

Tense revision

1 Present, past, and future

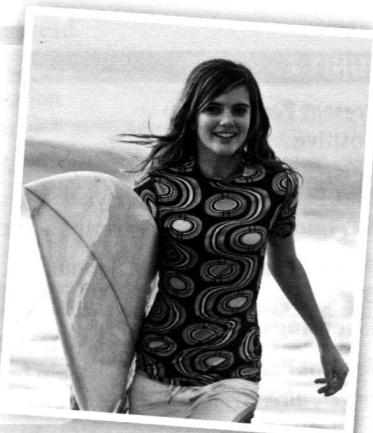
Complete the texts with the verb forms in the box.

1

Lisbet, from the US

live
didn't like
were born
love
moved
'm going to study
go
'm taking

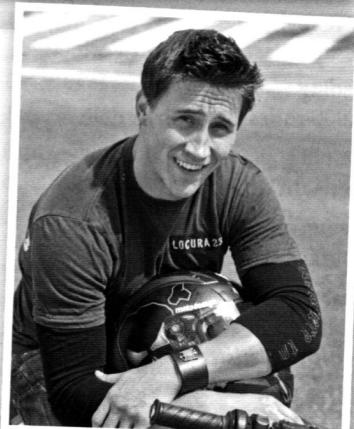
"Hi! My name's Lisbet, and I'm from Santa Barbara, California. I ¹ live with my parents and my sisters in a house near the sea. We ² _____ to the beach every day. We all ³ _____ surfing! I'm American, but my parents ⁴ _____ in Norway. They ⁵ _____ to the US 20 years ago. They ⁶ _____ the cold winters in Norway! I'm in my final year at school. I ⁷ _____ exams at the moment. Next year I ⁸ _____ Marine Biology at university."

**2**

Miguel, from Spain

's going to work
comes
didn't start
likes
's studying
has
gave
'm enjoying

This is Miguel. He ¹ _____ from Spain. He's a student at the EAE Business School in Madrid, where he ² _____ International Law. 'I ³ _____ the course a lot,' he says. 'It's really interesting.' After the course he ⁴ _____ for his father's IT company. He ⁵ _____ a motorbike, and he ⁶ _____ racing it at the weekend. He ⁷ _____ riding until he was 16. His father ⁸ _____ him a bike for his birthday. 'Going fast is my passion!' he says.

**3**

Tom and Fay, from England

acts
live
don't work
went
made
's doing
didn't win
prefer

Tom and Fay Dickens ¹ _____ in Bristol with their two children. They're both actors, but they ² _____ together. Fay ³ _____ in films, and Tom works in the theatre. 'I ⁴ _____ the excitement of the theatre,' says Tom. Last year Fay ⁵ _____ to Hollywood. 'I ⁶ _____ a film with Steven Spielberg,' she says. 'It was good, but it ⁷ _____ any awards!' Next year Tom ⁸ _____ a tour of Britain in a production of Hamlet. Tom is playing the title role. 'I'm very excited about it,' he says.



- 1 Lisbet's parents were born (not born) in the US.
- 2 Lisbet and her family _____ (go) to the beach every day.
- 3 In the picture, Lisbet _____ (surf) at the beach.
- 4 Miguel's father _____ (work) in IT.
- 5 'I _____ (work) for my father after the course,' says Miguel.
- 6 In the picture, Miguel _____ (sit) on his motorbike.
- 7 Fay _____ (not work) with Tom.
- 8 'I _____ (act) in a production of *Hamlet* next year,' says Tom.
- 9 In the picture, Tom and Fay _____ (walk) by the river.

3 Verb forms

Choose the correct form of the verb. **Circle** the correct answer.

- 1 She's very clever. She ___ three languages.
a 's speaking b speak c speaks
- 2 'Would you like a cigarette?' 'No, thanks. I ___.'
a don't smoke b no smoke c not smoking
- 3 I ___ to the cinema yesterday evening.
a go b gone c went
- 4 Where ___ in Argentina?
a you stayed b you stay c did you stay
- 5 My weekend was very boring. I ___ anything.
a didn't do b didn't c not do
- 6 This is a great party! Everyone ___ a good time.
a has b having c 's having
- 7 'What ___ tonight?' 'I'm going out with friends.'
a are you doing b you do c do you do
- 8 I don't know this word. What ___?
a does it mean b means it c does mean
- 9 Next year I ___ study at university.
a 'm going to b goes c go

Put the words on the right in the correct place in the questions.

- | | | |
|------|---|------|
| is | 1 Where <u>/</u> Maria from? | is |
| are | 2 Where <u>you</u> going? | are |
| is | 3 What language <u>she</u> speaking? | is |
| are | 4 What <u>you</u> doing tonight? | are |
| did | 5 Where <u>you</u> buy your jeans? | did |
| are | 6 What <u>you</u> going to cook for dinner? | are |
| does | 7 How much money <u>he</u> have? | does |
| did | 8 You <u>go</u> to work yesterday? | did |

5 Make the question

Complete the questions.

- 1 'What's Anna doing?'
'She's reading in her bedroom.'
- 2 'What kind of ___ he ___?'
'He's going to make a chocolate cake.'



- 3 'Where ___ Jane and Peter ___?'
'They live in a flat.'
- 4 '___ they ___ a car?'
'No, they don't.'
- 5 'Where ___ you ___ on holiday?'
'I'm going to Italy.'
- 6 'What ___ you ___ last night?'
'I watched the football.'
- 7 'Where ___ your grandmother ___?'
'She was born in London.'
- 8 'When ___ she ___?'
'She got married in 1975.'



Dad Morning, Kate. ¹ How are you today?

Kate Fine, thanks. A bit tired.

Dad I didn't hear you come home last night. ² _____ time did you get in?

Kate About 11.00.

Dad ³ _____ did you go?

Kate Just round to Beth's house.

Dad Oh! There's a letter for you.

Kate ⁴ _____'s it from?

Dad I don't know. Open it and see.

Kate Oh!

Dad ⁵ _____'s the matter?

Kate Nothing ... It's from Marco in Italy.

Dad Really? What does he say?

Kate He's coming to England.

Dad ⁶ _____?

Kate Because he's going to learn English.

Dad ⁷ _____ school is he going to?

Kate He doesn't know yet.

Dad ⁸ _____'s he coming?

Kate Next week.

Dad ⁹ _____ don't you invite him here for lunch on Sunday?

Kate OK, I will. Thanks, Dad.

A

- 1 What do you do?
- 2 Who did you go out with?
- 3 Where do you live?
- 4 When's your birthday?
- 5 Why are you wearing a suit?
- 6 How many students are there?
- 7 How much did you pay for it?
- 8 How are you?
- 9 Which search engine do you use?
- 10 Whose is this money?

B

- a £45.
b 16.
c Fine, thanks. And you?
d My friend Paul.
e I'm a teacher.
f Google.
g April 22nd.
h It's mine. Thanks.
i In a flat in town.
j I'm going to a wedding.

8 who's or whose?

Complete the sentences with *who's* or *whose*.

- 1 '_____ going to the cinema on Saturday?'
'Everyone except Tom.'
- 2 '_____ is that beautiful coat?'
'It's Olivia's. It cost £200!'
- 3 '_____ bag is this?'
'It's mine.'
- 4 '_____ that knocking at the door?'
'No idea. I'll go and see.'
- 5 '_____ that beautiful girl with Pete?'
'It's Jane. She's his younger sister.'
- 6 'Do you know _____ house that is?'
'Yes, Mr Richards lives there.'

1 Choose the correct verb for each line.

play **go**

1 Do you want to play a game?

I try to go swimming at least once a week.

do **make**

2 Good luck in the exam! do your best!

I make my own bread every morning.



say **tell**

3 You must always say the truth.

I always tell 'hello' when I see her.

watch **look**

4 Can I have a look at the photos of your wedding?

Did you watch the match last night?

lend **borrow**

5 Can I borrow some money? I'll give it back to you tomorrow.

Jack is going to lend us his car for the weekend.

2 Underline two nouns that go with the adjective.

- | | |
|---------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 beautiful | <u>woman</u> / meal / picture |
| 2 interesting | phone / book / film |
| 3 exciting | teacher / story / film |
| 4 strong | man / coffee / exam |
| 5 handsome | man / boy / view |

in for (x3) at (x2) to with of (x2)

1 I'm waiting for the postman to arrive.

2 Look at that picture! Isn't it beautiful!

3 I'm looking at Mary. Is she here?

4 Are you good at maths?

5 This book is full of useful information.

6 Are you interested in history?

7 You're so right. I agree with you.

8 My brother works for Barclays Bank.

9 Can I speak to you for a minute?

10 I'm afraid of dogs.



4 Complete each pair of sentences with the correct word.

kind train left rest flat

1 When's the next train to London?

Athletes train every day to keep fit.

2 You look tired. You need to rest more.

We had lunch and spent the rest of the day on the beach.

3 Holland is a very flat country. There are no mountains.

I live in a flat in the centre of town.

4 A present? For me? How kind of you!

What kind of music do you like?

5 Turn left at the end of the street.

We left for the airport at 6.30.

10 Janice and Andy

- 1  Read the interview with Janice. Write the questions in the correct place in the text.

How many children do you have?

~~Where did you meet?~~

What does Andy do?

Where did you go on your first date?

What do you like doing together?

When and where did you get married?

Was it love at first sight?

Where are you going on your next holiday?

- 2 Answer the questions.

1 Did Janice like the boy she was at the party with?

2 How did she feel when she saw Andy for the first time?

3 Where did they go on their first date?

4 Why did she like their wedding?

5 How did the arrival of the twins change their relationship?

6 Why does Andy travel in his job?

7 What do they like doing together?

8 Where are they going on holiday?

together



Janice and Andy have been together for 15 years. They live in a cottage near the sea in Wales. Janice describes their relationship.

1 Where did you meet?

At a party. I was 18, and it was my best friend's birthday party. There were about 50 of us in a club. I wasn't having a very good time. I was with another boy, and he was so annoying – I didn't really want to be with him.

2 _____ ?

I saw Andy across the room, and I was immediately attracted to him. When our eyes met, it was like a light going on between us. I knew straightaway that he was the one for me, and luckily he felt the same way.

3 _____ ?

We went to a gig. His friend was in a band, and we went to see them. They played till midnight, and we danced and danced. Andy was a terrible dancer, but it didn't put me off him.

4 _____ ?

We got married three years later in a small church near my parents' house. We didn't have much money at the time, so it was a very small wedding. We just invited a few close friends and relatives, but it was very romantic.

Andy and Ed

1 Listen to Andy talking to his colleague, Ed. Answer the questions.

1 Why is Ed a bit nervous?

2 What's Andy's secret for a happy marriage?

3 How old was Andy when he met Janice?

4 Who was bored? Who was boring?

5 When did Janice and Andy leave the party?

6 What do Andy and Janice have in common?

7 What couldn't Janice do after the twins were born?

8 How many guests are going to Ed's wedding?

5 _____ ?

Two – Tamzin and Jessica. They're twins, and they're eight years old. When they were born it changed the whole relationship. Until they arrived, we were kids. After they arrived, we were proper grown-ups.

6 _____ ?

He's a music producer. He works in a recording studio. He helps bands produce the sound they're looking for. He travels abroad a lot. Bands like recording in sunny places like Jamaica!

7 _____ ?

Making music. He plays the guitar, and I sing. We sometimes do little gigs together at weddings or pubs, just for friends. Other than that, it's ordinary things like playing with the kids or going to the cinema – if we can get a babysitter!

8 _____ ?

We're going to see friends in Cornwall, in the south-west of England. They live on a farm, and we're going to stay in a tent in a field on their land. We're all taking our wellies – we stayed there last year and it rained every day!



2 Listen again. Complete the sentences from Andy and Ed's conversation.

1 '... aren't you _____ married soon?'

2 'We just _____ in love.'

3 'He was a friend but not a boyfriend, if you _____ what I _____.'

4 '... we discovered that we _____, and still _____, so many things in common.'

5 '... we _____ as many gigs as before.'

6 'Janice _____ abroad with me on work trips any more.'

7 'Are you _____ a big wedding?'

8 'I _____ my wedding a lot.'

12 Vowel sounds

Most phonetic symbols for vowels are easy to understand.

/ɪ/ bit /i:/ see /e/ bed

Some are a little more difficult.

/æ/ hat /ʌ/ sun /ɑ:/ father /ɒ/ hot
/ʊ/ put /ɔ:/ sort /ɜ:/ learn

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- 1 Write a word in B next to the phonetic symbols in A.

A	B
1 /ka:(r)/	<u>car</u>
2 /fut/	foot
3 /fʌn/	mean
4 /kæt/	win
5 /mi:n/	work
6 /wɜ:k/	fun
7 /wɪn/	cat
8 /wɔ:k/	walk

2 Listen and check.

Some words have the same pronunciation but a different spelling and a different meaning.

/si:/ sea and see /nju:/ new and knew

- 3 Write the other word that has the same phonetic symbols.

- 1 /tu:/ two and too
2 /mi:t/ meet and meat
3 /fɔ:(r)/ for and four
4 /sʌn/ sun and son
5 /bɔ:d/ bored and bored
6 /pi:s/ piece and piece

- 4 Write the correct spelling.

- 1 I have /tu:/ two /sʌnz/ suns.
2 I like your /nju:/ new shoes.
3 Would you like a /pi:s/ piece of cake with your coffee?
4 I'm /bɔ:d/ bored. I want to go home.
5 I don't eat /mi:t/ meet.

13 Words that rhyme

Find the pairs of words that rhyme.

food
good learn meal
caught steak
saw busy
make
turn fizzy sort
feel could more

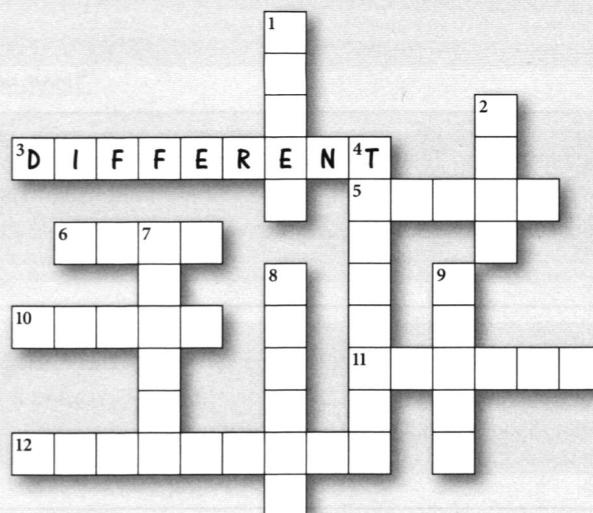
learn turn



learn turn

14 Crossword – opposite adjectives

Complete the crossword with the opposite of the adjectives in the clues.



Across

- 3 same (9)
5 full (5)
6 first (4)
10 correct (5)
11 interesting (6)
12 cheap (9)

Down

- 1 noisy (5)
2 early (4)
4 lovely (8)
7 married (6)
8 clever (6)
9 best (5)