

## UNIT 6 TELLING EXPERIENCE

**Practice 1.** Read the text carefully and answer the following questions! Pretend that “the writer on the text is YOU”!

### My Holiday in Bandung






Last holiday, I went to Bandung with my friends, Asep. We spent our holiday there. We went to Bandung by bus. The bus schedule from Indramayu was at 07.00 a.m and arrived in Bandung at 11.30 a.m. I brought camera, snack, and handphone. Asep just brought a sweater and sunglasses.

In the first day, we went to Bandung zoo. The ticket price was only Rp30.000,00. The animals collection there were very complete. In the next day, we went to geological museum and talked with the guide about geology. It made us understood about geology. we saw rocks collection there. After that, I went to Bandung bus station because we had to go home to Indaramayu.

My holiday in Bandung was only two days but it made me happy.

1. Where did you go on the last holiday?
2. What did you do on the last holiday?
3. Who went with you on the last holiday?
4. Mention the things that you and Asep brought on their holiday?

**Practice 2a.** Match the pictures and the options below!

1. 	2. 	3. 	A. Handphone B. Sunglasess C. Sweater D. Camera E. Snack
4. 	5. 		

**Practice 2b.** The following expressions and responses are commonly used to ask or give information about family!

Expressions	Responses
1. Where did you go on your last holiday?	• I went to Bandung
2. What did you do on your holiday?	• I visited Bandung zoo for the first day and went to geological museum for the second day.
3. Who went with you on the holiday?	• I went to Bandung with my friend, Asep.
4. Mention the things that you and Asep brought on their holiday?	• I brought camera, snack, and handphone. Asep just brought a sweater and sunglasses.
5. Did you feel Happy?	• Yes, I felt happy.

### Grammar Focus: Past Simple

Use the Past Simple to express an action that started and finished at a specific time in the past. Sometimes, the speaker may not actually mention the specific time, but they do have one specific time in mind.

Examples: 1. I went to Bandung last holiday.  
2. I felt happy.

### A. Simple Past Tense – Regular Verbs

*A few examples...*

#### 1. *add ~ed*

	walk	rain	help
affirmative	walk <b>ed</b>	rained <b>ed</b>	help <b>ed</b>
negative	did not walk	did not rain	did not help
question	did __ walk?	did __ rain?	did __ help?

#### 2. *vowel + consonant = double consonant +ed*

	stop	plan	hug
affirmative	stop <b>ped</b>	plan <b>ned</b>	hug <b>ged</b>
negative	did not stop	did not plan	did not hug
question	did __ stop?	did __ plan?	did __ hug?

### 3. *consonant + y = change the y to i +ed*

	<b>study</b>	<b>cry</b>	<b>reply</b>
affirmative	<b>studied</b>	<b>cried</b>	<b>replied</b>
negative	did not study	did not cry	did not reply
question	did __ study?	did __ cry?	did __ reply?

### 4. *vowel + y = add ~ed*

	<b>play</b>	<b>enjoy</b>	<b>obey</b>
affirmative	<b>played</b>	<b>enjoyed</b>	<b>obeyed</b>
negative	did not play	did not enjoy	did not obey
question	did __ play?	did __ enjoy?	did __ obey?

## B. Simple Past Tense – Irregular Verbs

*A few examples...*

	<b>do</b>	<b>have</b>	<b>go</b>
affirmative	did	had	went
negative	did not do	did not have	did not go
question	did __ do?	did __ have?	did __ go?
	<b>eat</b>	<b>see</b>	<b>stand</b>
affirmative	ate	saw	stood
negative	did not eat	did not see	did not stand
question	did __ eat?	did __ see?	did __ stand?
	<b>sit</b>	<b>drink</b>	<b>run</b>
affirmative	sat	drank	ran
negative	did not sit	did not drink	did not run
question	did __ sit?	did __ drink?	did __ run?
	<b>write</b>	<b>drive</b>	<b>ride</b>
affirmative	wrote	drove	rode
negative	did not write	did not drive	did not ride
question	did __ write?	did __ drive?	did __ ride?
	<b>bring</b>	<b>think</b>	<b>catch</b>
affirmative	brought	thought	caught
negative	did not bring	did not think	did not catch
question	did __ bring?	did __ think?	did __ catch?

	put	hurt	read
affirmative	put	hurt	Read
negative	did not put	did not hurt	did not read
question	did _ put?	did _ hurt?	did _ read?

### Practice 3

No	Questions	You	Your Partner
1	What did you do on the last holiday?		
2	Where did you go on last holiday?		
3	Who went with you on the holiday?		
4	Mention the things that you need to have on the holiday!		

### Practice 4. Pretend that you got the holiday and you would go to Jakarta. Describe your holiday based on the pictures below!

1.



Last holiday, I and my family ..... (go) to Jakarta. We went there by bus.

2.



In the first day, we ..... (visit) Monas or Monumen Nasional. We arrived there at 9.00 a.m. in the morning.

3.



In the next day, we went to Kota Tua to take some pictures there. Then, My mother ..... (buy) Kerak Telor. Actually, I ..... (be, not like) like the taste, because it ..... (be) too salty.

4.



I ..... (see) some interesting things in Kota Tua, especially the ondel-ondels.

I ..... (feel) happy because of them, my holiday became so unforgettable.

**Practice 5.** Now its your turn to create your story about your holiday or your experience!

I had an unforgettable holiday in .....  
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**Practice 6.** Choose one of these province in Indonesia then retell about your holiday!

1. Lampung
2. Yogyakarta
3. Aceh
4. Palembang
5. Papua