

Tense review

1 Write answers to the questions. Use the words in brackets in your answers.

- 1 What time do you normally have breakfast?
_____ (eat / 8pm)
- 2 What are you doing right now?
_____ (read / book)
- 3 What did you say?
_____ (look / where / going)
- 4 Do you have any hobbies?
_____ (yes / sing in a choir)
- 5 What are you looking for?
_____ (look for / watch)
- 6 Are you at the bus stop now?
_____ (no / on the bus)

2 Rewrite the sentences in the past.

- 1 Chris speaks German very well.

- 2 She is always chatting to her friends.

- 3 Do you ever go skiing?

- 4 I talk to my friends when I am unhappy.

3 Rewrite the sentences to give the same meaning.

- 1 Joe and Susan don't like dancing. This is their first time in a club.
Joe and Susan have _____
- 2 I watched TV and the doorbell rang.
When I _____
- 3 Dan went to the gym. After that he went home.
When Dan had _____
- 4 The train was late. He didn't arrive on time for the movie.
He didn't _____

4 Rewrite the sentences. Use the correct form of the verbs and the words in brackets.

- 1 I live in Madrid now. I started living in Madrid five years ago.
I _____
- 2 He's planning to study Law at university.
He _____
- 3 The alarm was ringing this afternoon. It is ringing now.
The alarm _____
- 4 We finished playing football. Then he texted us.
We _____
- 5 Tomorrow at 10pm, I'll sleep.
Tomorrow, at 10 pm, _____
- 6 He arrived at dinnertime.
We _____

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5 Rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets to give the same meaning.

- 1 When I was young, I went swimming every day. (used)
When I was young, _____
- 2 When my brothers were young, they went on a lot of bike rides. (would)
My brothers _____
- 3 Before I went to Japan, I didn't like sushi. (use)
I _____
- 4 Before my mother had children, she was a police officer. (used)
My mother _____

6 Rewrite the sentences using the correct form of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 I have lived in Barcelona for three years. I will be living in Barcelona next April. (live)
In April, _____
- 2 Ellie finishes school this year. She wants to be an architect. (go to university)
Next year, I think Ellie _____
- 3 I am not at university now. Next year, when I'm 18, I will start university. (start)
By the time I'm 18, _____
- 4 The plane flies to Paris every day at 9am. I fly to Paris tomorrow. (leave)
My plane to Paris _____
- 5 It's freezing. It's been so cold all day. (snow)
I think _____
- 6 We have been here for 20 minutes. He is coming in 10 minutes. (wait)
We _____
- 7 The yoga class is on today. It starts at 6pm. (start)
It's 4.30pm, the yoga class _____
- 8 Listen to this news story. It's really interesting. (like)
Listen to this news story. I think _____

Modal verbs

1 Rewrite the sentences using the modal verbs in brackets to give the same meaning.

- 1 Jasper could play the saxophone when he was seven. (able)
Jasper _____
- 2 You can each take one packet of crisps, but no more. (allowed)
You _____
- 3 They're able to run around 10 km as long as we don't go too fast. (can)
They _____
- 4 May I borrow your bike tomorrow morning? (could)

2 Rewrite the sentences using different modal verbs to give the same meaning.

- 1 The government must introduce stricter laws on cybercrimes.
The government _____
- 2 It is not necessary to take your laptop to school ...
You _____
- 3 You must clean your school shoes or you won't get any pocket money.
You had _____
- 4 The local government should empty public bins every week.
The local government is _____
- 5 All countries have to work together to solve the problem of climate change.
All countries _____

3 Give advice to the people with these problems using the words in brackets.

- 1 I don't feel very well. I have a painful toothache. (go / dentist)
You _____
- 2 I have so many clothes. I don't need all of them (recycle / clothes)
You _____
- 3 This bottle is empty. I'll leave it here. (not leave / in the park)
You _____

Deductions about the past and present; modal perfects**1 Rewrite the sentences using the modal verbs in brackets to give the same meaning.**

- 1 David and Cara have a lot of homework and perhaps won't come to the cinema. (might)

David and Cara _____

- 2 He's practised the piano a lot. It's impossible for him to fail. (can't)

He _____

- 3 I have a headache. Perhaps I'm getting the flu. (could)

I _____

- 4 He's definitely got a lot of money as he's always going on holiday. (must)

He _____

2 Write answers in response to the sentences. Use the prompts in brackets.

- 1 My dad doesn't know where he left his wallet. Perhaps it's in his car. (positive speculation)

He _____

- 2 He hasn't arrived yet. Perhaps the train was delayed. (positive speculation)

The train _____

- 3 I was in the same class as you. You definitely saw me. (positive certainty)

You _____

- 4 He seems to be very upset. I think he failed Science. (positive possibility)

He _____

- 5 He was at the station. It's impossible that he missed his train. (negative certainty)

He _____

Conditional sentences

1 Rewrite the sentences. Use the correct form of the conditional.

- 1 We had no time to see the whole movie. We were late.

- 2 You ate all the pizza yesterday. We can't have a slice now.

- 3 He wants to get top grades. He has to study hard.

- 4 Don't cycle so fast. You could fall off.

- 5 He doesn't spend a lot of time with his family. He is very busy.

2 Rewrite the sentences to give the same meaning.

- 1 I'm not going to the restaurant with you if you carry on complaining.
Unless _____
- 2 He will contact you if he knows you are interested.
Provided / providing (that) _____
- 3 Daniel wouldn't want to go out with her if she asked him out.
Even if _____
- 4 His parents will let him go to the party if he keeps his room tidy for a week.
As long as _____

3 Write sentences using wish.

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| 1 I can't play football tonight because I hurt my ankle.
_____ | 3 I can't go out because I have to look after my little brother.
_____ |
| 2 I think it's a pity he never learnt another language.
_____ | 4 My teacher is always telling us off.
_____ |

4 Write sentences using if only.

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| 1 I saw Andy, but I didn't say hello.
_____ | 3 I didn't practise basketball last week and we lost the game.
_____ |
| 2 I didn't say goodbye to my dad this morning and he was upset.
_____ | 4 I always fight with my brother.
_____ |

5 Rewrite the sentences to give the same meaning.

- 1 Carmelo is scared of heights. He didn't go to the top floor of the building.
If Carmelo _____
- 2 There aren't any nice cafes where I live.
I wish _____
- 3 My brother will be 21 tomorrow and I have no money to get him a present.
If only _____
- 4 If Erika doesn't tell me what happened, I'll be very angry.
Unless _____

Reported speech

1 Rewrite the sentences using reported speech.

- 1 'I've never liked vanilla milkshakes!' said Tabby.

Tabby said _____

- 2 'My toothache got worse and worse as the day went on!' Noah told his dad.

Noah _____

- 3 'They speak French in Canada as well as English,' Josie pointed out.

Josie _____

- 4 'John was talking to a delivery person this morning,' said Henry.

Henry _____

- 5 'Emily and Pete will be arriving in Lisbon in an hour,' Vicky told her mum.

Vicky _____

- 6 'Fin has been cleaning the kitchen all morning and no-one has helped him!' Emma said.

Emma _____

- 7 'I may invite Jordan and Heather to my Christmas party, but I'm not sure yet,' Patrick told me.

Patrick _____

- 8 'My mum and dad will give me some money if I pass my violin exam,' said Chetna.

Chetna _____

2 Rewrite the questions using reported speech.

- 1 Teacher: 'What are you doing?'

The teacher wanted to know _____

- 2 Uncle: 'Did you get my birthday card and the present?'

My uncle wondered _____

- 3 Trisha: 'How long does the flight to Munich take?'

Trisha wanted to know _____

- 4 Julie: 'What time does their train depart?'

Julie asked _____

- 5 Ruth: 'When is mum and dad's anniversary?'

Ruth wondered _____

- 6 Matt: 'Where are you going?'

Matt wanted to know _____

- 7 Angela: 'Did anybody see you get on the bus?'

Angela asked _____

- 8 Bea: 'When do you think they'll arrive at the restaurant?'

Bea wondered _____

3 Rewrite the sentences using the underlined reporting verbs.

- 1 'What time do we have to start work today?' Rob
- asked
- .

- 2 'I'm sorry I forgot your birthday!' Jean
- apologised to
- Clare.

- 3 'I
- suggest
- you find out about the travel documents you may need before travelling to the US.'

- 4 'The History teacher never explains things properly,'

Hatty complained.

- 5 'You had better not forget to tidy your bedroom again or you'll be in trouble!' Charlie
- warned
- .

- 6 'I
- promise
- to take you to the art exhibition next weekend.'

- 7 'You really should see that movie, it's absolutely brilliant!' Harshil
- advised
- .

- 8 'It was me who didn't lock the front door,' Darren
- admitted
- .

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4 Rewrite the sentences using the correct form of the verbs in brackets to give the same meaning.

- 1 'Let's go to the park later.' (suggest)

He _____

- 2 'I've seen this movie a hundred times!' (claim)

She _____

- 3 'Why don't you come out for dinner this Friday?' (invite us)

They _____

- 4 'You must let me pay for the ticket.' (insist)

He _____

- 5 'Please say you will join us on holiday. You will love it!' (persuade)

She _____

5 Rewrite the questions or statements using the prompts in brackets.

- 1 Why don't we go to the new art exhibition? (question tag)

Let's _____

- 2 Are the clothes I'm wearing too formal? (question tag)

I'm not _____

- 3 His new laptop cost \$1000! (emphatic question)

It _____

- 4 I don't think they went to the museum. (question tag)

They _____

- 5 They've gone to Hawaii. (emphatic question)

They _____

6 Rewrite the questions using the words in brackets to give the same meaning.

- 1 Where is the nearest post office? (could)

- 2 How much is this phone? (know)

- 3 Can you give me directions? (wonder)

- 4 How do artists think of all their ideas? (don't know)

Relative clauses

1 Join the sentences using a relative pronoun to make one sentence.

- 1 The TV show is great. I am watching it at the moment.

- 2 My aunt and uncle live in Scotland. They have three cats.

- 3 The art gallery closes at six o'clock. We want to visit it.

- 4 The man is from Thailand. He lives next door.

- 5 My mum has a tablet. It is very old.

- 6 My brother doesn't go to my school. He is 17.

- 7 I saw Chris. He went to school with you.

- 8 Andrea works for a company. They sell computers.

- 9 The bus goes to the train station. It leaves every 15 minutes.

- 10 I lost my wallet. It was on my desk.

2 Rewrite the sentences using relative clauses to sound more formal. Use the words in brackets.

- 1 Jenny and Tom work for that company. (that is)

- 2 Ana is very proud of her sister, Paola. (whom)

- 3 They talked to their colleagues about the office party. (those are)

- 4 Jack would love that sort of movie. (that is)

- 5 The children will join in that game. (in which)

- 6 Natasha was listening to that podcast. (that is)

- 7 Who did you discuss the topic with? (with)

- 8 We're thinking of driving to the lake. (where)

- 9 The estate agent made a loss on that sale. (on which)

- 10 You can't rely on that website. (which)

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3 Rewrite the sentences using relative clauses and the words given.

- 1 That woman's brother is my new Maths teacher.

That is the woman _____

- 2 Most of the campsites we stayed in were very good.

We stayed in a lot of campsites, _____

- 3 The new house at the end of our road is beautiful.

The new house, _____

- 4 That man over there is my new dentist.

That is the man _____

- 5 A friend of mine recommended a book for me to read.

That is the book _____

- 6 My sister works in Cambridge, a famous university town.

Cambridge, _____

- 7 Maria loves travelling and is often away from home.

Maria, _____

- 8 The new community centre will offer lots of different activities and is going to open next month.

The new community centre, _____

Passive forms

1 Rewrite the sentences in the passive.

- 1 The team played an excellent match on Sunday.

- 2 How many albums has she recorded?

- 3 Do they sell clothes in that shop?

- 4 The new hairdresser cut David's hair.

- 5 Thieves have stolen from a jewellery store in Newcastle.

- 6 Security staff won't allow 16-year-olds into the club.

- 7 A businesswoman has donated money to a charity.

- 8 My mum asks someone to clean our house once a month.

2 Rewrite the passive sentences in the active voice.

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| 1 These apples have just been picked from the tree.
We _____ | 5 Is lunch being made?
Are _____ |
| 2 He asked to be dropped off in the afternoon.
He asked me _____ | 6 Ice creams are sold on the beach.
They _____ |
| 3 It has to be done right now!
You _____ | 7 The crossword puzzle could not be solved.
Nobody _____ |
| 4 All his designer clothing was sold.
He _____ | 8 They had their living room redecorated yesterday.
They _____ |

3 Rewrite the sentences in the passive using the verbs in bold.

- 1 Everybody knows she's an amazing actor.

- 2 We didn't know they would come to the party.

- 3 People don't believe that ghosts exist.

- 4 They say he's incredibly friendly!

- 5 Everyone predicts that climate change will continue to have a huge impact on the environment.

- 6 People estimate that space travel will progress rapidly over the next decade.

- 7 They report that taxes will increase steadily over the next five years.

- 8 People have considered it as one of the best musicals this year.
