

Exercise 1. There are mistakes in the use of reflexive pronouns in some of these sentences. Find the mistakes and correct them:

1. My sister taught himself to swim.
2. Anna repaired the chair herself.
3. The children are making themselves something to eat.
4. I hurt me when I fell down the stairs.
5. We're meeting ourselves at 8.00 this evening.
6. We're enjoying ourselves very much.

Exercise 2. Answer the questions. Say that the people have done these things themselves:

Example: Who bought that book for him? He bought it himself

1. Who cooked your breakfast this morning?
2. Who helped them to translate the text?
3. Who helped the little girl to dress?
4. Who helped you to find the way?
5. Who cleaned your classroom?
6. Who washes your clothes?
7. Who broke his tape-recorder?
8. Who built their house?
9. Who helped her to do maths?
10. Who planted the garden in front of your house?

Exercise 3. Complete the utterances using the word combination enjoy oneself:

1. My brother usually spends his holidays in holiday camps, and he always _____.
2. We _____ in the country last weekend.
3. I'm _____
4. We were at a concert yesterday. – _____ you _____?
5. The Parkers went on a picnic on Sunday. They say they _____ very much.
6. My sister spent her holidays in Spain. She _____.

Exercise 34. Fill in the blanks with reflexive pronouns where appropriate:

1. All our friends enjoyed _____ at his birthday party.
2. Polly and Nancy, help _____ to sweets and juice.
3. They haven't decided yet where they'd meet _____.
4. She got up, washed _____ and left the house without disturbing anyone.
5. Relax _____ when you dance.
6. Who went with her? - Nobody. She went by _____.
7. He feels _____ not well today.
8. We didn't know who that young guy was. He didn't introduce _____.

9. It's windy, you may catch cold _____
10. «Children, take the towel and dry_____.
11. I often speak to _____ when I'm in bad mood and alone.
12. Concentrate _____ if you don't want to fail your exam.
13. Little Polly is only two but she can dress _____
14. I'm not angry with him. I'm angry with _____
15. They never think about other people. They only think about _____
16. Let's hide _____ under that tree. The rain is so heavy.
17. Put a sheet of paper before _____ imagine a nice landscape and draw.
18. Don't take him to the party. He'll spoil everything _____.

Exercise 4. Read and comprehend the text bellow and be ready for teacher's questions:

A school year abroad

Abroad the school year begins in September; they call this moment like 'back to school'. The first holidays start at the end of October. Students and their teachers have two weeks of having a rest.

Then it is time for Christmas holidays. Christmas is a very important holiday in Europe and USA. All the family members meet together. They can see their parents, grandparents, uncles and aunts, cousins, and so on. The holiday meal lasts for a long time and they exchange gifts on the 25th of December. They have a vacation to have time to meet up with family. There are almost two weeks for it.

In winter there are also winter holidays; these holidays are different from Christmas holidays. It happens in February for a week. Many people go skiing or snowboarding. But winter sports are very expensive, that is why not everyone can afford it.

After the winter holidays, there is a spring break. It happens in March and it is the last vacation before the end of the school year. High school students have to study a lot during these holidays because they are just before their school finishing.

The most anticipated moment of the year is summer holidays. These holidays last during two months. Boys and girls often try to work a bit to earn some pocket money.