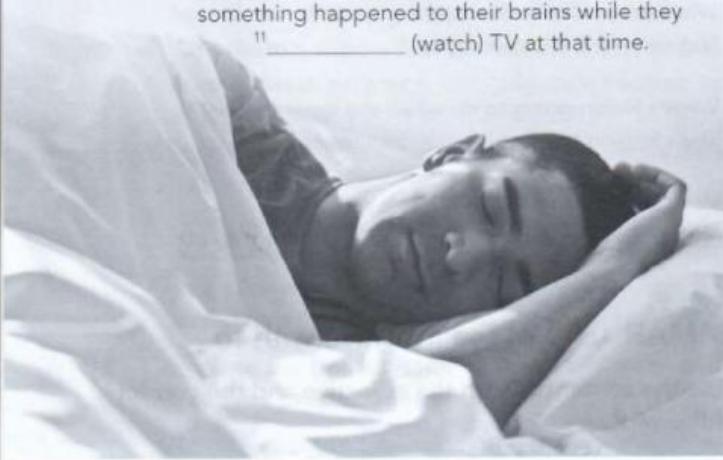
- 1 A Are you going to go out tonight? (go out)  
 B No, I'm really tired. I'm \_\_\_\_\_ to bed early. (go)
- 2 A What time \_\_\_\_\_ you usually \_\_\_\_\_ to bed? (go)  
 B At 10.30. Then I \_\_\_\_\_ for an hour before I go to sleep. (read)
- 3 A Do you think England \_\_\_\_\_ tonight? (win)  
 B No, I think they \_\_\_\_\_. (lose)
- 4 A What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ at midnight on New Year's Eve? (do)  
 B Nothing special. I \_\_\_\_\_ TV. (watch)
- 5 A \_\_\_\_\_ you ever \_\_\_\_\_ that you were flying? (dream)  
 B No, I \_\_\_\_\_ never \_\_\_\_\_ that dream. (have)
- 6 A What \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_? It's five o'clock in the morning! (do)  
 B I can't sleep so I \_\_\_\_\_. (read)
- 7 A What time \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ tomorrow? (leave)  
 B Early. The taxi \_\_\_\_\_ at six o'clock. (come)
- 8 A \_\_\_\_\_ you \_\_\_\_\_ well last night? (sleep)  
 B No, I \_\_\_\_\_ in the middle of the night, and I couldn't go back to sleep. (wake up)

c Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in brackets. Use contractions where possible.

## WHAT COLOUR ARE OUR DREAMS?

<sup>1</sup> Do we dream (dream) in colour or in black and white? Scientists <sup>2</sup> (do) a lot of research into this question. One of these scientists is a psychologist who <sup>3</sup> (work) at Dundee University. Her name is Eva Murzyn, and right now she <sup>4</sup> (study) the effect of television on our dreams. Eva <sup>5</sup> just (publish) the results of her latest study.

Sixty people <sup>6</sup> (help) Eva with her research. They completed a questionnaire and kept a diary of their dreams. She <sup>7</sup> (choose) people who were either under 25 or over 55. When Eva analyzed their diaries, she <sup>8</sup> (discover) that the younger people usually dreamed in colour, whereas many in the older group often <sup>9</sup> (have) black-and-white dreams. Eva thinks that this is because the older group <sup>10</sup> (see) TV programmes in black and white when they were very young. She believes that something happened to their brains while they <sup>11</sup> (watch) TV at that time.



## 2 VOCABULARY modifiers

a Re-order the letters in brackets to make modifiers.

- 1 You need to choose restaurants carefully in London because some are very (yrev) expensive.
- 2 I had a strange (aerilly) strange dream last night, but I can't remember all of it.
- 3 I can play the guitar, but I'm good (nto yvre) good.
- 4 That test was difficult (uiqet) difficult, but I think I got most of the answers right.
- 5 It's often cold here in April, but it's usually a better (ibt) better in May.
- 6 You'll love Natalia. She's nic (eydlibrinc) nice.

b Complete the conversations with the words in brackets in the correct order and tense. Use contractions where possible.

- 1 A Do you like doing exams?  
B No, I think they're incredibly stressful.  
(they / stressful / incredibly)
- 2 A Why don't you want to go in Caroline's car?  
B Because she drive dangerously.  
(dangerously / drive / really)
- 3 A What's Jack planning for your birthday?  
B He take me to a expensive restaurant very.  
(take me to a / expensive restaurant / very)
- 4 A Did you like the museum?  
B Yes, it be interesting.  
(quite / be / interesting)
- 5 A Why didn't you answer the phone when I called?  
B I be busy.  
(be / really / busy)
- 6 A Did you enjoy the film?  
B Not really. It be boring.  
(a bit / boring / be)

## 3 PRONUNCIATION the letters ea

a Tick (✓) the groups where all three sounds are the same.

1 theatre	near	idea	✓
2 already	bread	hear	
3 easy	earn	beach	
4 weather	break	sweater	
5 jeans	dream	clean	
6 great	speak	wear	

b 6.4 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.

c Complete the sentences with the correct word from a which rhymes with the **bold** word.

- 1 Doctors are very **clear** – smoking is a bad idea.
- 2 You'll feel much **better** if you wear a warm \_\_\_\_\_.
- 3 Do your make-up, do your **hair**, and buy some nice new clothes to \_\_\_\_\_.
- 4 Things aren't always as they **seem** when you see them in a \_\_\_\_\_.

d 6.5 Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the sentences.

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