

**4** Put the verbs in brackets into the correct tense.

- A: Have a safe journey back home!  
B: Thanks Brad! I'll *visit* (**visit**) you again the next time I ..... (**take**) time off work.
- A: Has Keith prepared everything for the surprise party?  
B: No, but he ..... (**do**) so by the time his sister ..... (**return**) home.
- A: How did you break your leg?  
B: I ..... (**fall**) from a tree as I ..... (**pick**) apples.
- A: When ..... (**Lucy/take**) the dog to the vet? It's time for his yearly shots.  
B: I don't know. I ..... (**ask**) her when she ..... (**come**) home.
- A: Can I use your mobile phone for just a second?  
B: Sorry, I ..... (**switch**) it off before we ..... (**board**) the plane.

**5** Choose the correct item.

- "Have you received your booking confirmation?"  
"Yes, the travel agent let me know the moment she ..... the email from the hotel."  
A would have got      C would get  
B got                      D had got
- "Your trainers are in an awful state!"  
"I know! I'll buy a new pair when I ..... to the shops on Friday."  
A go                        C 've gone  
B will go                 D 'm going
- "Why don't you have a snack before lunch?"  
"Employees are not allowed to eat at their desks ..... they are working."  
A while    B once      C during    D by
- "When ..... to the dentist?"  
"Tomorrow morning! My tooth is killing me!"  
A do you go                C would you go  
B did you go               D will you go
- "How long has the baby been sleeping?"  
"He fell asleep ..... we got in the car."  
A as long as                C till  
B the moment              D while

**6** Complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use two to five words, including the word in bold.

- He can't go home yet because his tutor wants to talk to him. **UNTIL**  
He can't go home *until he has* talked with his tutor.
- Joanne hopes her assistant will finish his report before leaving for the day. **TIME**  
Joanne hopes her assistant will have finished his report ..... for the day.
- Interrupting me during a conversation with my professor was very rude. **WHILE**  
It was very rude of you to interrupt me ..... to my professor.
- James started laughing right after seeing his friend's fancy dress costume. **SOON**  
James started laughing ..... his friend's fancy dress costume.
- I'm sure the tickets will be available online soon; we'll buy them then. **WHEN**  
We'll buy the tickets ..... available online.

**Speaking**

In pairs use the time conjunctions to talk about the people and situations in the photographs, as in the example.

- while • before • since • after
- the moment • as soon as • until
- by the time



- A: *The band has been practising for the concert **since** last month.*  
B: *The crowd are singing along **while** the band is performing...*