

Grammar Unit 2

Past simple and past perfect simple

1 Underline the verbs in the past perfect simple in each sentence.

I asked how often Tom had been there before.

- 1 When we arrived, Sally had cooked dinner.
- 2 By the time he got home, his sister had gone to the cinema.
- 3 No-one had slept very well the night before, so they were all tired.
- 4 Had you studied French before you came to this school?
- 5 I knew he'd be late because he'd called me earlier.

2 Match the sentence halves.

We only knew about the website	<u>E</u>
1 By the time I got to the auction,	___
2 I had forgotten to buy some milk	___
3 All the shoppers had left the store	___
4 Olivia went to the police station	___
5 Muhammad hadn't been to a fundraising event	___

- A so we didn't have any for our tea.
 B until his uncle took him to one.
 C they had sold all the paintings.
 D because someone had taken her bag.
~~E because a friend had told us about it.~~
 F by the time it closed for the day.

3 Put the verb into the past simple or past perfect.

Jake was angry. Bill had taken (take) his bike.

- 1 Sue was hungry. She _____ (not eat) all day.
- 2 I'd watched the film, so I _____ (know) the ending.
- 3 We didn't have any money because we _____ (spend) it on new shoes.
- 4 I _____ (buy) a new mobile phone, because I'd broken the old one.
- 5 Later that afternoon, I _____ (miss) my bus. It had left two minutes earlier.
- 6 I couldn't use Jamie's bike, because he _____ (sell) it the week before.

enough, (a) few, (a) little, lots of, plenty of, too much, too many

4 Underline the noun that cannot be used with the quantifier.

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| too many ... | <u>rice</u> apples dogs |
| 1 a little ... | time orange juice emails |
| 2 too much ... | rain people cake |
| 3 plenty of ... | animal tomatoes milk |
| 4 a few ... | bread cars beans |
| 5 lots of ... | party water purchases |
| 6 little ... | money food clothes |

5 Choose the correct option.

There isn't **plenty** / enough space in here for another chair.

- 1 My brother spends too **much** / **few** money on clothes.
- 2 I have very **little** / **enough** money, so we can't go shopping.
- 3 Emily's only got **a little** / **a few** friends, but they're all great!
- 4 There were **lots** / **many** of paintings at the auction, but I didn't really like any of them.
- 5 It was a good party, but there were a **little** / **too many** people there.
- 6 There are **plenty of** / **lots** sandwiches on the table – help yourself!
- 7 Have we got **enough food** / **food enough** for the party?



Vocabulary Unit 2

Advertising

1 Find seven more words connected with advertising.

E	X	A	G	G	E	R	A	T	E	F	R
A	B	P	D	B	F	G	H	T	J	T	E
A	P	P	E	A	L	U	G	N	T	X	C
A	B	E	A	E	C	P	H	C	G	P	O
C	F	A	J	R	U	L	W	W	U	Y	M
V	B	R	O	A	D	C	A	S	T	U	M
Q	H	C	P	E	E	L	A	I	M	K	E
Z	L	S	I	K	C	A	Y	M	X	P	N
T	W	C	D	L	B	I	K	K	J	B	D
Y	I	N	F	O	R	M	N	Q	P	G	D
P	J	V	I	Q	X	Z	M	A	Y	R	S
Q	K	G	J	C	O	N	V	I	N	C	E

2 Choose the correct words.

Most people have heard of Greenland, but not many people know how it got its name. People **inform** / **claim** that Eric the Red, a famous Viking from Iceland, was sent to Greenland because he had killed someone. He wanted to (1) **broadcast** / **convince** people to move there, so he named it 'the green land' because he thought that might (2) **appeal** / **appear** to them. Of course, by calling it Greenland Eric (3) **convinced** / **exaggerated** a little, because for most of the year it is a land of snow, ice and very cold temperatures, and it is only green for a few months in the summer! But it's a beautiful country, and if you like nature, winter sports and lots of peace and quiet, I'd (4) **inform** / **recommend** that you visit.

Shopping

3 Complete the sentences with the words.

bargain bid charge purchase refund ~~selection~~

Let's go into that shop – it's got a huge selection of computer games.

- The advert says that if you _____ one T-shirt, you get another one free!
- The hotel has a gym, but you have to pay a small _____ to use it.

- These boots are too big for me. Can I get a _____, please?
- You liked the painting at the auction, so why didn't you _____ on it?
- In some countries, you can _____ with the sellers in the shops so that you get a discount.

Extra vocabulary

4 Match the halves of the compound adjectives.

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| low- | made |
| 1 labour- | term |
| 2 ready- | ranging |
| 3 self- | saving |
| 4 wide- | priced |
| 5 long- | service |

5 Complete the advert with the words in the box.

aisle checkout counter ~~goods~~ packaging

Futuro – the supermarket of tomorrow, today!

Come to your new Futuro supermarket, the place to buy better goods faster, and cheaper! Here, you don't need to walk up and down every (1) _____ to find the things you want, you can just select them from our online menu. Go to our virtual cheese (2) _____, choose your cheese and how much you want, and our staff will cut it and wrap it for you. But don't worry, we use less (3) _____ than a traditional supermarket, so there are no extra bags and boxes to throw away. And of course, there's no waiting at the (4) _____ – just click the 'pay' button and enter your credit-card details, and we'll deliver your purchases within two hours.

Describing personal qualities

6 Cross out the incorrect option.

- I do a lot of ~~to swim~~ / running / exercise.
- Do you consider **him** / **yourself** / **he** to be honest?
 - Tom's really **untidy** / **happily** / **friendly**.
 - Suzie's a dedicated **worker** / **cooking** / **friend**.
 - Working outdoors **isn't appeal** / **appeals** / **doesn't appeal** to me.
 - Working at night** / **Long hours** / **To get up early** shouldn't be a problem for me.
 - Are they **good** / **dedicated** / **okay** with animals?