

- Description** Students test their memory of a text and correct sentences
Lesson link Use this activity after 3e, page 26
Time 20 minutes
Extra material Print out and photocopy the *We're going to crash!* worksheet for each student

Instructions

- a** Give SS two minutes to read the text *We're going to crash!* on page 26 once more as carefully as possible, and then ask them to close their books.
b Give each student a copy of the worksheet. Tell them to look carefully at the sentences and find the two that are true.

Answers

- 5** People started to panic when the flight attendant first screamed.
9 Before the plane hit turbulence the flight had been peaceful.

- c** They should then correct the other eight sentences to make them true.
d Tell SS to compare their ideas in pairs.
e Go through the answers, focusing on the use of tenses as necessary.

Possible answers

- 1** The Virgin Atlantic flight was going to **Las Vegas**.
2 The plane **was flying** over Greenland when it hit turbulence.
3 Many of the passengers **were standing or not wearing their seatbelts**.
4 Everyone **had had** lunch.
6 The panic lasted 30 minutes **and the plane dropped several times**.
7 Angela Marshall was travelling **with her partner**.
8 She **had been reading** a book just before the plane hit turbulence.
10 The flight attendant **pretended nothing had happened** when the flight landed.

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- 3 Many of the passengers were sitting down with their seatbelts fastened.
- 4 Everyone was having lunch.
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- 6 The panic lasted 30 minutes although the plane only dropped once.
- 7 Angela Marshall was travelling alone.
- 8 She finished a book just before the plane hit turbulence.
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