

KV 54 Language plus: Messages

1 A voice message from Mike

Mike is at Green Moose Summer Camp at the moment and is sending a voice message to his friend Joshua. Complete the message with prepositions from the box.

at (1x)

for (2x)

from (2x)

on (2x)

over (1x)

to (3x)

with (3x)

Hi Josh. It's Mike. I've just come back ____ (1) swimming and I wanted to leave you a little message before dinner. Hang ____ (2), it's a little loud in here, I have to go outside. So, what's going ____ (3) here? A lot! Yesterday, we went on a canoe tour down the river and I loved it. Of course my canoe turned ____ (4) after only ten minutes and I couldn't keep up ____ (5) Dennis, but it was fun. I hurt my arm a little, but the doctor had a look ____ (6) it and gave me an ointment. I'm spending a lot of time ____ (7) teenagers ____ (8) all over the world here and two days ago we surprised Theresa ____ (9) a birthday party! I haven't seen a bear yet, but you really have to look out ____ (10) them when you go ____ (11) a walk. When you see one, you mustn't get too close ____ (12) it. I'm looking forward ____ (13) tomorrow night because there is going to be a ghost tour through the forest! Talk ____ (14) you soon!

2 A postcard from Scotland

Read Dave's postcard from Scotland and put in the verbs in the correct tense: simple past, past progressive, present perfect, simple present, present progressive or going-to future.

Hi Luke, I _____ (1. **be**) on holidays in Scotland and it's brilliant! I _____ (2. **sit**) outside and I _____ (3. **write**) this postcard while the sun _____ (4. **shine**). We _____ (5. **watch**) the Ben Nevis race yesterday morning and there _____ (6. **be**) 600 people who _____ (7. **run**) up the highest mountain in Scotland. I _____ (8. **never • see**) so many crazy people! While I _____ (9. **take**) pictures of them, one man actually _____ (10. **fall**) and his knee¹ _____ (11. **be**) bloody², but he _____ (12. **get up**) right away and _____ (13. **finish**) the race! Tomorrow, we _____ (14. **visit**) Old Inverloch Castle and then my dad and I _____ (15. **go**) mountainbiking in the afternoon. Mum _____ (16. **always • want**) to learn more about Scottish history, so we _____ (17. **visit**) the West Highland Museum after that. Oh, I _____ (18. **not tell**) you about the Ice Climbing Wall in Kinlochleven! But I _____ (19. **show**) you pictures back home! Bye, Dave

1 **knee** Knie | 2 **bloody** blutig