

Grammar Unit 1



Past simple

1 Write the past simple forms of the verbs. Are the verbs regular (R) or irregular (I)?

scream <u>screamed</u> <i>R</i>	8 take	_____
1 begin	9 ask	_____
2 give	10 remember	_____
3 shout	11 find	_____
4 stand	12 arrive	_____
5 answer	13 finish	_____
6 leave	14 cry	_____
7 laugh	15 hear	_____

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of a verb from exercise 1.

- What time did your first lesson _____ this morning?
- I _____ €10 in my coat yesterday. That was a nice surprise!
- He _____ all the questions in the test, but he's not sure he got them all correct.
- The concert didn't _____ place because the singer was ill.
- Dad _____ us some money to go and buy a pizza.
- My older brother _____ home when he was eighteen, and moved to another town.

(there) was / were

3 Match the questions (1–6) to the answers (A–F).

- Where were they? _____
- Was he late? _____
- Was there any music? _____
- Were they there? _____
- When was the party? _____
- Were there many people? _____

- A Yes, they were.
 B No, there wasn't.
 C Yes, there were.
 D At school.
 E No, he wasn't.
 F On Saturday.

4 Choose the correct option.

Maria was angry because her calculator **weren't** / **wasn't** / **didn't** in her school bag.

- Jacob and I **wasn't** / **weren't** / **didn't** at home on Saturday night.
- Where **there were** / **were** / **was** the circus performers?
- There wasn't** / **Wasn't** / **There weren't** any food at the birthday party.
- Weren't** / **There weren't** / **There wasn't** any flowers in the garden.
- Was there** / **There was** / **Did there** a singer at the event on Friday night?
- Wasn't** / **Were** / **Weren't** there any cars outside my house?

used to

5 Match the sentence halves (1–5) to A–E.

- I used to have short hair, _____
- Sam didn't use to play football, _____
- My parents used to drive to work, _____
- The children didn't use to like fruit, _____
- Did this bottle use to _____

- A but they don't now.
 B have shampoo in it?
 C but I don't now.
 D but now they do.
 E but he does now.

6 Complete the sentences with the words.

didn't to go use use to used to

I like camping now, but I didn't use to.

- They _____ use to know each other, but now they're best friends.
- Did they _____ to live in that building?
- I _____ like this band, but I think they're boring now.
- We used _____ to that school, but we don't now.



Vocabulary Unit 1

Events

1 Choose the correct option.

- 1 How often does this festival take **part / place**?
- 2 The **stages / fans** of the band were very excited.
- 3 The joke wasn't very funny, and nobody **laughed / screamed**.
- 4 They **held / clapped** a big party after the show.
- 5 There were over 10,000 people in the **performer / crowd** at the show.

Adjectives: feelings

2 Underline the positive adjectives.

- | | |
|---------------|--------------|
| 1 <u>calm</u> | 7 nervous |
| 2 bored | 8 positive |
| 3 angry | 9 relaxed |
| 4 energetic | 10 scared |
| 5 excited | 11 surprised |
| 6 lonely | 12 tired |

3 Complete the sentences with an adjective from exercise 2.

- 1 She worked at the restaurant until 2 a.m. this morning, so today she's very _____.
- 2 Did you feel _____ before you took your exam? No, I was quite calm.
- 3 Most people feel _____ when they're lying on a beach all day in the sun, but I just feel bored!
- 4 I didn't feel very _____ yesterday, so I didn't do any exercise.
- 5 I didn't have anyone to talk to at my new school, and I felt very _____.
- 6 I was _____ to see Mike at the party. I thought he was away on holiday.

Scout camps

4 Match the definitions with the words.

campfire	campsite	expedition
field	scouts	skills

- 1 Abilities, things you are good at. _____
- 2 A place to stay outside in a tent. _____
- 3 An exciting journey to find something or somewhere new. _____
- 4 Young people who join an organisation and spend time doing outdoor activities. _____
- 5 An outside area without buildings or trees on it. _____
- 6 You have one of these to cook and keep warm, when you are living outside. _____

Talking about school

5 Write the words in the correct order to make sentences.

- teacher / your / who's / ?
Who's your teacher?
- 1 she / what's / like / ?

 - 2 least / subject / my / is / favourite / maths

 - 3 history / at / you / are / good / ?

 - 4 English to / prefer / science / I

 - 5 from 11.00 / P.E. / have / to 12.30 / we





Present simple

1 Rewrite the sentences in the affirmative (✓), negative (*) or question (?) form.

- ✓ Sarah wears boots in the winter.
- * Sarah doesn't wear boots in the winter.
- ? Does Sarah wear boots in the winter?
- 1 ? Do John and Kayla go to the gym every day?
✓ _____
* _____
- 2 ✓ He chats online every evening.
* _____
? _____
- 3 ? Do you eat dinner at 8 p.m.?
✓ _____
* _____
- 4 * We don't have barbecues on sunny days.
✓ _____
? _____

Present continuous

2 Complete the questions and answers.

- 'Is it snowing?' 'Yes, it is.'
- 1 'You and Rachel _____ eating pizza.'
'No, we don't like it.'
- 2 What _____ you doing?
- 3 'Are they going shopping?'
'Yes, they _____.'
- 4 'Are you watching that film?'
'No, we _____.'
- 5 She _____ swimming today, because she's not very well.

Present simple and continuous

3 Complete the text with the correct verbs.

are eating goes don't have are ... having
'm having 'm not learning live loves
rains are sitting is teaching

Hi Katherine!
I'm **having** a good time here at my friend's house in Sydney, Australia! Zac's family (1) _____ a house in the city; no, they (2) _____ in a big house on the beach – it's so cool! At the moment Zac and I (3) _____ in the kitchen and we (4) _____ pizza ... Yum! Zac really (5) _____ the beach and he (6) _____ surfing every morning. He (7) _____ me how to do it, but I (8) _____ very quickly! (9) _____ you _____ a nice time at your cousin's house in London? Is it raining there now? It usually (10) _____ there, doesn't it? ;-) What's your news?
Write soon
Hailey xxx

verb + -ing / noun

4 Put the words into the correct form.

- Do you like reading books? (read / book)
- 1 I really hate _____ (play) sport. It's so boring!
- 2 Sasha loves _____ (trainer), but I prefer _____ (wear) boots.
- 3 We love _____ (hang out) with our friends after school.
- 4 'Does he like _____ (pizza)?' 'No, I think he prefers fish and _____ (vegetable).'
- 5 I don't mind _____ (classical music), but my brother thinks it's terrible.



Vocabulary Starter unit

Clothes

1 Complete the clothes words.

- bo o ts
- 1 c _ _
 - 2 d _ _ s
 - 3 sk _ _ t
 - 4 j _ _ e _
 - 5 s _ _ da _ _
 - 6 t _ in _ _ _
 - 7 sw _ _ tsh _ _ _
 - 8 t _ g _ _ s

Which three items of clothing are normally for girls?

2, ____, ____

Plurals

2 Complete the sentences with plural nouns.

- 1 At home I often wear jeans, but for school we have black t_____ to wear on our legs.
- 2 You wear shoes and socks on your f_____.
- 3 If you're on the beach, you can change your shoes for summer s_____.
- 4 If you've got a skirt on, but it's very cold outside, you can wear t_____ to keep your legs warm.
- 5 Those shoes are no good for tennis. You need some t_____, so you can play safely.

Free-time activities

3 Complete the sentences with the verbs.

chat go hang listen play read watch

Emma and her mum often go shopping together.

- 1 What music do you _____ to most?
- 2 Let's _____ TV after dinner!
- 3 When I finish my homework, I _____ online with my friends.
- 4 Do you ever _____ computer games?
- 5 We _____ a lot of books at school, so I do other things in my free time.
- 6 Sometimes we _____ out in that café after school.

Making suggestions and giving opinions

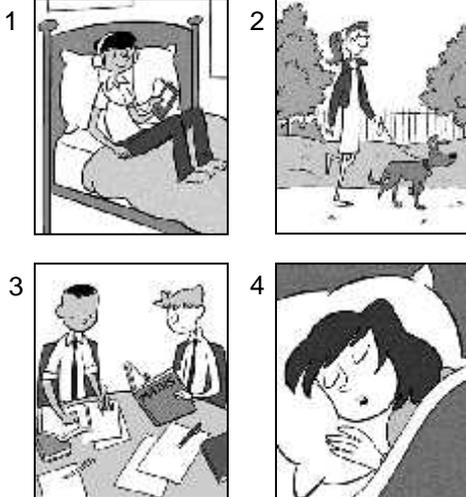
4 Underline the correct words.

- A:** Hi, Bea. What are you doing? You don't look very happy.
- B:** Hi, James. I'm not happy. I want to do something!
- A:** Well, it's a nice sunny day. Let's / Shall hang out in the park with Mandy and Ewan.
- B:** No, I don't (1) want / like to do that – it's (2) great / boring. What (3) for / about going to the beach and surfing?
- A:** I'm not (4) sure / interesting. I (5) like / prefer swimming to surfing. Surfing is difficult!
- B:** OK. (6) Are / Do you want to go swimming at the sports centre?
- A:** That's a good (7) idea / opinion.
- B:** Great! (8) Do / Shall I call Mandy and Ewan, then?
- A:** Sure!

Grammar Unit 2 ★★

Past continuous

1 Look at the pictures. What were the people doing yesterday? Complete the sentences.



- 1 He was listening to music.
- 2 She _____ in the park.
- 3 We _____ our homework.
- 4 I _____ in my bedroom.

2 Write the words in the correct order.

tennis / Jack / watching / last night / wasn't
Jack wasn't watching tennis last night.

- 1 was / computer games / playing / yesterday morning, I

- 2 last Saturday / were / doing / you and Tim / from 7.00 p.m. / what / to 9.00 p.m. / ?

- 3 looking for / at 8.00 a.m. / was / her keys / Julia

- 4 we / listening to / sorry, / you / weren't

- 5 going / where / they / last night / were / ?

Past continuous and past simple with *when* and *while*

3 Put the verbs in brackets in the correct past continuous or past simple form.

While my parents were visiting (visit) some old friends, my brother and I went to our cousin's house.

- 1 They _____ (not cook) dinner when I arrived.
- 2 What were you doing when you _____ (hurt) your hand?
- 3 I _____ (fall) while I was playing ice hockey.
- 4 He _____ (walk) on the beach when he found an old bottle.
- 5 As Susan _____ (text) me, I was trying to call her!

4 Write *when* or *while*.

While they were working at the airport, they found some money in an envelope.

- 1 What were you doing _____ I phoned you?
- 2 Phil was making a salad _____ the boys were cooking the burgers.
- 3 Mum went to get the car _____ Dad was paying for our meal.
- 4 We weren't sitting at our desks _____ the teacher came into the classroom.

5 Complete the story with the correct past continuous or past simple form of the verbs.

not be break clean cut
see take think try walk

On Tuesday morning, my friend Gina and I were walking on the beach when we (1) _____ something in the sand. While we (2) _____ it out of the sand, we saw that it was an old glass bottle. We (3) _____ it, and then we looked inside, because we (4) _____ that maybe there was something interesting in the bottle, like a message. While Gina (5) _____ to open the bottle, it (6) _____, and she (7) _____ her hand on the glass. Luckily, it (8) _____ a bad cut, because the only thing that was in the old 'mysterious' bottle was lots of sand!

Vocabulary Unit 2

Materials

1 Complete the words in the sentences.

I found some old photos in that big cardboard r d box in the garage.

- Oh, no! You broke Mum's favourite _ _ _ amic cup!
- That's a nice c _ _ ton T-shirt you're wearing, Jon.
- Don't throw those _ _ _ stic bottles in the bin; we can use them again.
- I love these go _ _ earrings, but the _ _ _ ver ones are very nice, too.
- It's too cold for a cap, I need a hat that's made of wo _ _ .

Containers

2 Find seven more words for containers in the word puzzle.

B	O	X	T	I	U	E	J	L	X
I	M	V	S	U	K	P	D	Y	O
I	H	E	D	K	J	A	R	N	R
A	S	N	U	R	V	C	D	W	F
B	G	V	K	R	R	K	K	Z	F
O	C	E	D	V	S	E	J	C	K
T	P	L	B	H	E	T	D	U	M
T	W	O	N	F	L	J	H	P	G
L	M	P	U	G	L	A	S	S	V
E	T	E	B	O	W	L	S	N	B

3 Complete the sentences with six of the words from exercise 2.

What's in that big cardboard box?

- I can't open this _____ of marmalade – can you help me?
- You look hot. Would you like a _____ of cold water?
- Put your letter in this _____ and I'll post it for you.
- Grandma, can I make you a nice _____ of tea?
- I bought a big _____ of pasta at the supermarket.
- There's some fruit in the ceramic _____ on the table.

Sea journeys

4 Complete the sentences with the words.

iceberg lifeboats luggage
passengers survivors wreck

They found the wreck of the *Titanic* ship in 1985.

- A ship came to help the _____ of the disaster.
- Oh, no! The ship is going to hit that huge _____!
- There weren't enough _____ on the *Titanic* to save everyone when the ship sank.
- Write your name on your _____, so it doesn't get lost.
- How many _____ were on the *Titanic* when it left England?

Describing objects

5 Complete the dialogue with the words.

describe how it left lost made this

- A:** Good morning. I'm here because I lost my wallet yesterday.
- B:** Where did you lose it?
- A:** I (1) _____ it on the bus.
- B:** Oh! Can you (2) _____ it?
- A:** Well, it's (3) _____ of leather and it's black.
- B:** (4) _____ big is it?
- A:** It's small. It's around 8cm long.
- B:** Is (5) _____ it?
- A:** Yes, that's (6) _____! Thank you!