



- A: Did you see the Mardi Gras festival?
- B: No, I didn't. I missed the train and I didn't arrive in time for the festival.

## Presentation

### Negatives

Use *didn't* for negative sentences in the past simple.

I/You/He/She/It/We/They	didn't	see	the film.
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### Questions

Use *Did ...?* For questions in the past simple.

Did	I/you/he/she/it/we/they	see	the film?
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### Short answers

Use *did* or *didn't* for short answers.

Yes,	I/you/he/she/it/we/they	did.
No,		didn't.

**TIP** Say: *Did you see the film?*

*I didn't see the film.*

Don't say: *Did you saw the film?*

*I didn't saw the film.*

## Exercises

### 1 Match the first sentence (1–8) to the second sentence (a–h).

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|---|-------------------------------------|---|
| 1 The cinema was closed.                          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | a I didn't arrive on time for work.     |
| 2 It was cloudy.                                  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | b I didn't take any photos.             |
| 3 The dress was very expensive.                   | <input type="checkbox"/>            | c <del>We didn't see the film.</del>    |
| 4 The bus was late.                               | <input type="checkbox"/>            | d They didn't see the mountains.        |
| 5 I forgot my camera.                             | <input type="checkbox"/>            | e We didn't walk there, we took a taxi. |
| 6 The food was bad at the restaurant.             | <input type="checkbox"/>            | f She didn't buy it.                    |
| 7 I left school and started my job when I was 18. | <input type="checkbox"/>            | g I didn't go to university.            |
| 8 It was long way to our hotel from the station.  | <input type="checkbox"/>            | h We left and we didn't pay.            |

### 2 Write these sentences in the negative form.

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| 1 We went to Spain.                       | <u>We didn't go to Spain.</u> |
| 2 We visited Madrid.                      | .....                         |
| 3 We stayed at a youth hostel.            | .....                         |
| 4 My friend left Madrid.                  | .....                         |
| 5 I studied Spanish at a language school. | .....                         |
| 6 I worked in a bar.                      | .....                         |
| 7 I met my friends.                       | .....                         |
| 8 I took a train to Barcelona.            | .....                         |

### 3 Complete the conversations with *did* or *didn't*.

#### Conversation 1

- A: <sup>1</sup> Did you go to Egypt?
- B: Yes, we <sup>2</sup> .....
- A: <sup>3</sup> ..... you visit Cairo?
- B: No, we <sup>4</sup> ..... But we saw the pyramids.

#### Conversation 2

- A: I'm so hungry?
- B: <sup>5</sup> ..... you eat lunch?
- A: No, I <sup>6</sup> ..... It was very busy at work today. I <sup>7</sup> ..... have time for lunch!

#### Conversation 3

- A: They went to Mexico.
- B: <sup>8</sup> ..... they have good time?
- A: Yes, they <sup>9</sup> .....
- B: <sup>10</sup> ..... they go to Mexico city?
- A: No, they <sup>11</sup> ..... They went to Oaxaca.