

EXERCISES

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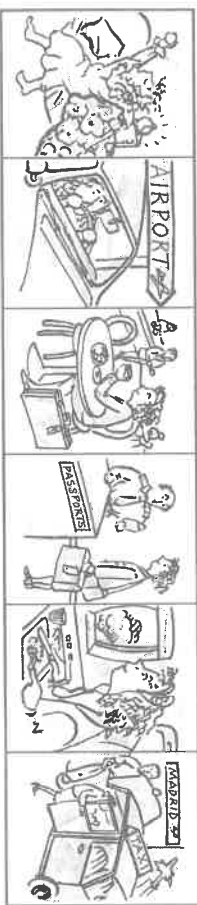
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- 5 We usually go to the cinema on Sundays. Last Sunday we went to the cinema.
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