

Simple Past – Regular Verbs 2

Fill in the correct past tense form.

On the phone with grandma:

Granny: Hello, Max. Tell me about your night in the old castle.

Max: Well, on Thursday evening my parents and I _____ (to decide) to spend the weekend in a hotel. We _____ (to stay) at this expensive old castle. When we _____ (to arrive), we first _____ (to look) at the big stone wall with signs and flags in front of the building. Inside a concierge _____ (to help) us with our suitcases. He _____ (to talk) to us for a while and _____ (to show) us our room. He _____ (not look) very happy.

Granny: Why?

Max: The day before at eight o' clock a ghost _____ (to dance) through the lobby. At first we only _____ (to laugh). Well, this is what _____ (to happen): our dining room _____ (to look) fantastic and the food _____ (to taste) great. After dinner Mum and Dad _____ (to want) to go to the hotel bar for a drink and I _____ (to brush) my teeth, _____ (to watch) TV and _____ (to play) in the lobby. Then suddenly some scary music _____ (to start). A white ghost _____ (to move) very slowly towards me and _____ (to climb) on the piano. I _____ (to whisper): "I'm so _____ (to scare)." Then I _____ (to shout) for help. The music _____ (to stop) immediately and everybody _____ (to clap).

Granny: And the ghost?

Max: Only then I _____ (to realize) that it was Halloween.

Granny: Oh dear.