

> Grammar

1 Complete the sentences with the simple past. (1 point each)

- 1 He bought (buy) me a fantastic birthday present.
- 2 Dan _____ (not have) a party on his birthday.
- 3 I _____ (spend) all my money over the weekend.
- 4 He _____ (win) an Oscar in 2001.
- 5 We _____ (see) a fox in London.
- 6 _____ Alex _____ (make) that cake?

2 Complete the sentences with the simple past form of the verbs in the box. (1 point each)

<i>finish</i>	<i>park</i>	<i>walk</i>
<i>ask</i>	<i>see</i>	<i>call</i>

- 1 I parked my bicycle at the station.
- 2 He _____ the man stealing the car and he _____ the police.
- 3 She _____ her homework at 11:30.
- 4 I _____ him for his dictionary.
- 5 _____ you _____ to school yesterday?

3 Complete the questions and short answers with the simple past. (3 points each)

- 1 Did you call (call) your sister about going to the movies?
Yes, I did.
- 2 _____ you _____ (check) the price of the tickets?
No, I _____.
- 3 _____ we _____ (watch) two movies last weekend?
No, we _____.
- 4 _____ she _____ (talk) about the actors in the movie?
Yes, _____.
- 5 _____ they _____ (laugh) at the romantic comedy?
No, they _____.

> Vocabulary

4 Match the two halves of the sentences. (1 point each)

- 1 c Actors play the parts of
- 2 _____ The star of *Finding Nemo* is
- 3 _____ The movie had lots of famous
- 4 _____ An extra is a person who
- 5 _____ The director of the movie

- a a cartoon fish.
- b stars but the audience didn't like it.
- c fictional characters in movies.
- d tells the actors what to do.
- e plays a very small part in a film.

5 Circle the right answer. (1 point each)

- 1 I like Westerns with cowboys, so if we go to see a(n) *romantic* / action movie I'll be very happy.
- 2 Brad Pitt is a very popular *director* / *actor* with many female and male fans.
- 3 *Historical* / *Comedy* movies about Henry VIII and Queen Elizabeth are very popular now in the United States.
- 4 It's time to go in. Do you have the *tickets* / *programs*?
- 5 The *stunt person* / *star* is the actor who does risky scenes in a film.

> Communication

6 Complete the dialogue with the words and phrases in the box. (1 point each)

<i>went to see</i>	<i>did you go</i>	<i>go</i>	<i>went</i>
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- A: What movie ¹ did you go to see last week?
 B: I ² _____ *Count Dracula*.
 A: Who did you ³ _____ with?
 B: I ⁴ _____ with Joe and Julie.

> Reading

7 Read the text and circle the correct answer. (1 point each)

Marilyn Monroe

This is a story about a very beautiful and famous movie star. Almost everyone knows about her, although her life was sad and unhappy.

Marilyn Monroe was born in Los Angeles, California, in 1926. Her real name was Norma Jean Baker. Her childhood was not a happy one because her family was very poor. Norma Jean married at sixteen and began working in an airplane factory. A photographer discovered her and asked her if he could photograph her. She looked wonderful in the photographs and soon she became a full-time photographic model. The model agency asked her to change her name and her hair color, and soon after that she was offered work in Hollywood. Soon after that she became very popular, and became very famous for her blonde hair and little girl voice.

- 1 Marilyn Monroe was a famous _____.
 a writer **b** movie star
- 2 She was ____ by her fans all over the world.
 a loved b hated
- 3 She had a very ____ childhood.
 a exciting b unhappy
- 4 She was offered work as a ____ model.
 a photographic b in-house

> Writing

8 Write a paragraph about your favorite movie star. (14 points)

My favorite movie star is _____.
 He / she has _____ hair and _____ eyes. He / she is about _____ years old. My favorite movie is _____. In this film he / she plays the part of _____. It is about _____.
