

EXTENDED WRITING: RECENT EXPERIENCES

B2 | Adults / Teens | Discussion Writing | 20–30 minutes | Set 2

Write developed answers. Support your ideas with reasons, examples, or a personal experience.

1. What was the last book you read? Tell me about it.

2. When was the last time you ate too much?

3. When was the last time you got lost?

4. When was the last time you got sick?

5. When was the last time you lost your temper?

6. When was the last time you felt really happy?

7. When was the last time you made a mistake?

8. When was the last time you screamed?

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Possible B2 answers: Notice how each response gives a clear idea and support.

1. What was the last book you read? Tell me about it.

Example: The last book I read was a novel about a family dealing with a difficult decision. I enjoyed it because the characters felt realistic rather than perfect.

2. When was the last time you ate too much?

Example: The last time I ate too much was at a celebration where there was a wide range of food. I regretted it afterwards because I felt uncomfortable for the rest of the evening.

3. When was the last time you got lost?

Example: I got lost while trying to find an unfamiliar address without checking the route carefully. It taught me to plan ahead instead of relying only on my memory.

4. When was the last time you got sick?

Example: I was last sick with a seasonal cold. It was not serious, but it reminded me how much easier daily life is when you have normal energy.

5. When was the last time you lost your temper?

Example: I lost my temper when a small problem became frustrating because nobody communicated clearly. After calming down, I realised that speaking firmly would have been more effective.

6. When was the last time you felt really happy?

Example: I felt really happy when I spent relaxed time with people I care about after a demanding period. It was a simple occasion, but it felt meaningful.

7. When was the last time you made a mistake?

Example: I recently made a mistake by assuming I understood an arrangement without confirming the details. I apologised, corrected it quickly and learned to check first.

8. When was the last time you screamed?

Example: I screamed when I was startled by something unexpected in the dark. It was embarrassing, but the reaction was completely automatic.
