

Week 3

Unit 1 (cont)

D. Writing

I. pre- writing

Vocabulary:

- *air-hostess(n)* nữ tiếp viên hàng không
- *dip (v)*: lao xuống
- *in danger*: trong tình trạng nguy hiểm
- *land safely*: hạ cánh an toàn
- *overjoyed (adj)*: vui mừng khôn xiết
- *panic (n)* sự hoảng loạn; sự hốt hoảng
- *scream in panic*: la, hét trong hốt hoảng
- *relieved (adj)*: bớt căng thẳng
- *seat belt (n)* : đai an toàn; dây an toàn
- *serve (v)*: phục vụ
- *shake/ shook/ shaken (v)*: rung, lắc, giật
- *suddenly (adv)*: đột nhiên
- *take off*: (máy bay) cất cánh
- *announce (v)*: thông báo

II. while- writing

1.Task 1: Read the passage and find all the verbs that are used in past simple and the connectors in the story.

Answer key

Verbs: stared, was, arrived, got, took off, were, began, thought, were, told, seemed, realized, screamed, had, felt, gained, announced, landed.

Connectors: on that day, at first, then, just, a few minutes later, one hour later.

Task 2: *Work in groups. Identify the events, the climax, and the conclusion of the story. Then report your results.*

The events: Got on plane, plane took off, hostesses were just beginning to serve lunch when plane began to shake, plane seemed to dip, people screamed in panic, etc.

The climax: We thought we had only minutes to live.

The conclusion: The pilot announced that everything was all right, we landed safely.

NARRATIVE

Definition

Narrative is a description of events. (You tell/ relate an accident or an experience.)

Structure

The event

The climax

The conclusion

Task 3: *Use the prompt below to build up a narrative about a hotel fire*

Suggested answer

Last year, I spent my summer holidays at a seaside town. The hotel was modern and comfortable. I had a wonderful holiday until the fire.

It was Saturday evening and everybody was sitting in the discotheques (which was) on the ground floor. It was crowded with people. They were dancing and singing happily. Suddenly we smelt smoke. Then black smoke began to fill in the room. Everybody started to scream in panic. People ran toward the fire exits. One door was blocked. Many people began coughing and choking.

Then, just as we thought we had only minutes to live, the fire brigade arrived. Firemen fought their way into the room and soon everyone was safely out of the building. Luckily nobody was seriously hurt. It was the most frightening experience of my life.

III. Homework

Prepare for the next part : language focus

3.The past simple (thì quá đơn)

EX

- The weather **was** nice last week.
- He **arrived** at the airport quite early yesterday.

A.Structure **V** **be : was/were**

V2/Ved

- a. Thể khẳng định: S + V2/Ved +....
- b. Thể phủ định: S + didn't + not +V +.....
- c. Thể nghi vấn: Did + S + V +.....?

B. Dấu hiệu nhận biết:

ago (cách đây), *yesterday* (hôm qua), *last month* (tháng vừa rồi), *last night* (tối hôm qua),
last week (tuần vừa rồi), *last year* (năm ngoái)

III. Exercise