

## The Story of my Holiday

Change the verbs into past simple-

At Christmas I \_\_\_\_\_ (go) with my husband and daughter to Ivory Coast in West Africa. We \_\_\_\_\_ (want) to see my husband's relatives. The journey \_\_\_\_\_ (be) long. We \_\_\_\_\_ (change) planes in Paris. We \_\_\_\_\_ (arrive) at 9 o'clock at night. It \_\_\_\_\_ (be) very warm as we \_\_\_\_\_ (come) out of the airport.

The next day our family \_\_\_\_\_ (hold) a party to welcome us. We \_\_\_\_\_ (meet) my husband's four sisters and three brothers, as well as many old friends. There \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a lot of people!

The party \_\_\_\_\_ (start) at 6 o'clock in the evening. We \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) rice and meat. They also \_\_\_\_\_ (give) us powdered plantain and yam and fish. We \_\_\_\_\_ (drink) lots of fruit juice and cold water. We \_\_\_\_\_ (love) the juicy mangoes.

The next day one of my sisters-in-law \_\_\_\_\_ (take) us for a drive round Abidjan. We \_\_\_\_\_ (see) many people having a good time. We \_\_\_\_\_ (enjoy) ourselves and \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep) late the next day!

When we \_\_\_\_\_ (return) to England the weather \_\_\_\_\_ (be) cold and frosty. I \_\_\_\_\_ (miss) I \_\_\_\_\_ (be) back in Africa!