Review

1

Use the past tense simple and the present tense simple to make meaningful sentences. The first (0) one has been done for you. Compare your results with a partner.

In the past I did not visit (not/visit) my grandparents so often, but now I try to see them every second weekend.

1	The apprentice	(work) last month. Now he
2	A few weeks ago I	(start) jogging, but now I
3	Tom really (ike) to eat pizza when he was a child, but now he
4	In the past my grandparents alway now they	s (spend) their holidays in Spain, but
5	In the past nobody really	(care) about a healthy lifestyle, but nowadays
6	In the past my grandpa	(smoke) a lot, but today he
7	A few days ago Shannon	(break up) with her boyfriend, but now

2

Have a look at the grid and take notes on what you did / did not do in the past and what you do now. Then get into pairs and inform your partner. Take turns.

things I did/did not do in the past	things I do now

3

Have a look at the questions (1–8) and write down short answers. Mind the tenses. Then walk around in class and ask your classmates. Take turns. The first one (0) has been done for you. Compare your results with a partner.

• Did you go out last weekend?

Yes, I díd./No, I dídn't.

1 Did you go on holiday last summer?

Time for change



LanguageBox

Welcome to our presentation on responsible smartphone use.

To begin with, we would like to point out the dos and don'ts of responsible smartphone use.

There are some useful rules to follow.

First, it is important to ...

Second, young people should ...

Third, it is advisable to ...

In addition, it is essential to ...

We strongly believe that parents can teach their kids responsible smartphone use.

For example, they could ...

Besides, parents should ...

Furthermore, they have the possibility to ...

Talking about smartphone use at school, we would like to say that ...

It is recommendable to ...

Many teachers think / Our principal thinks that ...

Many students use their phones to ...

Last but not least, we can say that ...

Thank you for listening!



You are working at the reception desk in a hotel in Bologna and are responsible for group bookings. Your boss has asked you to attend a tourism fair with him/her. You write an e-mail to your colleagues to inform them about your business trip.

In your e-mail to your colleagues you should

- explain why you will be away
- inform the others about when exactly you will be away

say who your colleagues can contact when there are any questions about group bookings you have been working on recently.

Write about 100 words.



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