



2.55 Read and listen to the text about Hollywood. Which of the places in the Vocabulary box are in the text?





Hollywood is famous for its film studios and for big, exciting films such as *Star Wars*, *Titanic* and The Avengers. A lot of people live there too. But it was very different in the past.



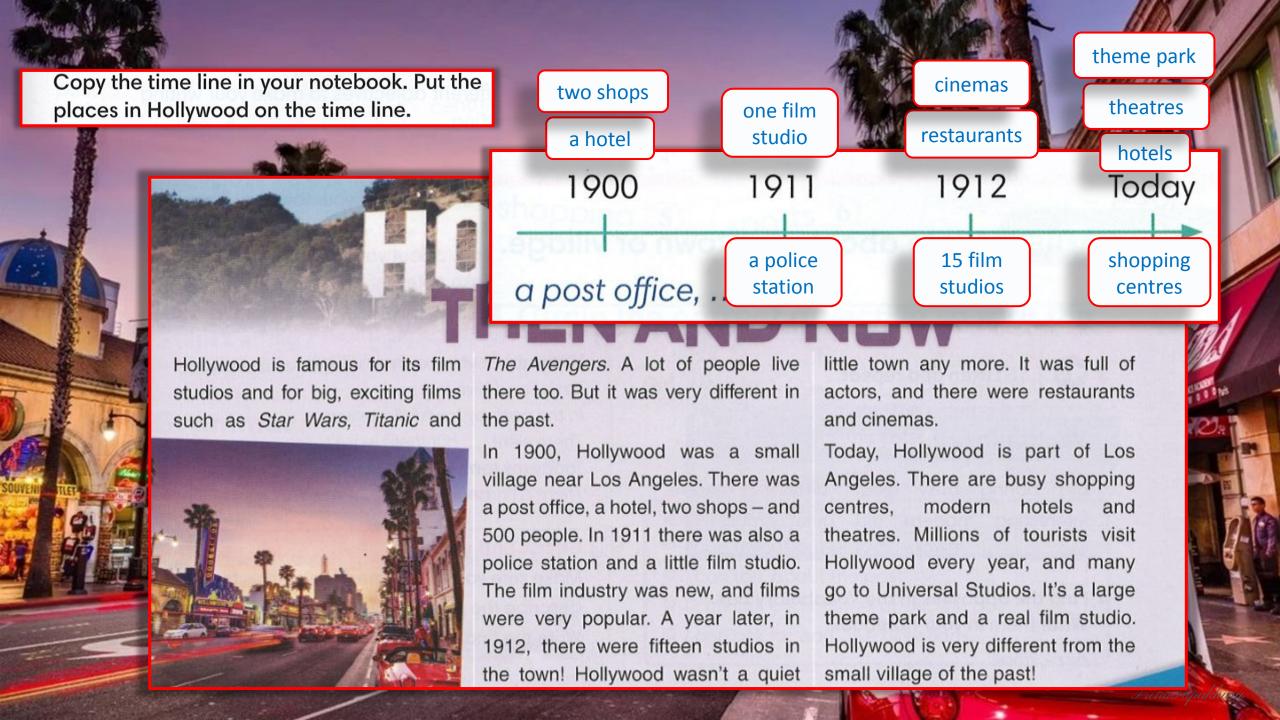
In 1900, Hollywood was a small village near Los Angeles. There was a post office, a hotel, two shops – and 500 people. In 1911 there was also a police station and a little film studio. The film industry was new, and films were very popular. A year later, in 1912, there were fifteen studios in the town! Hollywood wasn't a quiet

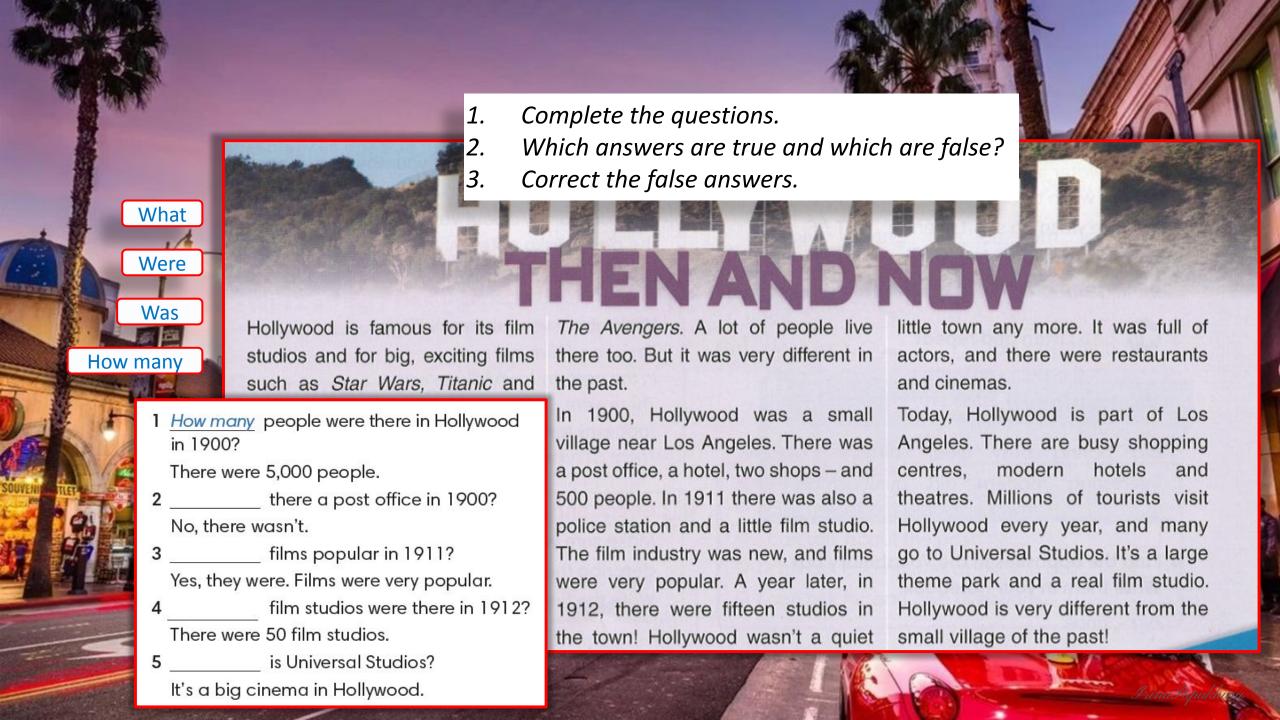
little town any more. It was full actors, and there were restaurants and cinemas.

Today, Hollywood is part of Los Angeles. There are busy shopping centres, modern hotels and theatres. Millions of tourists visit Hollywood every year, and many go to Universal Studios. It's a large theme park and a real film studio. Hollywood is very different from the small village of the past!

police station
restaurant
post office
shopping centre
sports centre
hotel
swimming pool
theatre
shop
train station
film studio
cinema
theme park













- Was the London Eye in London in 1965? Read the text to find out.
- 2 Read the text again. Circle the correct answer.
- 1 London is a very (big) / small place.
- 2 In 1965 there were a lot of big / small shops in London.
- 3 Pop music was old / new then.
- 4 The museums were / weren't full in 1965.
- 5 Today London has got more shopping centres / theatres.
- 6 The London Eye is a ride / museum.
- 3 Read the text again and answer the questions.
- 1 Was the writer's grandpa a boy in 1965? Yes, he was.
- 2 Was pop music new in Landon in 1965?
- 3 Were the theatres busy in 1965?
- 4 Were there large cafés like Starbucks in the past?
- 5 Are there more music shows today?

	4	Vocabulary	Complete the	e words.
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- 1 ber's play baskerball or the spara cerme.
- 2 They're making a film at the film s . .
- 3 The rides at this theme p are exciting.
- 4 Do you want to buy some clothes at the s___
- 5 You can look for your lost bag at the police s
- 6 I'm going to the post o_____ to post a letter.
- 7 Let's buy our tickets to London at the t_____ station.
- 8 I like the s____ pool, but I like the sea more!

5 Write the years.



1900 = nimeteen hundred

1911 = nineteen eleven

2005 = two thousand and five

2017 = twenty seventeen

- 1 nineteen hundred _1900
- 2 nineteen fifteen
- 3 nineteen fifty _
- 4 nineteen sixty-five
- 5 two thousand
- 6 twenty fifteen

