

C Grammar exercises

C1 Match the halves of these sentences.

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| 1 My boyfriend sounded | d | a tired because I got up too early. |
| 2 The school was | b | bad so we didn't drink it. |
| 3 My boss seemed | c | wonderful because it was home-made. |
| 4 We got | d | sad on the phone. |
| 5 The bread tasted | e | angry but she was just in a hurry. |
| 6 I was feeling | f | wet because we didn't have our raincoats. |
| 7 The milk smelled | g | unusual because it had no rules. |

C2 Rewrite these sentences adding the adjectives in brackets.

- My friend gave me a ring for my birthday. (*silver/antique*)
My friend gave me an antique silver ring for my birthday.
- I wore my jeans when I painted the ceiling. (*old/blue/dirty*)

- I borrowed my sister's dress to wear to the party. (*silk/lovely/long*)

- I was surprised that Mike wore that jacket. (*white/cotton*)

- He bought some shoes yesterday. (*expensive/new*)

- Jenny's father gave her a necklace for her 18th birthday. (*long/gold/beautiful*)

C3 Underline the correct adjective in each sentence.

- That was an interesting/interested lesson.
- My parents were tiring/tired after the long flight.
- We were boring/bored so we went to the cinema.
- I enjoy my job but it's very tiring/tired.
- You'll be surprising/surprised when I tell you what happened.
- We were exciting/excited about seeing Michael again.
- All the programmes on TV tonight look boring/bored.
- I'm staying in an amazing/amazed hotel.
- My friend was annoying/annoyed with me because I was late.
- Hans is interesting/interested in art so I took him to the Picasso exhibition.

C4 Match a noun in A with each noun in B then complete the sentences below.

A
address alarm bus city credit
football evening film fire
police traffic wedding

B
~~book~~ boots car card centre
~~clock~~ engine invitation jam
performance star stop

address book

alarm clock

- 1 I bought a new alarm clock because I couldn't wake up in the morning.
- 2 Everyone was looking at the as she came into the hotel.
- 3 The café wouldn't accept my so I paid cash.
- 4 I usually clean my when I get home from a match.
- 5 We couldn't get tickets for the so we went in the afternoon.
- 6 Our teacher was late because there was a big on the motorway.

C5 Read this email and look at the adjectives. There are eight mistakes. Correct them.

Hi Sally

I can't see you next week because I'm going on holiday with my parents.

We always stay near a very small town ~~town very small~~ on the coast. There is a lovely

and sandy beach and the sea is clear and warm. The town has lots of old

beautiful buildings. My parents like going to the galleries art but I get

boring so I go to the shops. You can buy cheaps clothes there.

I hope we go to my restaurant favourite.

Write back and tell me all your excited news.

Duncan