

# Mind Level 1

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## LISTENING

 Unit 10

1 Listen to the conversation and **choose** the correct answer.

0 Magda thought her weekend was

☒ A OK.

B exciting.

C relaxing.

1 For Magda, Saturday night was

☒ A fun.

B boring.

C not good.

2 On Sunday, Magda

A did a lot of interesting things.

B went for a run.

☒ C rested all day.

3 On Friday, Clive

A went to a party.

☒ B visited his parents.

C had to study.

4 What did Clive and Ana do on Saturday night?

☒ A They went to the movies.

B They did some exercise.

C They stayed at home.

5 On Sunday, Clive played

☒ A tennis.

B football.

C basketball.

Score: /5

 Unit 11

2 Listen and **choose** the correct answer: A, B, or C.

0 Sofia Rossi was born in

A 1917.

☒ B 1927.

C 1937.

1 Where did Sofia's career begin?

A in Santiago

☒ B in Paris

C in Rome

- 2 When Sofia was 23 years old she moved to  
**A London.**  
 B Liverpool.  
 C Manchester.
- 3 What happened to Sofia in 1954?  
**A She won a big award.**  
 B She wrote her first song.  
 C She became a music producer.
- 4 Sofia stopped singing because she wanted to  
 A travel the world.  
**B help poor people.**  
 C have children.
- 5 Where did Sofia die?  
 A in hospital  
 B on tour  
**C at home**

Score: /5

## GRAMMAR

3 Correct the incorrect sentences. Check (✓) the correct sentences. There is at least one correct sentence.

- 0 How did the party last night? ☐  
 How was the party last night?
- 1 What you did over the weekend? ☒ x  
 what did you do over the weekend
- 2 Did you enjoyed your vacation? ☒ x  
 did you enjoy your vacation
- 3 I didn't go out yesterday. ☐
- 4 I didn't saw Paolo. ☒ x  
 I didn't see Paolo
- 5 Did Gina like her present? ☐

Score: /5

4 Choose the correct words to complete the conversation.

- A: What did you (0) *did/do/does* on Sunday?  
 B: I (1) *had/has/have* a great time. I (2) *stay/stayed/stays* at home and I didn't (3) *did/do/does* anything, really. I (4) *watch /watches/watched* a lot of DVDs. It (5) *are/was/were* wonderful.

Score: /5

**5 Complete the conversation using the correct form of the verbs in parentheses.**

- A: Yesterday, we (0) ate (eat) at that new restaurant in town.  
B: How (1) was (be) the food?  
A: I (2) loved (love) it, but my brother (3) didn't like (not like) it.  
B: Why (4) did you go there? (go)  
A: My friend (5) told (tell) me it was very good.

Score: /5

**6 Rewrite the second sentences, replacing the underlined words with the correct pronouns.**

- 0 I saw my English teacher in town yesterday. I saw my English teacher in a café.  
I saw her in a café.  
1 My sister lost her umbrella yesterday. My sister left her umbrella on a train.  
She left it on a train.  
2 John married a woman from the US. John married the woman in 1985.  
He married her in 1985.  
3 My cousin and I met some friends in a café. My cousin and I met the friends at lunchtime.  
We met them at lunchtime.  
4 I spoke to Helen. I told Helen about the problem.  
I told her about the problem.  
5 I gave my dad some chocolate. I gave my dad the chocolate for his birthday.  
I gave him the chocolate for his birthday.

Score: /5

**7 Order the words to make sentences that include *when* clauses.**

- 0 when my / born, the / mother was / family moved to Boston / .  
When my mother was born, the family moved to Boston.  
1 came / three, we / when I was / to Florida / .  
We came to florida when I was three.  
2 30 when / she was / her first baby / she had / .  
She had 30 when she was her first baby.  
3 loved swimming / when I / a child, I / was / .  
When I was a child, I loved swimming.  
4 my first / I got / bike when / I was six / .  
I got my first bike when I was six.  
5 I was / he told me / his age / amazed when / .  
I was amazed when he told me his age.

Score: /5

**8 Correct the mistake in each of the following sentences.**

- 0 Sally was happy when she gets her new computer yesterday.  
Sally was happy when she got her new computer yesterday.
- 1 When she takes it home, her son played games for hours.  
When she took it home, her son played games for hours.
- 2 Sally tells him to go to bed at ten.  
Sally told him to go to bed at ten.
- 3 When he gets up this morning, he played games again.  
When he got up this morning, he played games again.
- 4 Sally and her son are good friends. I saw they this morning.  
Sally and her son are good friends. I saw them this morning.
- 5 My parents give me a puppy when I was ten.  
My parents gave me a puppy when I was ten.
- 6 My puppy's name was Button. She came to bed with I every night.  
My puppy's name was Button. She came to bed with me every night.
- 7 When Button was five, she has two puppies.  
When Button was five, she had two puppies.
- 8 Us named them Bread and Butter.  
We named them Bread and Butter.
- 9 I played a lot with they.  
I played a lot with them.
- 10 Them lived with us for many years.  
They lived with us for many years.

Score: / 10

**VOCABULARY**

**9 Match the sentence halves.**

- 0 I got A
- 1 Once, when I was in London, I saw a D
- 2 Last week, we took a F
- 3 This morning I got a B
- 4 I took lots C
- 5 We saw three E
- A the most fantastic gift from my boyfriend.
- B nice letter from my cousin.
- C of pictures of the city.
- D famous actor.
- E really good concerts.
- F trip to the beach.

Score: / 5

10 Complete the conversation with words or phrases from the box. There is one extra option.

a picture ~~interesting~~ a trip excited ago exciting last

A: Hi, Roberto, I hear you had a very (0) interesting vacation!

B: Yes, I had a very (1) exciting vacation (2) last summer. We went on (3) a trip to the beach. I learned how to scuba dive. Mathilde was very (4) excited when I did my first dive. She took (5) a picture.

Score: / 5

11 Complete the text with adjectives from the box. There are two extra options.

~~interesting~~ tiring amazing amazed bored boring tired interested

I enjoyed the trip. I thought it was really (0) interesting. We saw a lot of beautiful paintings and I'm really (1) interested in art. Jamie doesn't really like art so he was a little (2) bored. We walked all over the city, so it was very (3) amazed. At the end of the day, our legs were really (4) tired! It's a really (5) amazing city. You should go there!

Score: / 5

12 Choose the correct words to complete the text.

I had an (0) amaze/amazed/amazing time, but I'm very (1) tire/tired/tiring. I (2) got/had/saw a long trip to New York (3) ago/last/once week. It was very (4) tire/tired/tiring, but I was happy when I (5) got/took/saw a good concert there.

Score: / 5

13 Match the statements with the meanings.

0 He got a job. A

1 He grew up. D

2 He graduated. C

3 He got married. F

4 He was born. B

5 He retired. E

A He started to work.

B He came out of his mother's body as a baby.

C He completed his studies at a college.

D He became an adult.

E He stopped working because he was old.

F He became someone's husband.

Score: / 5

14 Complete the text with words or phrases from the box. There is one extra option.

built got enjoyed grew up retired ~~was born~~ discovered

My father (0) was born in England, but he (1) grew up in New York City. His father (2) got a job in New York when my father was a baby. My grandfather (3) built a big building in Manhattan. When my grandfather (4) retired last year, my father took him to see the building again. My grandfather (5) enjoyed it a lot.

Score: / 5

15 Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

- 0 William Shakespeare wrote/invented *Romeo and Juliet* between 1594 and 1595.
- 1 Vasco da Gama explored/invented India in the fifteenth century.
- 2 Sir Isaac Newton discovered/won gravity nearly three centuries ago.
- 3 Mozart discovered/composed the opera *Don Giovanni* in 1787.
- 4 They built/fought the battle over three days.
- 5 The Wright brothers invented/explored the first flying machine.

Score: / 5

16 Complete the information with words or phrases from the box. There is one extra option.

died wrote explored got married grew up had ~~was~~

Heather (0) was born over 400 years ago. She (1) grew up in England in the 17th century, but she came to Argentina when she (2) got married. Her husband was Argentinian. They (3) had six children and they (4) explored Argentina with their family. She (5) died when she was 98 years old.

Score: / 5

READING

Read the survey results.

*You're the Star* emailed 100 readers and asked them what they did on their last vacation. Many people were surprised by the results. For example, a lot of people who said they had a boring vacation really had a great time, according to the survey. Sometimes we focus too much on bad experiences and ignore the positive ones. Here are the results!

My vacation was: great (15 people) OK (75 people) not very good (10 people).

Circle Yes or No for each statement about your last vacation.

- A I ate great food. Yes (35 people) No (65 people)
- B I traveled with friends. Yes (25 people) No (75 people)
- C I did something romantic. Yes (15 people) No (85 people)
- D I did a lot of exercise or sports. Yes (40 people) No (60 people)
- E I discovered some amazing places. Yes (55 people) No (45 people)
- F I learned something new. Yes (60 people) No (40 people)
- G I made some new friends. Yes (75 people) No (25 people)
- H I went out a lot. Yes (85 people) No (15 people)
- I I read some good books. Yes (15 people) No (85 people)
- J I traveled to some amazing countries. Yes (10 people) No (90 people)

**17 Now answer the questions about the survey.**

- 0 How many people ate really good food? 35
- 1 How many people didn't do exercise or sports? 60
- 2 How many people went to amazing places for the first time? 55
- 3 How many people made new friends? 75
- 4 How many people didn't go out much? 15
- 5 How many people didn't read any good books? 85

Score: /5

**Read the text about some animals.**

**Faith**

A cat named Faith lived in St. Augustine's Church in London during the Second World War. She had one kitten in 1940. Her baby was named Panda. Everyone was very happy with both Faith and Panda. One day Faith took Panda into the cold basement under the church. Everyone tried to convince her to bring her baby back into the warm church, but she refused. Then the bombings started. For days and nights, bombs fell on London. Faith stayed in the basement with Panda. One night a bomb destroyed the church. Both cats lived. Everyone was very happy with Faith because she was so loyal to her baby. She became a symbol that helped the people of London throughout the war. The Archbishop of Canterbury gave her a special medal to honor her for her achievement.

**18 Now answer the questions.**

0 What type of animal was Faith?

She was a cat.

1 Where did Faith live?

Faith lived in St. Augustine's Church in London.

2 What did Faith do with Panda?

Faith took Panda into the cold basement under the church.

3 What happened to the church?

The church was destroyed by a bomb.

4 What happened to Faith and Panda?

Faith and Panda survived the bombing.

5 Who gave Faith a medal?

The Archbishop of Canterbury gave Faith a special medal to honor her for her achievement.

Score: /5

**WRITING**

**19 Write a short paragraph about your last vacation.**

For example: *Last summer, I went to Vietnam. It was amazing!*

I was captivated by the beauty and warmth of our land. I explored the vibrant streets of Cartagena, where the colorful buildings and lively atmosphere always made me smile. I indulged in the delicious Colombian cuisine, savoring the flavors of arepas, empanadas, and fresh tropical fruits. The breathtaking landscapes of the Coffee Triangle took my breath away as I hiked through lush green mountains and visited coffee plantations. Every moment of my vacation was filled with joy and unforgettable experiences.

Score:

**20 Complete the sentences with your own ideas.**

When I went shopping, I bought an expensive new bag.

I was really surprised when I won the raffle.

When I was a child, I loved playing in the park.

Sami was angry because someone ate his sandwich.

I met my best friend at a school event.

When Tina saw Mark, she blushed and smiled.

Score:



**B ANALYZE** Read the text in Exercise A again.**Function** Choose the correct option to complete the rule below.

We use the simple past to talk about \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) events in the past  
 b) events that began in the past and are still happening at the moment of speaking

**Form** Complete the table with the correct simple past verb forms.

Regular verbs		Irregular verbs	
Base form	Simple past form	Base form	Simple past form
carry	(1) <u>carried</u>	be	was / (6) <u>were</u>
enjoy	<u>enjoyed</u>	eat	<u>ate</u>
explain	(2) <u>explained</u>	have	(7) <u>had</u>
learn	<u>learned</u>	know	(8) <u>knew</u>
love	(3) <u>loved</u>	see	<u>saw</u>
stay	(4) <u>stayed</u>	speak	(9) <u>stayed</u>
want	(5) <u>wanted</u>	take	(10) <u>took</u>
		tell	<u>told</u>

The complete list of irregular verbs is on page 129.

**Spelling rules for simple past regular verbs:**

Most verbs, add **-ed**: *play—played*

Verbs ending in **-e**, add **-d**: *prepare—prepared*

Verbs ending in consonant + **-y**, change **-y** to **-ied**: *study—studied* BUT *play—played*

The verb **be** has two simple past forms: **was** (I/he/she/it) and **were** (you/we/they)

**C PRACTICE** Complete this email with the simple past of the verbs in parentheses.

Hey, Tracy! Last month Susan and I (1) went (go) on a tour in Tanzania, and it (2) was (be) incredible! We traveled from the town of Arusha to a volcanic crater called Ngorongoro. We (3) stayed (stay) in a cabin near the crater, and the first evening we (4) watched (watch) the sunset over the volcano—wow! The next day we walked into the crater, and we (5) saw (see) a lot of wild animals, including zebras, elephants, and lions! I (6) took (take) a lot of pictures! Our guide (7) explained (explain) the geology of the crater, and he also (8) told (tell) us about the people and the animals in the region. We (9) learned (learn) a lot, and we (10) had (have) a great time!

**D NOW YOU DO IT** Work in groups. Talk about the last trip you took.

My family/friends and I went to ... We stayed at ... It was ...

**Time expressions:**

yesterday

last Tuesday/week/month/year

three hours/days/weeks/months/years ago  
 in March/2010

# HOW WAS YOUR YEAR?

## It's Your Life

**It's Your Life** emailed 100 readers on their birthdays and asked them how they felt about the past year of their lives. Then they completed a survey about specific positive experiences during the year. Many people were surprised at the results! For example, a lot of people who said, "It was OK," really had a fantastic year, according to the survey. Sometimes we focus too much on the bad or boring things in our lives! Now you try it ...

**My past year was ...** a) great! b) OK. c) not very good.

Now circle yes or no for each statement about your past year.

1	I took an interesting or fun trip.	yes	no
2	I went to some great parties.	yes	no
3	I met some new friends.	yes	no
4	I had a romantic relationship.	yes	no
5	I went out with my friends a lot.	yes	no
6	I did a lot of exercise or sports.	yes	no
7	I discovered some great music.	yes	no
8	I read some good books.	yes	no
9	I got a new pet.	yes	no
10	I learned a new hobby.	yes	no

Now look at your score. Every "yes" equals 1 point and every "no" equals 0 points. Does your general opinion of your past year match your score?

**6-10** It looks like you had a great year!

**3-5** Your year was fun! But maybe you can do more ...

**0-2** Why not try some more of the things on the list?

**B** Read the whole survey and circle T (true) or F (false).

- 1 The magazine asked the readers how they felt about the previous month. T / F
- 2 The survey was about positive experiences. T / F
- 3 A lot of people were surprised by the results. T / F
- 4 People who say their year was "OK" are often right. T / F
- 5 Seven statements in the survey relate to hobbies and activities. T / F
- 6 Four statements in the survey relate to relationships and socializing. T / F

**C** Now answer the survey for yourself.

WRITE THE CONVERSATION YOU HEAR:



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A: Hey Monica, how was your weekend?

M: It wasn't very good. I went dancing with some friends on Saturday night, but I didn't feel well. I didn't have fun at all. I didn't do anything on Sunday. It was a boring day. What about you? What did you do this weekend?

A: Oh, I didn't do much... let's see. On Friday night, I stayed home and watched TV. I had to work on Saturday, but I went out on Saturday night. I tried that new Italian restaurant on 5th Street.

M: Oh yeah? Did you like it?

A: It was okay. Nothing special. Then on Sunday, I played basketball.

M: Oh, was it a good game?

A: No, it wasn't. My team lost.

M: Well, next weekend has to be better.

## B ANALYZE Read the conversation in Exercise A again.

**Form** Complete the table. Then choose the correct option to complete the sentence below.

	Be	Other verbs
Negative statements	It wasn't very good.	I (4) <u>didn't</u> feel well.
Yes/No questions	(1) <u>was</u> it a good game?	(5) <u>did</u> you like it?
Short answers	Yes, it was. / No, (2) <u>it wasn't</u> .	Yes, we did. / No, we didn't.
Information questions	How (3) <u>was</u> your weekend?	What (6) <u>did</u> you do this weekend?


In negative statements, questions, and short answers, use *did* or *didn't* with ...

**C PRACTICE** Complete the questions 1–6. Then match them to the answers a–f.

- |  |                                    |
|--|------------------------------------|
| 1 <i>Did</i> you go out on Saturday night? C | a) I went to lunch at Whole Earth. |
| 2 Where <u>did</u> you go? B                 | b) I went to a club.               |
| 3 <u>was</u> it fun? F                       | c) Yes, I did.                     |
| 4 Who <u>did</u> you go with? E              | d) It was excellent!               |
| 5 What <u>did</u> you do on Sunday? A        | e) I went with my friends.         |
| 6 How <u>was</u> the food? D                 | f) Yes, it was.                    |

### WATCH OUT!

- ✓ What did you do last weekend?
- ✗ What you did last weekend?

**D**  **NOW YOU DO IT** Work in pairs. Ask about your partner's weekend.

A: Did you go out on Friday?

B: No, I didn't. I stayed home and watched a DVD. What about you?

**B** Number the sentences in a logical order to form a story. There is more than one correct order!

- ☒ 7 ... I had an amazing day!
- ☐ She had tickets for a concert to see my favorite band that night! The concert was amazing.
- ☐ ... she really surprised me!
- ☐ It was my birthday, and my girlfriend picked me up at my house in the morning.
- ☐ ... we went home at about midnight. It was really an incredible birthday!
- ☐ ... we went shopping. She bought me some CDs and a jacket.
- ☐ ... she took me to a really nice restaurant for lunch.

**C** Write the story in your notebook. Add the sequencing words and time expressions in the box below.

After that   Finally   First   Then   Two months ago

B:

1. It was my birthday, and my girlfriend picked me up at my house in the morning.
2. She took me to a really nice restaurant for lunch.
3. After lunch, we went shopping. She bought me some CDs and a jacket.
4. Later, she really surprised me! She had tickets for a concert to see my favorite band that night! The concert was amazing.
5. We went home at about midnight. It was really an incredible birthday!
6. I had an amazing day!

