

Span 102
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English versión: Trip to Lisboa

Las Summer I went to Lisboa, Portugal with my family. We arrived on a Saturday at 3 p.m. It was warm and sunny all day. We usually travel to Europe every Summer vacation. On Sunday, we were able to go to beach and swim during the afternoon. At two o'clock I went shopping with my sister, but afterwards I felt sad because I could not buy the things I was needing. Every morning my brother Carlos was going to walk alone around the city, and did not want to go with us to the museums and restaurants nearby. My parents often used to have breakfast in a little restaurant across our hotel. It was a very colorful building, and I met it for the first time that one afternoon. Yesterday, my sister left the hotel early to go jogging as she usually does. I always liked to exercise, was not acquainted with the streets or parks well so I decided to stay. From time to time, my mother was going to the Plaza to listen to the classical music. The people in Lisboa was always very nice. The streets were clean and building have many colors. One day I met two new friends, Roberto y Juliao. They were tall, and thin. They used to go to the park every afternoon, and walk around. On the last night, we decided to go dancing, and we all had a lot of fun. !Lisboa was a fantastic experience!

I. Pretérito/imperfecto. Viaje a Lisboa.

Read the following paragraph and Select the correct from of PRETERIT or IMPERFECT accordingly. Make sure to locate the subjects.

El *verano pasado* mi familia y yo _____ (íbamos/**fuimos**) a Lisboa, Portugal. Nosotros _____ (**llegamos**/llegábamos) el sábado a las tres de la tarde. Hacía calor y estaba soleado durante el día. vacaciones de verano. *El domingo* nosotros _____ (podíamos/**pudimos**) ir a la playa a nadar durante la tarde. A las *dos de la tarde* yo _____ (iba/**fui**) de compras con mi hermana, pero *después* _____ (me sentía/**me sentí**) triste porque no _____ (**pude**/podía) comprar todas las cosas que _____ (necesité/**necesitaba**). *Cada mañana* mi hermano Carlos _____ (**iba**/fue) a caminar por la ciudad, pero *de repente* no _____ (quería/**quiso**) ir con nosotros a los museos y restaurantes cercanos. Mis padres *a menudo* _____ (**desayunaban**/desayunaron) en un pequeño restaurante enfrente de nuestro hotel. _____ (**era**/fue) un edificio colorido, y yo lo _____ (conocía/**conocí**) por *primera vez* esa misma tarde. A mí *siempre* me _____ (gustó/**gustaba**) hacer ejercicio, pero no _____ (**conocía**/conocí) bien las calles o parques *así que* _____ (**decidí**/decidía) quedarme. *De vez en cuando*, mi mamá _____ (fue/**iba**) a escuchar música clásica a la Plaza. La gente de Lisboa _____ (**era**/fue) muy simpática. Las calles _____ (estuvieron/**estaban**) limpias y los edificios _____ (tuvieron/**tenían**) muchos colores. *Un día*, yo _____ (**conocí**/conocía) a dos nuevos amigos, Roberto y Juliao. Ellos _____ (**eran**/fueron) altos y delgados. *Cada tarde*, ellos _____ (**iban**/fueron) al parque y _____ (**caminaban**/caminaron) en los alrededores. *En la última noche*, nosotros _____ (decidíamos/**decidimos**) ir a bailar, y todos nos divertimos mucho. ¡Lisboa **fue** una experiencia fantástica!

