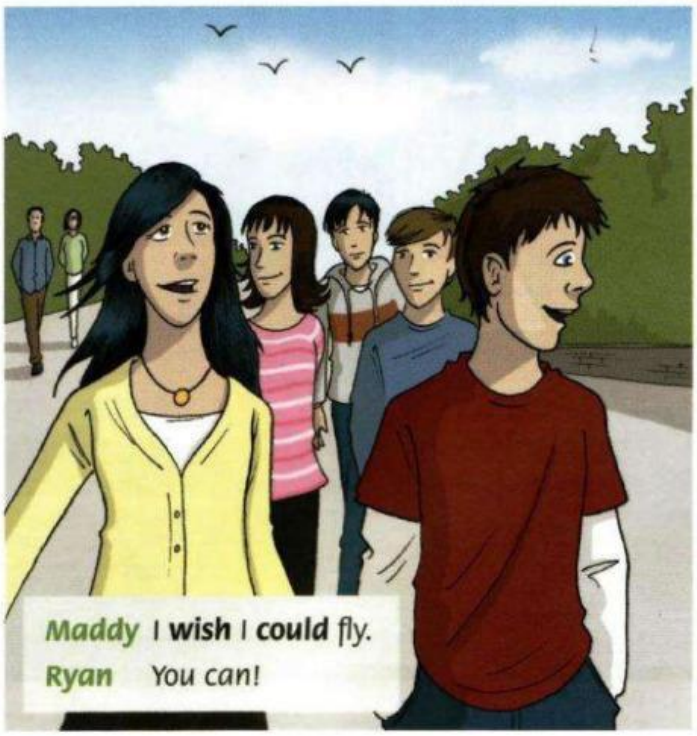

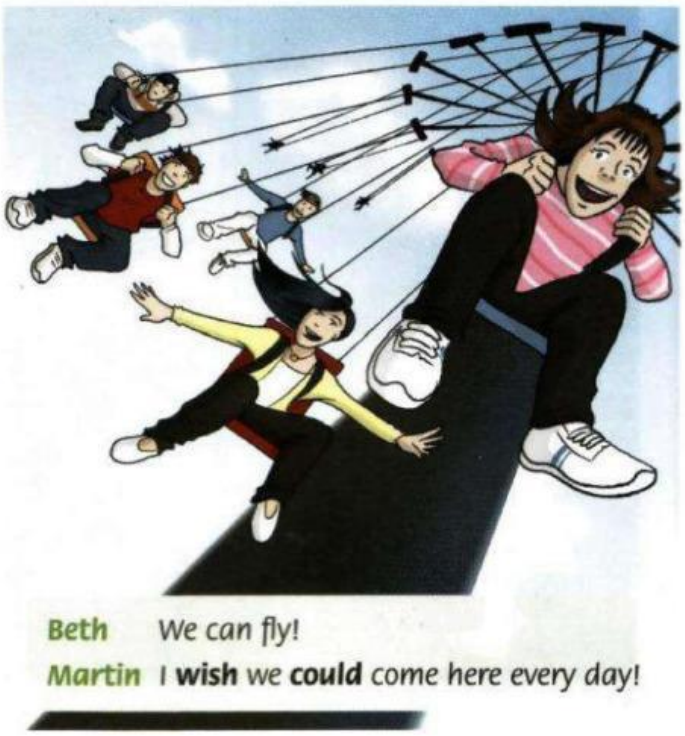

Wish

We use **wish** + past simple to talk about situations that we would like to be different.

Fact	Wish
We don't live by the sea.	*I **wish** we **lived** by the sea.*
It rains all the time in this country.	*Mum **wishes** it **didn't rain** all the time in this country.*

We can also use **wish** + **could** + base form.

Fact	Wish
I can't play the guitar.	*I **wish** I **could** play the guitar.*

1 Complete the sentences. Use the past simple and the verbs in brackets.

1 Gemma wishes her family ___had___ (have) a boat.
2 A lot of people wish life _____ (be) less busy.
3 I wish we _____ (know) how to play this game.
4 I wish our cousins _____ (live) closer.
5 I wish people _____ (not throw) litter everywhere.
6 Billy wishes he _____ (can) paint like Poppy.
7 I wish this jewellery _____ (not be) so expensive.
8 We wish our team _____ (not lose) every match.

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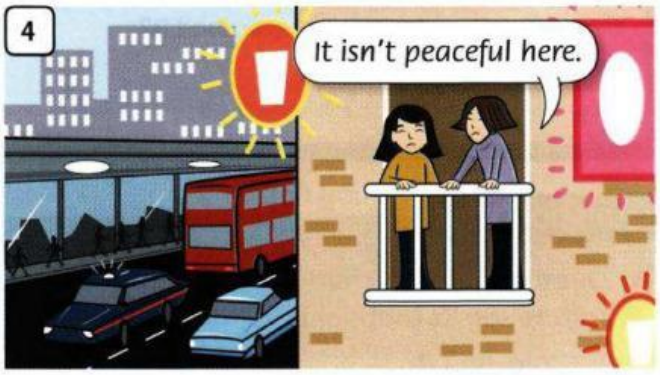
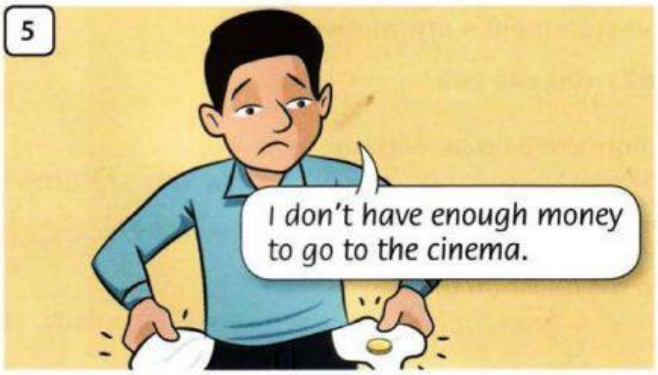
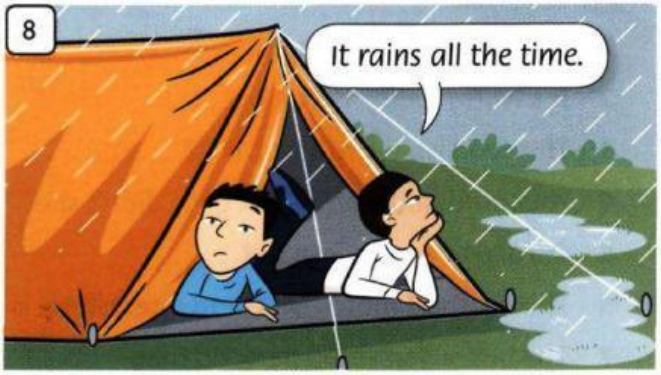
2 **Look at the pictures. Write sentences with I wish.**

I wish I had some suncream.







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To: **Theo** | From: **Billy**

Subject: **My holiday**

Hi Theo,

What a great holiday! It was a fantastic campsite, **wasn't it?** And it was so near the beach.

I don't think I've ever swum so much. We spent a lot of time swimming in the sea, **didn't we?** We also saw lots of exciting places and took lots of photos. Sam's got some amazing photos. He said he'd send me some. He doesn't have your email address, **does he?** I'll give it to him, if you want.

I have to go now as I have to study for a test at school. It's a shame holidays don't last forever, **isn't it?**

Write to me soon!

Billy

Question tags

Question tags are short questions that we use at the end of a statement. We use question tags to say 'Is that right?' or 'Do you agree?'

*It's cold, **isn't it**?*

We form sentences with question tags like this:

affirmative statement + negative tag	negative statement + affirmative tag
*You can swim, **can't you**?*	*You can't swim, **can you**?*

We always use a pronoun in the question tag, not a name or a noun. With the verbs **be**, **can**, and **will** we repeat the verb.

*She's very tall, **isn't** she?* *You **can't** swim, **can** you?* *Mum **will** go shopping today, **won't** she?*

With most other verbs, we use **do**, **don't**, **did**, **didn't** in the question tag.

*You live near here, **don't you**?*

3 Read the questions. Do they ask 'Is that right?' (R) or 'Do you agree' (A)? Write R or A.

1 You're French, aren't you? R
2 It's warm today, isn't it? ____
3 This food isn't very spicy, is it? ____
4 Your aunt had a baby last year, didn't she? ____
5 Oscar can't swim, can he? ____
6 This football match isn't very interesting, is it? ____
7 The buses don't stop here, do they? ____
8 The film was made in Hungary, wasn't it? ____

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4 Circle the correct answers.

1 It's very hot today, **isn't it / is it**?
2 You did your homework, **didn't you / did you**?
3 Jamie**'s / isn't** a very clever boy, isn't he?
4 Your dad works very hard, **does he / doesn't he**?
5 It's Judy's first day at school today, **isn't it / was it**?
6 Grandma and Grandpa always give you presents, **aren't they / don't they**?
7 We **had / didn't have** a good holiday, did we?
8 The football match **was / wasn't** very exciting, wasn't it?
9 Molly can paint beautiful pictures, **can't / could** she?
10 We **won't / 'll** have time to go shopping, will we?

5 Match 1–8 with a–h.

1	f	There aren't many people here,	a didn't you?
2	____	That's a new printer,	b didn't they?
3	____	Heidi bought a new pair of trainers	c did you?
4	____	Jamie doesn't live in Cairo,	d aren't they?
5	____	You didn't bring a coat,	e isn't it?
6	____	Polly and Sidney are lovely,	f are there?
7	____	Everyone arrived on time,	g does he?
8	____	You had fun at the party,	h didn't she?

6 Complete the sentences. Use the words from the box to make question tags.

did ~~aren't~~ didn't doesn't am wasn't do wasn't

1 You're new here, aren't you?
2 The road was very smooth, _____ it?
3 Rob likes Indian food, _____ he?
4 Katie didn't call, _____ she?
5 Toby was given a new computer, _____ he?
6 Grandma and Grandpa don't go on holiday every year, _____ they?
7 You booked the cinema tickets, _____ you?
8 I'm not late, _____ I?

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7 Complete the conversation. Use question tags.

Jamie We don't have any plans for today, [1] do we ? Shall we go to the park?

Max Yes, let's do that. Our friends will want to come, [2] _____?

Jamie Yes. Charlie and Fred are at home with their mum and dad, [3] _____?

Max But Charlie's exam is tomorrow, [4] _____? He's probably studying.

Jamie Fred doesn't like staying at home on sunny days, [5] _____? It's a nice day today, [6] _____? So let's ask him.

Max Yes, we'll ask Fred. Your cousin Mandy's here at the moment, [7] _____?

Jamie Yes, she's here until next week. We'll ask her too. It'll be a great day, [8] _____?

8 Write sentences. Use question tags.

1 It / be / sunny / today

It's sunny today, isn't it?

2 You / not see / a shooting star / last night

_____

3 Andy / not be / very tall

_____

4 We / can / pick / these flowers

_____

5 Billy / lose / his new camera / yesterday

_____

6 Amy / not call / earlier

_____

7 They / not be / late for school / yesterday

_____

8 Helen / like eating / fish

_____

9 I / can / use / the computer / after you

_____

10 The CD player / not work

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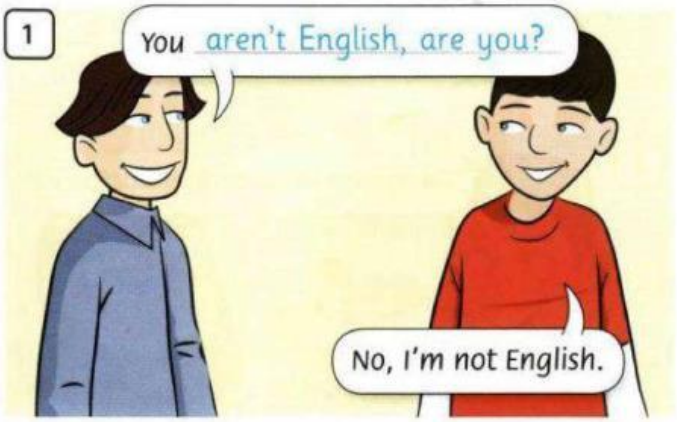
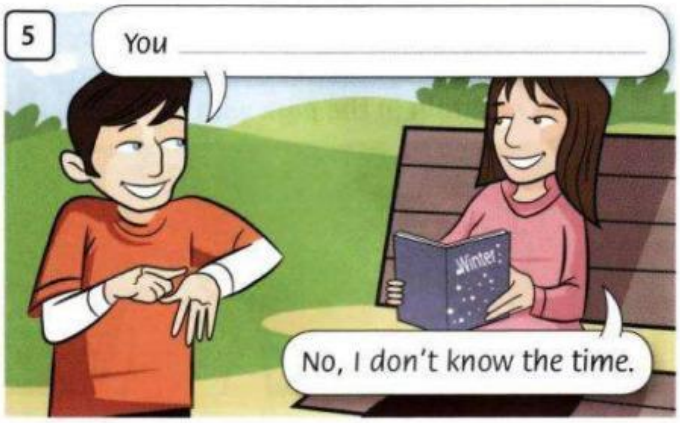
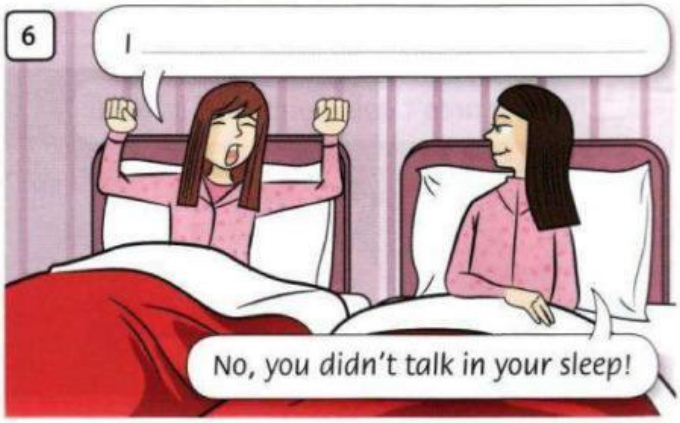
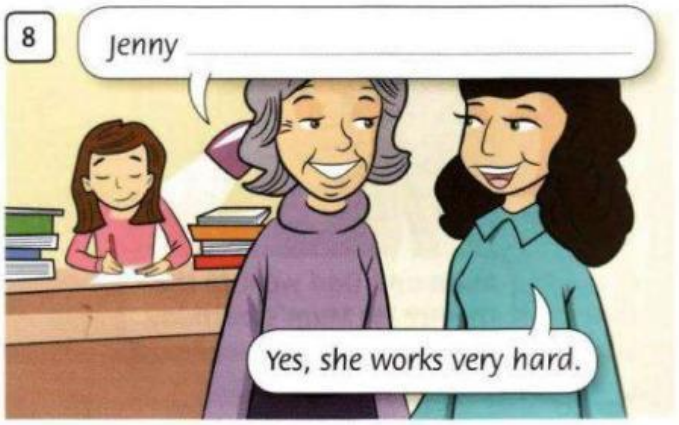
9 Complete the sentences. Use question tags.









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