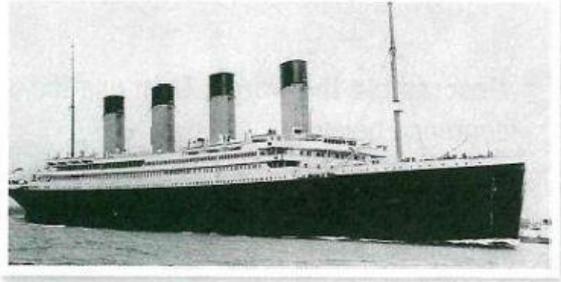


3 Read. Then choose the best answer to fill in each blank.

I (1) ____ be interested in the *Titanic* when I was younger. The *Titanic* (2) ____ a British passenger ship on a journey across the Atlantic Ocean. It never (3) ____ its destination. It (4) ____ in the North Atlantic in 1912. Its remains are still at the bottom of the sea. The other day, my mum (5) ____ she (6) ____ interested in the *Titanic* as a child, too. She and her brothers (7) ____ go to the library every day after school. She always (8) ____ this opportunity to look for books about the *Titanic*. She (9) ____ to me that when she was my age, most people (10) ____ computers. People (11) ____ go online whenever they wanted to. If people wanted to find out about something, they usually (12) ____ go to the library.



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| 1. a. would | b. used to | c. use to | 7. a. used | b. use | c. would |
| 2. a. is | b. would be | c. was | 8. a. took | b. take | c. takes |
| 3. a. reach | b. reaches | c. reached | 9. a. explained | b. explain | c. explains |
| 4. a. sank | b. sinks | c. sink | 10. a. had | b. used to have | c. didn't have |
| 5. a. say | b. said | c. says | 11. a. can't | b. couldn't | c. could |
| 6. a. was | b. is | c. were | 12. a. had to | b. have | c. has |

4 Re-write the sentences using *used to* or *use to*.

1. Before technology, were underwater expeditions more dangerous?

2. How long did explorers spend on an expedition?

3. How did experts examine remains under the water?

4. They did not have diving suits like we have today.

5. They took a long time to make careful preparations.

6. Ships did not always make it to their destinations.
