

Vocabulary Unit 1

Memories

- 1 Complete the email with verbs related to memories.



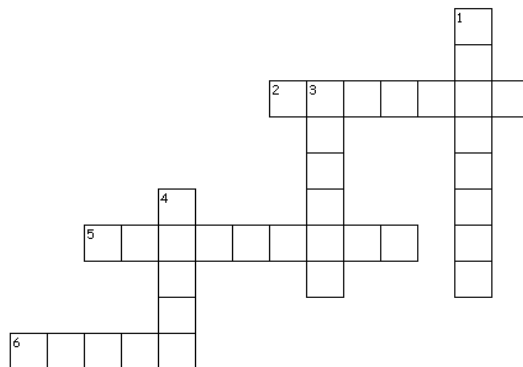
Hi Anita,
How are you? I wanted to call you this weekend, but I (1) _____ my phone on Friday! I was so upset when I realized it was gone! Anyway, are you studying hard at school? I am! Do you (2) _____ that I said that I had a history project to do? Well, I got a really good grade – an A! I had to write about a famous building, but I didn't know which one to write about. I went online and I (3) _____ a website with some really interesting information about the Taj Mahal in Agra, India. It's made of white stone and it's easy for people to (4) _____ because it's got a huge white 'dome' instead of a roof. I (5) _____ a copy of all my projects so you can read it the next time you visit. Skype you later,
Benjamin

- 2 Complete the sentences with one word in each gap.

- There was a backpack on the seat of the bus and our tour guide wanted to know who it _____.
- I _____ a very old book in a shop one day – can you believe the famous Walt Whitman wrote it?
- Mum wanted to get _____ all my old baby clothes last week, but then she felt too sentimental to throw them away.
- OK, you can borrow my tablet for a week, but if I don't _____ it _____, I'll be very angry!
- When I look _____ my holiday in Madrid, I always smile!
- Jay is really _____ forward _____ visiting his friend next week. He hasn't seen him for five years.
- Your sister _____ me _____ a girl that I knew when I was in primary school.

Describing objects

- 3 Read the clues and complete the crossword with adjectives.



Down

- a new sports car, gold and silver coins
- meat that has been out of the fridge for too long, very old fruit and vegetables
- bread that someone has just baked, country air

Across

- a Chinese vase, things that break easily
- a broken plate, torn clothes
- the tyres of a car, things that don't break easily

- 4 Complete the sentences with the opposite of the adjectives in brackets.

- I dropped my new smartphone, but, luckily, it was fine. It was _____ (damaged).
- These video games are _____ (popular) nowadays – not many people I know play them.
- This knife can't cut anything. It's completely _____ (useful)!
- Have you been shopping? I like your _____ (old-fashioned) new boots. They're really cool.
- A crow is a large bird that is very _____ (rare) in the UK. You see them everywhere!
- Pete's new car might be _____ (brand new), but the person it belonged to before him looked after it really well.

Vocabulary PLUS

- 5 Write the adverb forms of the adjectives. Remember the spelling rules for adverbs.

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| 1 dramatic _____ | 5 amazing _____ |
| 2 desperate _____ | 6 final _____ |
| 3 lucky _____ | 7 slow _____ |
| 4 happy _____ | 8 emotional _____ |