

Name _____ Class _____ Date _____

1 Circle the correct options.

- ... this trip backpacking with you: it's been great fun!
a I was enjoying **c I've enjoyed**
b I enjoyed d I enjoy
- I heard that they usually ... sports activities every night at this resort.
a are holding c were holding
b hold d held
- The last holiday I ... was a disaster.
a am going on c have been on
b was going on **d went on**
- We didn't go to the beach yesterday because it ...
a has rained **c was raining**
b is raining d rains
- We ... two parties since we moved into our new house.
a had **c 've had**
b were having d have

2 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- While we **were climbing** (climb) the mountain, the storm **started** (start).
- She **has learned / learnt** (learn) all the lines for the rehearsal tonight, but she **doesn't think** (not think) she'll get the part.
- I **am planning** (plan) our next trip right now: **do you want** (you / want) to come?
- The buses **don't run** (not run) on Sundays, so we **walked** (walk) all the way home yesterday.
- What **have you done** (you / do) with the money I **gave** (give) you this morning?

3 Rewrite the sentences using the tense and words in brackets.

- I started visiting this place every summer ten years ago. (present perfect / for)
I've visited this place every summer for ten years.

- She's had her plane ticket for six months.

(past simple / ago)

She bought her plane ticket six months ago.

- I've acted in plays since I was a child.

(past simple / when)

I acted in plays when I was a child.

- I met my best friend at primary school.

(present perfect / since)

I've known my best friend since primary school.

- We've been sightseeing for six days.

(past simple / ago)

We started sightseeing six days ago.

4 Complete the text with the correct form of the verbs in the box.

climb drink offer remember not say visit

I'm on holiday in Turkey. Today is Sunday. I'm in Izmir, a busy coastal town, and I ¹ **'m drinking** coffee in a café. I



² **'ve visited** Istanbul and several places so far, but the best place I ³ **remember** are the Prince's Islands, where there are no cars. One day I ⁴ **was climbing** up a hill, when a man ⁵ **offered** to take me on his horse and cart! I ⁶ **didn't say** no, as it was really hot!

- Imagine you are on holiday. In your notebook, write your own travel blog post like the one in Exercise 4.

Students' own answers