

Name _____

Class _____

Date _____

1 Complete the sentences with the words in the list.

hilarious | tells | fun | played | get

- 1 Tom always _____ jokes but I don't think he is funny.
- 2 You should meet Alice. She's _____ – I always have such fun with her.
- 3 My schoolmates _____ a joke on me and everybody laughed.
- 4 We didn't have much _____ at the party, it was quite boring.
- 5 Did you _____ the joke or are you laughing to make me happy?

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2 Circle the correct words.

- 1 The teacher *warned* / *persuaded* the children not to get into trouble.
- 2 My parents *expected* / *encouraged* me to pass the exam, but I failed.
- 3 Can you *encourage* / *remind* Lara to answer my e-mail?
- 4 You are *not allowed* / *warned* to talk during the test.
- 5 I was *picked* / *encouraged* to play in the school football team.

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3 Complete the sentences with correct form of say, tell or ask.

- 1 I _____ my mum if I could stay out later.
- 2 Can you _____ your dad that dinner is ready?
- 3 Maria is laughing – what did you _____ to her?
- 4 I _____ him a good joke, but he didn't get it.
- 5 I'm going to _____ the police officer for directions.

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4 Put the words in order to make sentences.

- 1 said / that / soon / they / were / They / leaving / .

- 2 found / told / that / funny / we / hadn't / her / joke / her / We / .

- 3 help / said / we / could / We / that / .

- 4 He / her / that / any more / wouldn't / he / make / fun of / her / told / .

- 5 that / said / funny / she / was / She / .

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5 Complete the sentences using reported speech.

- 1 'I am a journalist with the *The Times* newspaper.'
He said that _____.
- 2 'I'm going to write a letter to the newspaper.'
Sarah said _____.
- 3 'I've thrown away yesterday's newspaper.'
Mum told me _____.
- 4 'Our journalist interviewed President Obama yesterday.'
The editor said _____.
- 5 'I will keep my promises.'
The politician told the press _____.

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6 Read the letter. Then complete the text. Use reported speech.

Dear Mrs Booth

I am writing to thank you for allowing me to visit the television studios yesterday. It was a really interesting day and I learned a lot. I'm going to do a project at school and present it to the class next week.

Can I use the photos I took? I'll send you my project too – I hope you like it!

Ewa

Ewa said that she was writing to thank Mrs Booth. She said that it ¹_____ a really interesting day and that she ²_____ a lot. She said that she ³_____ to do a project and she asked if she ⁴_____ use the photos she took. She said she ⁵_____ her project to Mrs Booth.

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7 Complete the sentences. Use the correct patterns of the verbs in brackets.

- 1 Henry never _____ me _____ to his party. (invite / come)
- 2 The teacher _____ us _____ her tidy the classroom. (ask / help)
- 3 They never _____ me _____ for the school football team. (pick / play)
- 4 My parents _____ me _____ out late yesterday. (not allow / stay)
- 5 She _____ me _____ silly. (tell / not be)

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8 Rewrite the sentences. Say what happened. Use the verb in brackets.

Harry said:

'You shouldn't do the marathon.'

'You can't use my mobile.'

'Don't forget to laugh at my jokes.'

'Tidy my room.'

'Can you help me?'

- 1 He _____ . (not encourage)
- 2 He _____ . (not allow)
- 3 He _____ . (remind)
- 4 He _____ . (tell)
- 5 He _____ . (ask)

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9 Complete the sentences with your ideas.

- 1 It makes me laugh when _____ .
- 2 I get cross when _____ .
- 3 It's not funny when _____ .
- 4 I'm going to make sure I _____ .
- 5 When it is _____ it makes a difference.

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10 Complete the text with the words in the list.

get | persuaded me | funny | hilarious | told me

My granddad is always telling jokes, but I don't ¹_____ them. Last week he ²_____ to listen to a new joke. I said that I didn't want to, but he ³_____ it was ⁴_____. I laughed at the end, but it wasn't ⁵_____ at all! Poor granddad.

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TOTAL SCORE

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