

El viaje que salió mal

Nivel: B1

Una mujer cuenta a sus amigos unas vacaciones que salieron mal. Escucha su historia y haz los ejercicios.

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Lectura

Last summer, my sister and I went to Portugal for a week, and nothing went the way we had planned. We woke up at five because our train to the airport left at six. While we were waiting for a taxi, it started to rain heavily. By the time we reached the station, the train had already left. We took a bus instead, but we missed our flight, so we waited six hours for the next one.

When we finally landed in Lisbon, we were exhausted. We had been awake since five, and we had not eaten anything all day. Then we discovered that the airline had lost my suitcase. I had packed my sunscreen, my camera and my favourite jacket in it. The staff promised to find it, and they gave me a small bag with a few basic things. I wore the same clothes for two days. My sister lent me a T-shirt, but it was too small, and we laughed a lot.

On the third day, we decided to visit the beach. The sun had been shining all morning, so we felt quite hopeful. While we were walking there, the sky turned dark, and it began to pour. We had left our umbrellas at the hotel, so we got completely soaked. After we had dried off, the airline called me. They had found my suitcase, and it was waiting at the hotel. Honestly, it was a stressful week, but now we laugh about it every time we remember it.

Glosario

airline	a company that flies planes with passengers	aerolínea
exhausted	very, very tired	agotado
discovered	found out something you did not know	descubrió
suitcase	a big bag for your clothes when you travel	maleta
staff	the people who work in a place	personal
pour	when it rains very hard, we say that it begins to pour	llover a cántaros
soaked	completely wet	empapado
stressful	making you feel worried and nervous	estresante

Ejercicio 1: Escucha y elige

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Ejercicio 2: ¿Verdadero o falso?

Escucha toda la historia y decide si cada frase es correcta.

1. The sisters woke up at five o'clock on the first morning. Verdadero / Falso

2. The sisters caught the train to the airport. Verdadero / Falso
3. The airline found the suitcase in the end. Verdadero / Falso
4. The sisters were already on the beach when the rain started. Verdadero / Falso

Ejercicio 3: Elige la respuesta correcta

Escucha toda la historia y elige la respuesta correcta.

5. What did the sisters do after they missed the train?
a) They took a taxi b) They took a bus c) They went home
6. What did the airline staff give the speaker?
a) A new suitcase b) A free night at a hotel c) A small bag with a few things
7. How does the speaker feel about the trip now?
a) She can laugh about it b) She is still very angry c) She never talks about it

Ejercicio 4: Escucha y escribe

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Soluciones

Ejercicio 2: ¿Verdadero o falso?

1. Verdadero
2. Falso
3. Verdadero
4. Falso

Ejercicio 3: Elige la respuesta correcta

5. b) They took a bus
6. c) A small bag with a few things
7. a) She can laugh about it

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