1. Check your grammar: true or false – past simple regular verbs

Are these sentences True or False?

1. We use it for things in the past which have finished. True False
2. We use it for things in the past with a connection to the present. True False
3. We use it for single events or situations in the past. True False
4. We use it for repeated events in the past. True False
5. We use it for things a long way back in the past and in the recent past. True False
6. We only use it for things a long way back in the past. True False
7. We use the auxiliary ‘do’ to form questions and negatives. True False
8. We use the auxiliary ‘have’ to form questions and negatives. True False

2. Check your grammar: gap fill – past simple regular verbs

Put the verb in the past simple tense to fill the gaps.

1. The cat _______________ (escape) from the garden.
2. They _______________ (agree) with me about the album.
3. He _______________ (try) to start the car.
4. We _______________ (enjoy) the funfair a lot.
5. Tell me, what _______________ (happen)?
6. She _______________ (stop) at a zebra crossing.
7. I ________________ (carry on) working until late.

8. Alfie ________________ (fail) his driving test again.

3. Check your grammar: multiple choice – past simple regular verbs
Circle the correct sentence, a or b.

1. a. Did he talked to you? b. Did he talk to you?
2. a. They no liked the film. b. They didn’t like the film.
3. a. We planed to go on a trip round the US. b. We planned to go on a trip round the US.
4. a. I tried to help her. b. I tried to help her.
5. a. The door opened and we went in. b. The door openned and we went in.
6. a. Played you tennis last year? b. Did you play tennis last year?
7. a. We decideed to go home. b. We decided to go home.
8. a. They stopped working and went for lunch. b. They stoped working and went for lunch.

Discussion
Did you like this grammar snack?
What did you do yesterday?