

**1 Complete the sentences with the past simple of the verbs in the box.**

go leave not be not send  
not watch spend

- 1 You \_\_\_\_\_ at school yesterday. Why not?
- 2 I \_\_\_\_\_ to the supermarket last night.
- 3 Tom \_\_\_\_\_ TV last night.
- 4 Yesterday, we \_\_\_\_\_ the house early.
- 5 Clara \_\_\_\_\_ me a message.
- 6 I \_\_\_\_\_ a lot of money yesterday!

**2 Complete the dialogue with the past simple of the correct verb in brackets.**

- A Where <sup>1</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (be / see) you yesterday evening?
- B I <sup>2</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (not stay / not go) out. I <sup>3</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (spend / stay) at home.
- A Really? I <sup>4</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (text / send) you three times but you <sup>5</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (not say / not answer)!
- B Sorry! I <sup>6</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (have / take) some problems with my phone, so I <sup>7</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (put / take) it to the shop. I <sup>8</sup>\_\_\_\_\_ (not have / not stay) it last night.

**3 Put the words in the correct order and put the verbs into the past simple.**

- 1 pen / not take / your / I / .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 2 his homework / do / all / Hamza / .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 3 people / be / the party / many / there / at / ?  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 4 all evening / study / Chloe / .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 5 us / not arrive / you / before / .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 6 happy / not be / parents / James' / .  
\_\_\_\_\_
- 7 present / me / friends / give / my / a / .  
\_\_\_\_\_

## 2 Complete the sentences with suitable adjectives.

- 1 Parrots aren't \_\_\_\_\_ birds. They make loud noises to communicate with other birds and they're very good at copying noises that they hear.
- 2 I watched a TV programme about the green anaconda, a huge species of snake. It's really \_\_\_\_\_ - over 7 metres!
- 3 Monkeys are very \_\_\_\_\_. Some monkeys can open bottles of water and even use money to buy food.
- 4 Be careful! There are \_\_\_\_\_ hippos in this area. Stay in the car and don't open the window.
- 5 African elephants are very \_\_\_\_\_. Baby African elephants weigh about 90 kg and some adults weigh over 6,000 kg.

## 3 Complete the article with suitable animals and adjectives.

### Amazing animals: the blue whale



Blue whales are <sup>1</sup>**b**\_\_\_\_\_ animals, but they're amazing for lots of other reasons, too. They're very large. Some adult blue whales are 30 metres <sup>2</sup>**l**\_\_\_\_. And, of course, they're very <sup>3</sup>**h**\_\_\_\_. One adult blue whale weighs about 136,000 kg - that's the same as 300 <sup>4</sup>**h**\_\_\_\_, 2,200 men or 6 million <sup>5</sup>**m**\_\_\_\_! Blue whales are also very <sup>6</sup>**n**\_\_\_\_. They communicate in different ways using different sounds. It's difficult for humans to hear these noises, but to other whales, they aren't <sup>7</sup>**q**\_\_\_\_ at all - whales can communicate over very long distances. They're very <sup>8</sup>**c**\_\_\_\_, too. For example, it's possible that they understand numbers.