# SOLUTIONS PRE-INTERMEDIATE 3 UNIT 6: TOUR SM 6E

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## Contrast: past simple and present perfect I can distinguish the use of the past simple and the present perfect.

1	Cl	Choose the correct verb form (a or b) in the sentences.					
	1	to the west coast of Ireland? It's beautiful.					
		a Did you ever go	<b>b</b> Have you ever been				
	2		a lot of interesting cities in my life, but I think				
	New York is my favourite.						
		a 've visited	<b>b</b> visited				
	3 I Mexican food a few times, but it's too spicy						
		a 've tried	<b>b</b> tried				
	4	You should get your po	stcard soon. I it a week ago.				
		a 've posted	<b>b</b> posted				
	5	My dad about two h	nundred photos on this holiday				
		so far.					
		a has taken	<b>b</b> took				
	6 any souvenirs when you were in Canada?						
		a Have you bought	<b>b</b> Did you buy				

2 Complete the email. Use the present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

	email.com		
Dear Anna,			
I'm on a coach to	our of Europe with my parents. So far we		
1 (visit) two cities – Paris and Amsterd			
We <sup>2</sup>	(start) the tour in Paris. 3		
you	(go) there? It's beautiful. The first day		
we <sup>4</sup>	(go) up the Eiffel Tower. The view was		
incredible. I 5	(never / see) anything like it.		
Now we 6	(arrive) in Florence, in Italy. Yesterday		
we <sup>7</sup>	(explore) the old town on foot. Then we		
8	(climb) up the Campanile, which is a really tall		
tower. There we	re 414 steps, but it was worth it.		
Next, we're goin	g to Rome. I 9 (read) all about		
it last night and	am really looking forward to it. I hope you're		
enjoying the sum	nmer. The weather here 10 (be)		
fantastic.			
Love			
Daisy			

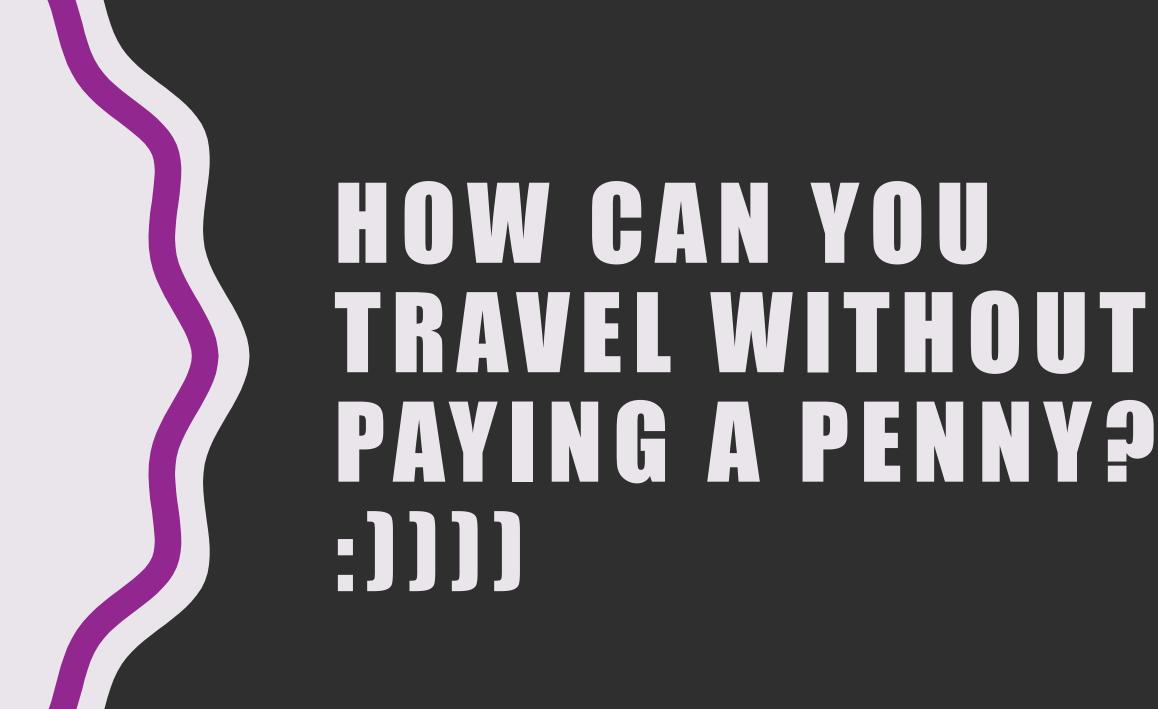
## 3 Complete the sentences with has / have been, has / have gone or went. 1 Lucy isn't at home. She's gone to the sports centre. 2 We haven't had a holiday this year, but last year we

3 We've got plenty of food – I \_\_\_\_\_\_ to the supermarket yesterday.

to Brazil.

- 4 She knows Madrid very well. She \_\_\_\_\_ there lots of times since she moved to Spain.
- 5 I love water sports. I \_\_\_\_\_ surfing in lots of different countries.
- 6 I hope Toby is enjoying the summer. He \_\_\_\_\_\_
  to Italy for six weeks.

1	Α		ever		(you / have) a holiday	
		in Turkey?				
	В	Yes, I	1.		(spend) two weeks	
		there last yea				
					(you / visit)?	
	В	Only two. We		(	start) in Istanbul and ther	
			(travel)	to Izmi	r.	
2	Α		ever_		(you / try) an	
		extreme spor			- 0 , 0,	
	В			ut I	(learn) to ski	
		last winter.				
	Α	Really?		(	(you / enjoy) it?	
	В	Yes, I	Ir	n fact, y	esterday I	
		(book) my next skiing holiday!				
3	Α		ever		(you / go) on a coach	
		tour?			-0,0,	
	В	Yes, we		. We_	(go) across	
		the USA by coach last July.				
	Α	How long		- 6	(it / take)?	
	В	Three weeks.	We		(stop) at lots of	
		interesting places on the way.				
4	Α		ever		(you / eat) insects?	
	В	Yes I	1		(buy) a bag of	





1 SPEAKING Describe the photo. Where is the boy? What is happening? Why?





Baggage carousel





Check-in-desk

#### 2 Read the text. Who first realised that the boy did not have a ticket?

a a passport control officer

**d** a flight attendant

**b** a waiter

e a police officer

c a security guard

## Can I see your boarding pass?



A nine-year-old boy managed to get on a plane without a ticket or boarding pass and fly from Minneapolis to Las Vegas. He didn't have to go through passport control as it was a domestic flight, but he managed to pass all the security checks without any problem.

The previous day, security cameras filmed him stealing suitcases from the baggage carousel in the arrivals hall and then ordering a meal in a restaurant in the terminal building. However, after the meal he told the waiter that he had to go to the toilet, and left the restaurant without paying. The following day he returned to the airport, walked through to the departure lounge and then boarded a plane. Apparently, he stayed close to another family as they passed though airport security.

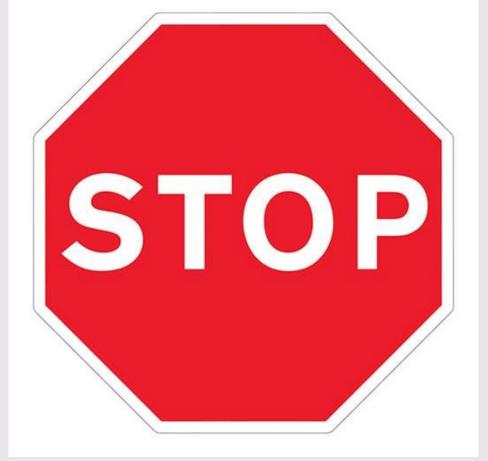
On the plane, the cabin crew became suspicious of the small boy sitting alone in first class. A flight attendant contacted the Las Vegas police, who met the boy when the plane landed. 3 VOCABULARY Read the text again. Complete the compound nouns.

### At an airport

bag drop		departure 4		seat belt	
1	carousel	5	attendant	7	check
boarding 2		flight number		security 8	
3crew		hand luggage		window seat	
check-in desk		passport 6			











4 Which items in exercise 3 do you find in an airport terminal? Which five do you find on a plane?

#### **LEARN THIS!** Compound nouns: noun + noun

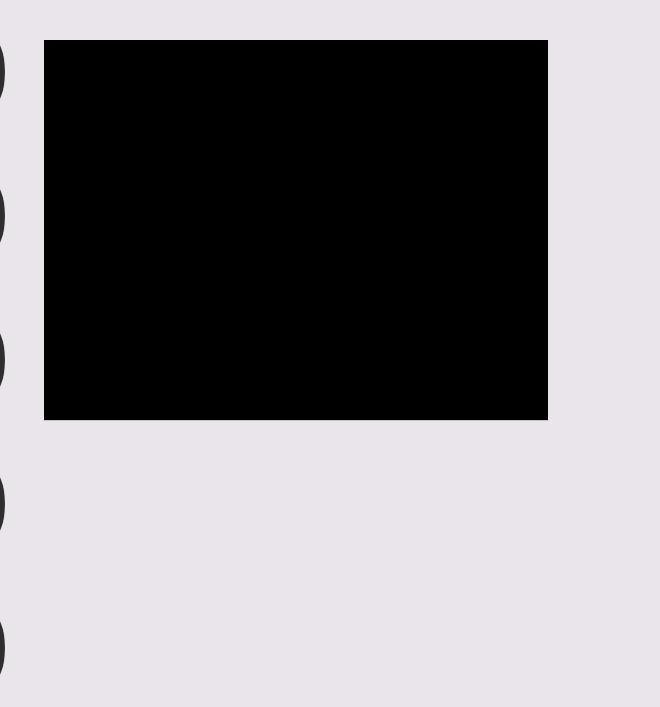
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- a Most compound nouns are formed from two nouns.
- **b** We usually write them as two words (*travel agent*), but sometimes as one word (*whiteboard*) or with a hyphen (*film-maker*). Check in a dictionary.
- c The stress is usually on the first noun. whiteboard

Read the Learn this! box. Then listen and repeat the compound nouns in exercise 3.

## 6 Complete the text below with compound nouns from exercise 3.



When you arrive at the airport, go to the 1c The clerk will check in your luggage and might ask if you want an aisle seat or a 2w\_\_\_\_\_. He or she will give you a 3b\_\_\_\_\_. Show your passport at ⁴p\_\_\_\_. You will also have to go through a 5s\_\_\_\_\_, where they X-ray your 6h\_ Then you reach the 'd\_\_\_\_\_, where there are duty-free shops. You can find your flight on the departures board by looking at the \*f\_\_\_\_\_ or the departure time. When they announce your flight, go to the gate.

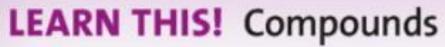














We can also form compounds from an adjective and a noun.

single room first class half board full time high season online check-in

7 Read the Learn this! box. Find one of the compounds in the text in exercise 2.

- 8 (2.25) Match the words in A with the words in B to make five more compounds. Then listen and repeat all the compounds in the Learn this! box and below.
  - A double economy full low part
  - B board class room season time

#### 9 Complete the sentences with compounds from the Learn this! box and exercise 8.

- 1 I'm travelling alone so I'm going to book a \_\_\_\_\_\_ at the hotel.
- 2 \_\_\_\_\_ accommodation at a hotel includes breakfast and dinner.
- 3 There's much less room in \_\_\_\_\_ than in first class.
- **4** August is \_\_\_\_\_\_, so holidays are much more expensive.
- 5 My mum is a check-in clerk, but she only works \_\_\_\_\_
- 6 You can use the \_\_\_\_\_ and print your boarding pass at home.

10 SPEAKING Look at the text in exercise 2 for two minutes.
Then cover it and retell the story in your own words.

A young boy went to Minneapolis Airport one day ...

## 6D

#### Contrast: past simple and present perfect

- Write sentences from the prompts with the present perfect and the past simple.
  - 1 A you / ever / win / a competition?

Have you ever won a competition?

- B Yes, I have.
- A what / you / win?

What did you win?

**B** I / win / a gold medal at a singing competition.

won a gold medal at a singing competition.

- 2 A you / ever / meet / a famous person?
  - B Yes, I have.
  - A who / you / meet?
  - **B** I / meet / Emma Watson at a film premiere.

- 3 A you / ever / be / in a helicopter?
  - B Yes, I have.
  - A where / you / go?
  - B I / fly / over Cape Town.
- 4 A you / ever / break / your leg?
  - B Yes, I have.
  - A what / happen?
  - B I / fall / off my bike.
- 5 A you / ever / lose / your phone?
  - B Yes, I have.
  - A how/you/lose/it?
  - B I / leave / it / on the train.

2 Complete the text with the correct present perfect or past simple form of the verbs in brackets.

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1 (travel) t	to a lot of interesting
places and I 2	•
amazing people. I3	(walk)
across deserts and I 4	(sail)
down the Nile, but I 5	(be) on
a plane. Why? Because I'm rea	ally scared of flying.
Last year, I 6	(want) to fly from
London to Madrid. I 7	(arrive)
at the airport, but I 8	(feel) too
scared to get on the plane!	

#### 3 SPEAKING Work in pairs.

 Look at the time expressions below. Decide if we use them with the present perfect or the past simple.

ever for a month last weekend last year never on Saturday since last week yesterday

- Write three true sentences and two false sentences about yourself. Use time expressions.
- Read out your sentences to your partner. Can they guess the false sentences?

## ASSIGNMENT: WORKBOOK 6E

**DEADLINE: WEDNESDAY**